

Jubilee Year of Hope

Our Lady of Grace
School



Parent Information Evening

Tuesday 11 February 2025

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Faith and Wisdom

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2025 Year of Jubilee – Pilgrims of Hope

You are here to be “a pilgrims of hope, pressing forward towards a better future for our young people, and committing at every step to bringing it about”.

(Pope Francis)

A traveller simply visits places, a pilgrim seeks more. A pilgrim seeks God, not just in their ultimate destination, but in all they encounter along the way.



OLG Parent Information Prayer

**God of Hope,
You have called us to this moment in time
to transform the lives of those we encounter, with your love.
Help us preach your love, not by words, but by our example.**

**In all things,
may Christ look through my eyes,
speak through my words,
work with my hands,
walk with my feet,
and love with my heart.**

**May we, together, be Pilgrims of Hope,
inspiring one another to care for the earth and all her people,
through Christ who showed us the way.
Amen**



Adapted from prayer of St Teresa of Calcutta

Principal Mrs Doyle



Our Lady of Grace School 2025

- 702 students enrolled in 2025 from Pre-Kindy through to Year 6
- 83 dedicated staff
- 7 new staff welcomed this year
- 2 new roles – School Nurse & Social Worker
- 11 Little Graces staff
- How do we manage?
 - Staggered recess
 - Eat lunch in classrooms/Charles Riley Oval Play
 - Alternating Assembly – Junior & Senior School PLUS 2 whole school assemblies per Term
 - A variety of play & learning spaces throughout the school



Who are we as a broader Catholic community?

- Parish Priest - Father Hyginus and Deacon Paul
- Sisters of The Holy Family of Nazareth 150th Anniversary -In the tradition of the Sisters of the Holy Family of Nazareth, the School fosters a Catholic community of charity and hope, nurturing students to develop personal excellence, compassion, and conscience through an ongoing commitment to Jesus' teaching.
- Parent Bodies;
 - Catholic School Advisory Council Chair
 - P&F President – Paul Gonzales
- Student Leadership & Christian Service
- School community/P&F & Outreach



Little Graces Out of School Hours Care

- Little Graces currently offers after school & vacation care
- Permanent and casual places available
- Survey to review interest in Before School Care to follow
- New enrolments welcome – enrolment link is on OLG website
- Operates under Child Care Legislation
- Licenced play areas are in effect after school – these are not shared spaces
- Mrs Taylor – Nominated Supervisor



A photograph of three children in school uniforms sitting at a round wooden table. They are all focused on their tablets. The child on the left is a boy with brown hair, the child in the middle is a girl with blonde hair, and the child on the right is partially visible. The table is cluttered with school supplies: a pink lunchbox with a unicorn design, a blue water bottle, a purple water bottle, a pink pencil case, a ruler, and a grey bag with a crest. A red bucket is visible in the background.

OLG Strategic Plan 2025 - 2028

What is Wellbeing?

"Feeling good, functioning well and doing good for others"



- Extreme weather and UV policy for recess, lunch and brain breaks

Co-Curricular Activities

- STEM Club
- Robocup
- Investors Club
- Lego Club
- Gardening Club
- Tournaments of Mind (TOM)
- Junior & Senior Choir
- Run Club
- Musical instruments
- Circus Club
- Surfing lessons
- Extension Art



OLG Student Code of Conduct



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- Student Code of Conduct
- Student Engagement and Behaviour
- 2025 Parent Engagement
- 2025 Inquiry Learning

Spiritual & Cultural Life at OLG

- Parish Masses
- Social Worker - Mrs Murphy
- School Nurse – Mrs Mitchell
- Sacramental Program Years 3, 4, 6
- Christian Service for Sacraments
- Choirs - Junior and Senior
- NAIDOC & Reconciliation Week
- Loose Parts Play
- House Days
- Wellbeing Day

