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## Nationally Consistent Collection of Data School Students with Disability

### INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

The College will participate in the Nationally Consistent Collection of Data (NCCD) this year.

The NCCD is an annual collection of data that all schools in Australia participate in. Through this collection, data is collected about the number of school students with a disability and the level of reasonable adjustments with which they are provided. Under the Education Act, schools are required to report this information required for NCCD to the Australian Government.

Protecting the privacy and confidentiality of our students is important to us. We do not disclose any student names or any specific information about your student to any authority. If you have any questions, please access the public information notice at [www.education.gov.au/notices](http://www.education.gov.au/notices) or contact **Mrs Lawler (Junior School) or Mrs Smythe (Senior School)**.

#### **A Message for All Parents and Carers in the College.**

The Learning Support Team advises staff of any specific requirements that your student may need. Any information that you have forwarded to the College about your student is shared routinely with the relevant staff at the beginning of the year so that we can suggest appropriate teaching strategies to best help any students with specific needs. We also routinely complete some simple assessments on many of our students in each year group in order to provide up to date strategy information for teachers, government censuses, and in the Senior School, to gauge eligibility for Disability Provisions provided during examination periods.

We recognise the sensitivity of this information and assure you that it will be shared discretely

with teachers. Any shared information will be kept securely and appropriately by teachers and stored according to legislative requirements.

Please recognise that sharing this information is essential if we are to address the learning needs of our students. We appreciate it when parents and caregivers regularly forward updated information regarding their son or daughter as it assists us to cater to each student's requirements.

We thank you for your co-operation and please feel free to contact Learning Support at any time.

**Mrs Narelle Lawler (Junior School Learning Support) or Mrs Julie Smythe (Senior School Learning Support)**

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