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2023 annual report to the Community

Renmark High School

Renmark High School number: 794

Partnership: Renmark Loxton



School principal:

Mathew Evans

Male -

Date of endorsement:

22/02/2024

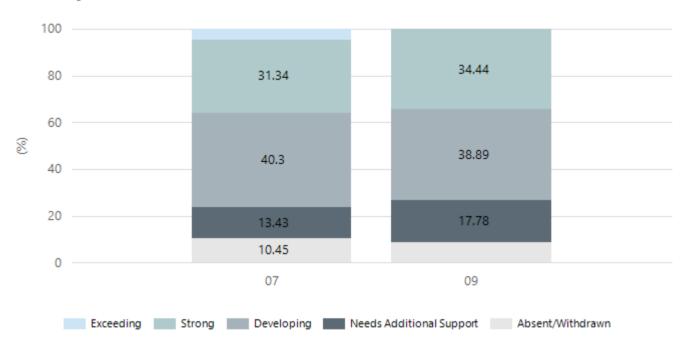
Context Statement

Renmark High School caters for students from 7-12. At the time of this report, the enrolment in 2023 is 489. Renmark High School is classified as Category 3 on the Department for Education Index of Educational Disadvantage. At the time of this report, the school population includes 10% Aboriginal students, 8% students with disabilities, 9% students with English as an additional language or dialect (EALD) funded background, 1% children/young people in care. Further information about the school is available on the school's website (including its context statement), as well as the My School website.

Performance Summary NAPLAN Proficiency

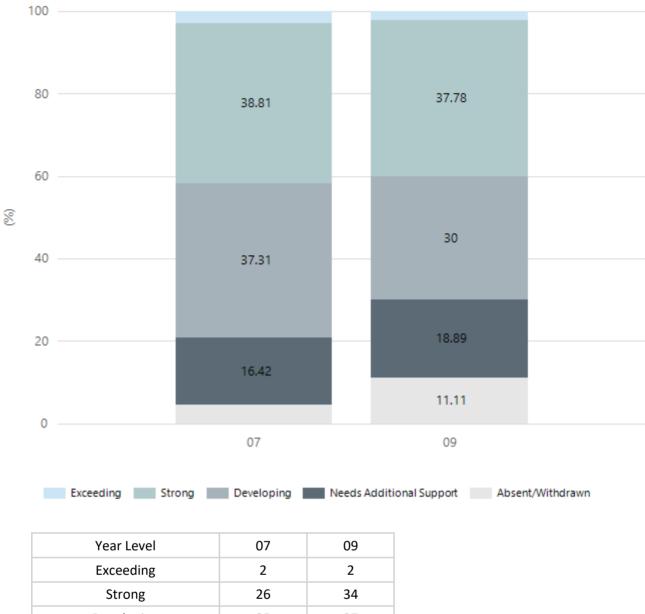
In 2023, the Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) - a Commonwealth Independent statutory authority - announced changes to NAPLAN performance reporting. This new way of reporting by ACARA that NAPLAN results from 2023 will not be comparable to previous years. The new approach replaces the previous numerical NAPLAN bands and the national minimum standard.

Numeracy



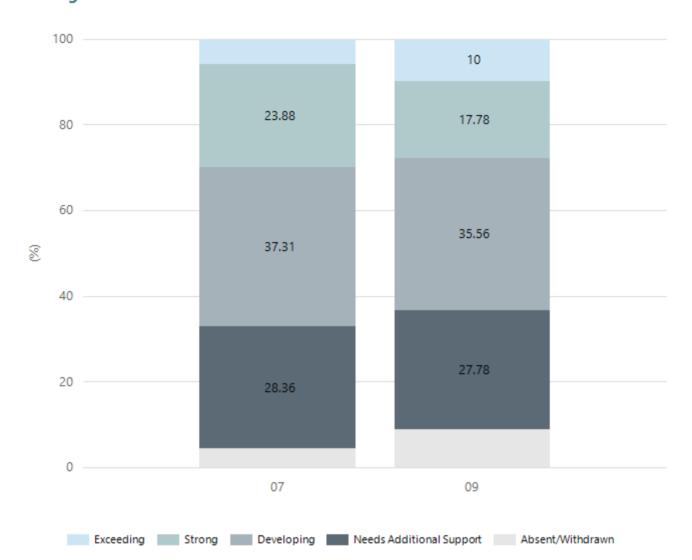
Year Level	07	09
Exceeding	3	
Strong	21	31
Developing	27	35
Needs Additional Support	9	16
Absent/Withdrawn	7	8
Total	67	90