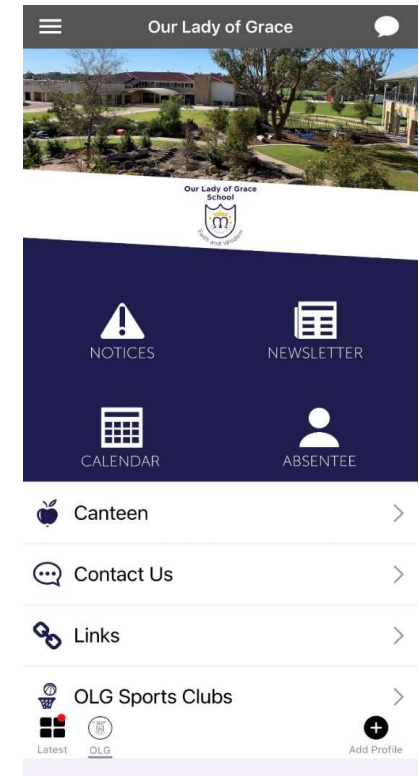
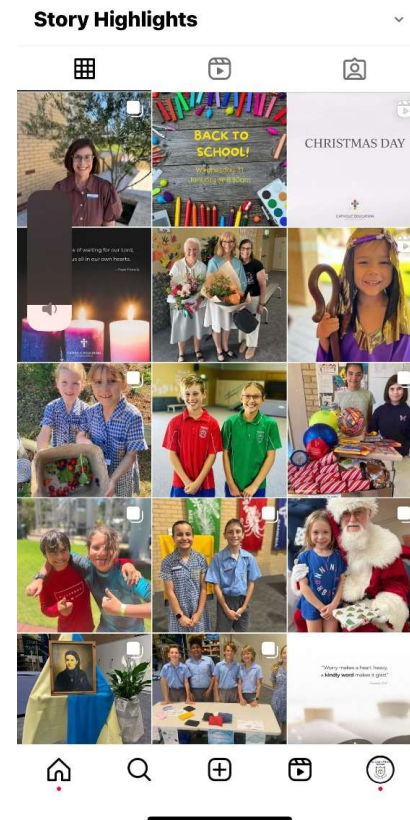


- Performing Arts
- Mother Foundress Day
- P&F Events
- Science Week
- Class volunteers
- Grandparent's Day
- Mother's Day
- Father's Day
- Outdoor learning spaces in courtyards
- Book Week



Channels of Communication

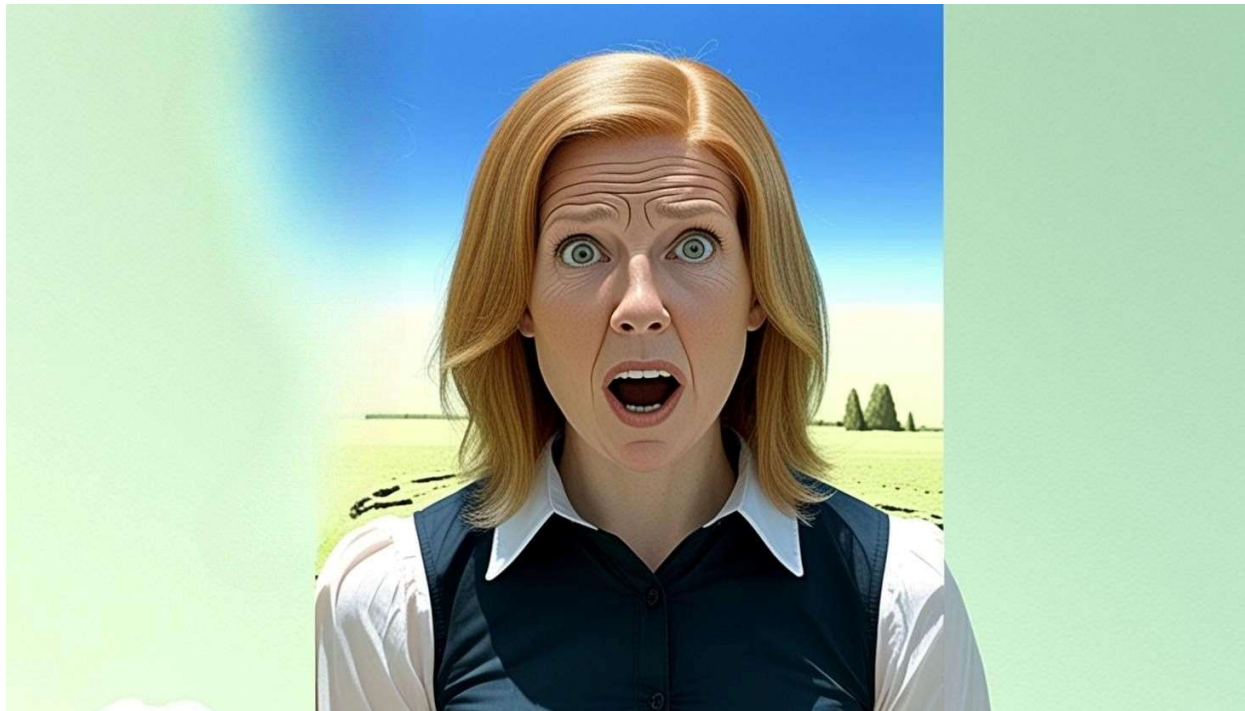
- School Stream
- Weekly Newsletter
- SEQTA
- Emails (business hours & 24 hours to return email)
- Social Media - Instagram, Facebook
- URGENT – reception



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