Reading



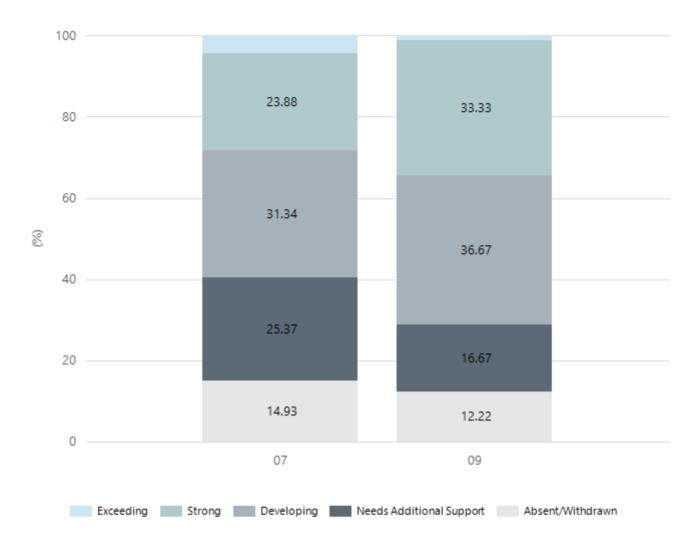
Year Level	07	09
Exceeding	2	2
Strong	26	34
Developing	25	27
Needs Additional Support	11	17
Absent/Withdrawn	3	10
Total	67	90

Writing



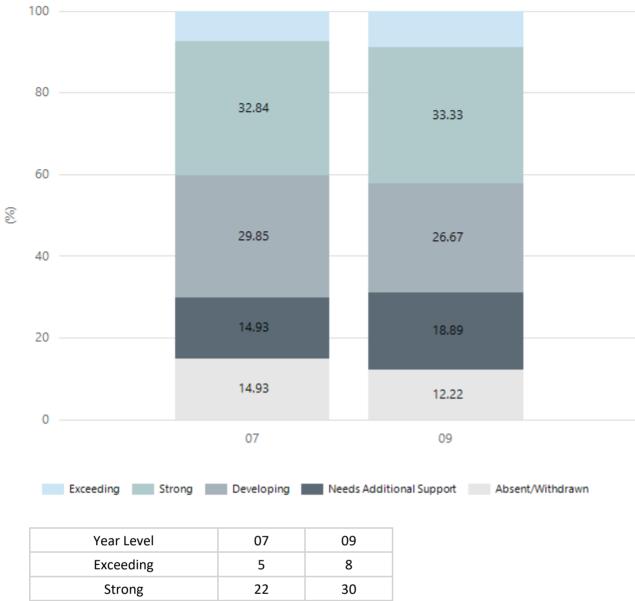
Year Level	07	09
Exceeding	4	9
Strong	16	16
Developing	25	32
Needs Additional Support	19	25
Absent/Withdrawn	3	8
Total	67	90

Grammar



Year Level	07	09
Exceeding	3	1
Strong	16	30
Developing	21	33
Needs Additional Support	17	15
Absent/Withdrawn	10	11
Total	67	90

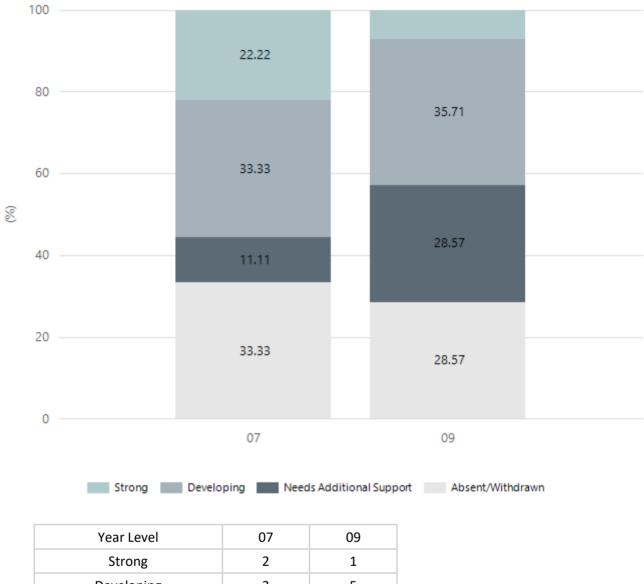
Spelling



Year Level	07	09
Exceeding	5	8
Strong	22	30
Developing	20	24
Needs Additional Support	10	17
Absent/Withdrawn	10	11
Total	67	90

NAPLAN Proficiency - Aboriginal Learners

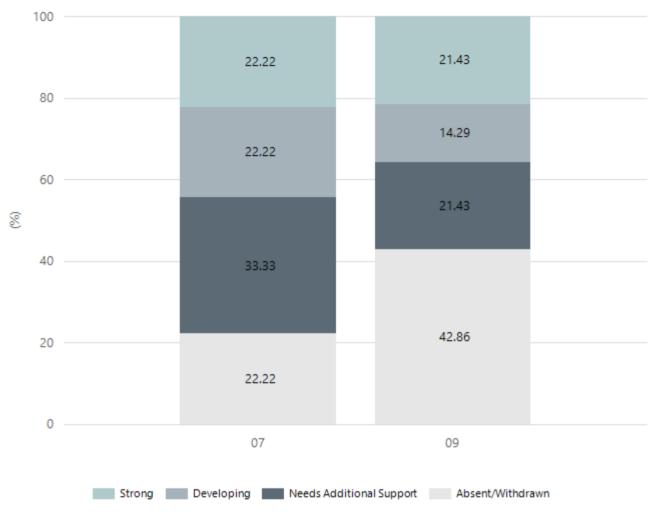
Numeracy



Year Level	07	09
Strong	2	1
Developing	3	5
Needs Additional Support	1	4
Absent/Withdrawn	3	4
Total	9	14

Data Source: Department for Education Assessment Data Holdings, 2023. When there are less than six students in a cohort, no data is supplied. Only data for Aboriginal learners is displayed.

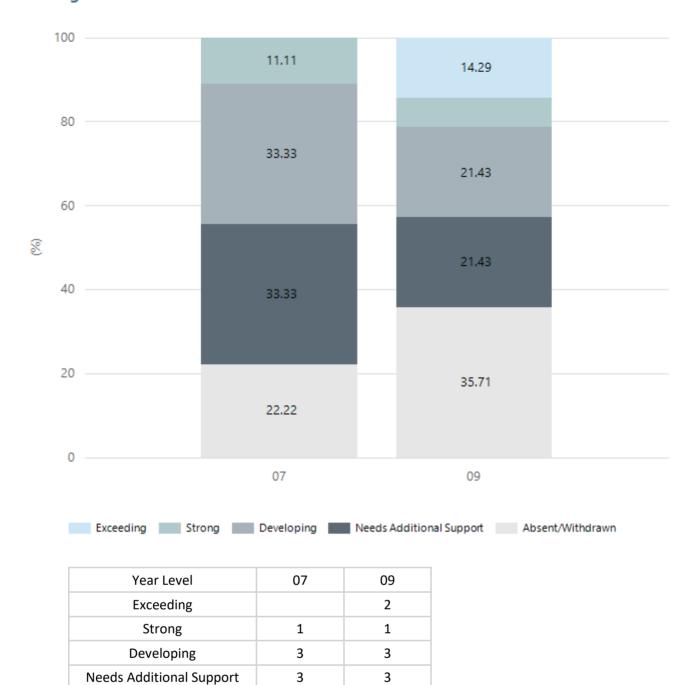
Reading



Year Level	07	09
Strong	2	3
Developing	2	2
Needs Additional Support	3	3
Absent/Withdrawn	2	6
Total	9	14

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Writing



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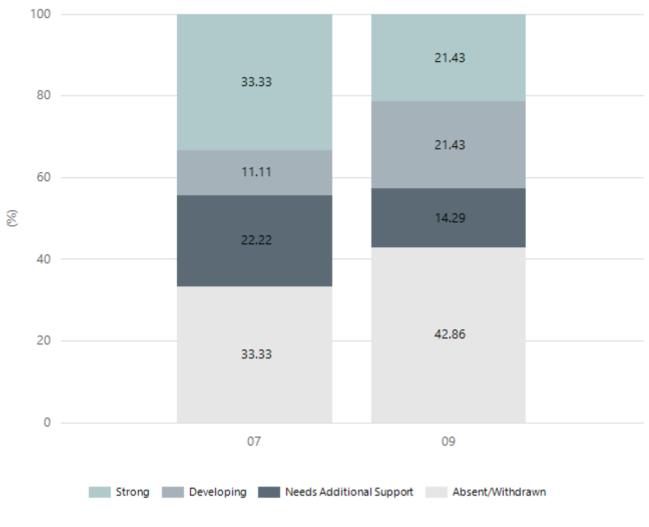
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Absent/Withdrawn

Total

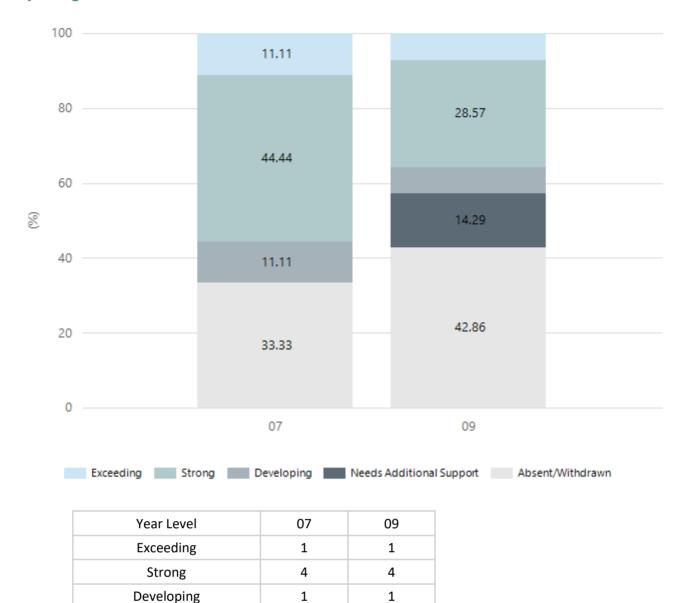
Grammar



Year Level	07	09
Strong	3	3
Developing	1	3
Needs Additional Support	2	2
Absent/Withdrawn	3	6
Total	9	14

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Spelling



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Needs Additional Support
Absent/Withdrawn

Total

South Australian Certificate of Education - SACE

SACE Stage 2 Grades - Percentage of grades that are C- or above for attempted SACE subjects (SEA)

2020	2021	2022	2023
93%	96%	96%	97%

Data Source: SACE School Data Reports, as of February 2023 for 2020-2022. 2023 SACE results are School supplied data. When there are less than six students, no data is supplied. Due to rounding of percentages, total results may not add up to 100%.

SACE Stage 2 Grade Distribution

Grade	2020	2021	2022	2023
A+	0%	2%	1%	1%
Α	12%	6%	13%	10%
A-	15%	16%	14%	11%
B+	19%	11%	12%	13%
В	8%	15%	13%	15%
B-	9%	13%	15%	12%
C+	11%	18%	14%	15%
С	17%	11%	11%	16%
C-	3%	5%	3%	4%
D+	3%	3%	2%	1%
D	3%	0%	1%	1%
D-	1%	0%	1%	1%
E	0%			0%

Data Source: SACE School Data Reports, as of February 2023 for 2020-2022. 2023 SACE results are School supplied data. When there are less than six students, no data is supplied. Due to rounding of percentages, total results may not add up to 100%.

SACE Completion - Percentage of completers out of those students who had the potential to complete their SACE in October that year

2020	2021	2022	2023
96%	97%	94%	97%

Data Source: SACE School Data Reports, as of February 2023 for 2020-2022. 2023 SACE results are School supplied data. When there are less than six students, no data is supplied. Due to rounding of percentages, total results may not add up to 100%.

Year 12 Students undertaking Vocational or Trade Training (VET)

	2021	2022	2023
Percentage of Year 12 students undertaking Vocational Training or Trade Training			20%
Percentage of Year 12 students attaining a Year 12 certificate or equivalent VET qualification			97%

Data Source: School supplied data

School Attendance

Year Level	2021	2022	2023
Year 07		86.0%	83.6%
Year 08	86.1%	81.5%	83.9%
Year 09	88.9%	84.4%	82.3%
Year 10	85.5%	86.2%	86.0%
Year 11	85.5%	89.4%	90.1%
Year 12	91.3%	84.7%	94.4%
Secondary Other		77.4%	100.0%
Total	87.3%	85.4%	86.8%

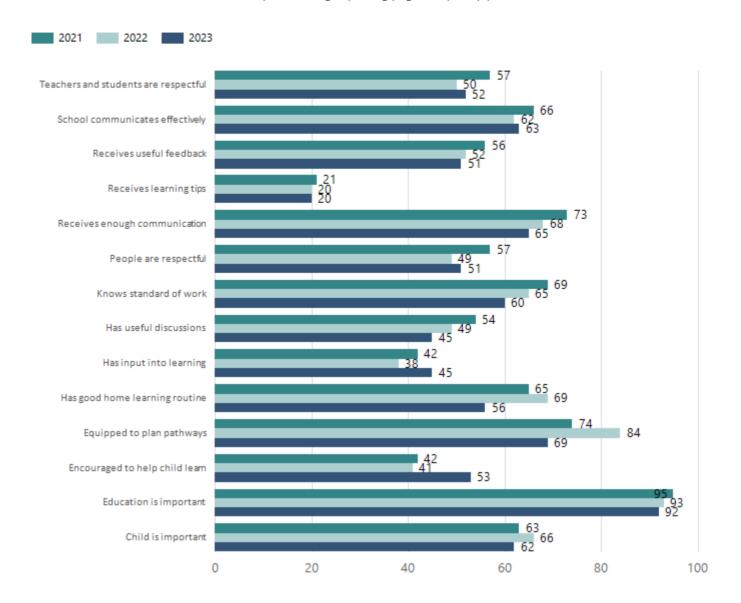
Data Source: Department for Education Attendance Data, Semester 1 Report 2023. A blank cell indicates there we no students enrolled. 'Primary Other' includes students enrolled in specialised education options. 'Secondary Other' includes students who have already spent a year at Year 12 and elected to undertake further study at Year 12.

Attendance Comment

In South Australia, all children and young people must be in school from 6 years to 16 years old. They must attend a government or non-government school full time. From age 16 to 17 however, young people must attend school or an approved learning program (such as an apprenticeship, traineeship, accredited course or university). Schools and parents must encourage and support students to come to school every day. Parents and caregivers must make sure their child is enrolled in a school, and attends school all day and everyday it is open, unless a child is sick or has an approved exemption. Teachers and leaders actively follow up when a student misses school, including recording all absences and non-attendance. All schools in South Australia have local attendance procedures governed under the Education and Children's Services Regulations 2020.

Parent Opinion Survey Results

Proportion of agree/strongly agree response(%)



Data Source: 2023 Department for Education Parent Opinions Survey, Term 3 2023.

Intended Destination

Leave Reason	Number	%
NG - ATTENDING NON-GOV SCHOOL IN SA	7	17.0%
OV - LEFT SA FOR OVERSEAS	3	7.0%
PE - PAID EMPLOYMENT IN SA	10	24.0%
QL - LEFT SA FOR QLD	4	10.0%
SM - SEEKING EMPLOYMENT IN SA	5	12.0%
TG - TRANSFERRED TO SA GOVERNMENT SCHOOL	9	21.0%
U - UNKNOWN	2	5.0%

Data Source: Department for Education Destination Data Report, 2023. Data extract term 3 2023. Data shows recorded destinations for students that left the school in the previous year. Data is uploaded by schools in term 3 and may not reflect final or total figures at time of report creation.

Highest Qualifications held by the teaching workforce and workforce composition

All teachers at this school are qualified and registered with the SA Teachers Registration Board.

Qualification Level	Number of Qualifications	
Bachelor's degrees or Diplomas	25	
Postgraduate Qualifications	12	

Data Source: Data extracted from Mandatory Workforce Information Collections as on the last pay date of June 2023. As self-reported by staff in the system.

Please note: Data includes staff who are Actively employed and on extended paid leave. Please note only the highest qualification of the Teaching staff is reported. Excludes any number of other certifications earned.

Workforce composition including indigenous staff

	Teaching Staff		Non-Teaching Staff	
	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous	Indigenous	Non-Indigenous
Full-Time Equivalents	0.0	35.7	1.3	16.6
Persons	0.0	38.0	3.0	19.0

Data Source: Data extracted from Mandatory Workforce Information Collection as on the last pay date of June 2023.

Please note: Data includes staff who are actively employed and on extended paid leave.

Financial Statement

Funding Source	Amount
Grants: State	\$33,100
Grants: Commonwealth	\$20,000
Parent Contributions	\$214,692
Fund Raising	\$4,544
Other	\$135,495.84

Data Source: School supplied data.

[&]quot;Indigenous category" is self-reported by staff in the system.



2023 Governing Council Report

Another school year has drawn to a close and once again, the year has presented plenty of challenges for the staff, students, families and wider community of our school. From the flood recovery to the recent economic pressures that high inflation has placed on us, as a community we have certainly felt the hardship.

It was pleasing to see the enduring spirit of all who have persevered despite these difficult conditions and in doing so, showing great resilience and determination to succeed and achieve despite the hurdles facing us.

The staff of the school has to be acknowledged for all the hard work they have put in this year. It has been a particularly difficult time for the school leadership group to fill teaching positions and staff have taken on additional responsibilities to cover those gaps. There have been some notable achievements by many of our students over the year, with many of these recognised in this magazine.

This year also saw some great initiatives being brought onto the school campus. The Paediatric Clinic, sponsored by the Renmark Medical Clinic, and the inaugural assessment days with Flinders University attending at the school and inviting senior students to be assessed along methodologies other than an ATAR score, creating another pathway for students to obtain tertiary education.

A big thank you to our Governing Council members Megan Petersen, Kerril Vowles, Deanne Flaherty, Andrea Logos, Karen DiCerbo, Sally Kroemer, Laura Strout, Sean Leesue and Kimberly Wegner. Also, to David Sims our Local Council representative, and staff members, Wayne Elliott, Jasmine Sotiroulis and principal, Mat Evans.

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Darren Bussenschutt Governing Council Chairperson

