



### Acknowledgement of Country

We respectfully acknowledge the Kaurna, Ngangaruku and the Narungga people, traditional custodians of the lands where Prince Alfred College, Scotts Creek and Wambana are located, and we honour their enduring care for this land for over 60,000 years. Guided by their wisdom and connection to country, we aspire to uphold our College values of respect, excellence, belonging and endeavour.



## Introduction

Prince Alfred College's 2025 – 2028 Strategic Plan provides the College Council and Executive with the scope and mandate to be ambitious in our plans for the future of boys' education, whilst continuing to honour our past.

Critical to our Strategic Plan has been the consultative approach to the development of our Vision and Values that will be embedded into all we do at the College. Our Values of Respect, Excellence, Belonging and Endeavour underscore what our community stands for and the hopes we have for our boys' future.

There has never been a more exciting time to be a student at Prince Alfred College. Our teachers understand the importance of establishing the foundational numeracy and literacy skills, and they are embracing the pedagogical opportunities that bring measurable benefits as we prepare our boys for the challenges that lie ahead. The employability of our graduates over the coming decades will require increased creativity, technical skills, and social and emotional intelligence as they navigate the opportunities and challenges of the future of work, community, the environment and the planet. The skills our boys will require are learnt in equal part, in, and outside of the classroom, and Prince Alfred College is uniquely equipped to capitalise on this through our programs and stated purpose - We nurture each boy to develop into well-rounded young men of good character who are prepared to contribute positively to society.

We will report annually on our strategic projects to the community with the understanding that these projects and the six Strategic Priorities they sit under will evolve over the next four years as we work with the latest thinking in education and the developments in our rapidly changing world. Critical to the success of this Strategic Plan are the exceptional people in our school.

Prince Alfred College is well positioned to deliver on our vision to be the leading educator of boys with exceptional people, programs and facilities. We look forward to working closely with our community to achieve this in the coming years.

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**Richard Hockney** *Chair of College Council* 

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David Roberts Headmaster



## **Our Vision**

To be the leading educator of boys with exceptional people, programs and facilities.

### **Our Purpose**

We nurture each boy to develop into well-rounded young men of good character, who are prepared to contribute positively to society.

### **Our Values**

#### Respect

We respect ourselves, those around us and our environments.

### Excellence

We achieve our personal best in everything we do.

### Belonging

We ensure every member of our school community feels welcome and connected.

**Endeavour** We are curious, courageous and will rise to a challenge.



## **Our** Learning Framework



**66** *My* son is encouraged to do his best in all aspects of life. The encouragement to be the best young man he can be. 99

Secondary School parent



# 1. Young men of good character

To develop responsible and well-rounded young men who each make a meaningful contribution to society.

- Develop further the journey of every Prince Alfred College student, ensuring it is tailored to meet each stage of their education and life.
- Provide a broad range of experiences and opportunities through the House, Co-curricular, Leadership and Service programs.
- Foster, guide and model positive character traits through a comprehensive pastoral and wellbeing program tailored to each stage of a boy's development.



## 2. Research-informed education

To engage with evidence-based research to improve our educational practice in all areas.

- Develop teacher effectiveness by engaging with leading practices in education to enhance outcomes for our boys.
- Develop further our data analytics capability to track student progress and improve academic outcomes.
- Expand on the educational opportunities that inspire and equip our students, staff and wider community for the future.



## 3. Engaged and inclusive community

To sustain a welcoming, thriving and diverse community that promotes a sense of belonging.

- Promote a culture of inclusion among all members of our community.
- Enhance communication to inform and engage our community where and when they want it.
- Develop strategies to foster a deep sense of connection and belonging among all members of our community.

# 4. Inspiring facilities and environments

To provide facilities and environments that represent the highest level of functionality and design to amplify our students' learning and wellbeing.

- Build inspiring and flexible learning, play, and community spaces.
- Through considered stewardship, ensure new facilities and the refurbishments of current facilities are undertaken to the highest standards to cater for current and future needs.
- Identify opportunities throughout the College campus to honour and celebrate our history and heritage.





We chose PAC for the great facilities, excellent teachers, strong leadership and focus on educating boys.

Preparatory School parent

my feelings matter



## 5. Leader in sustainability

### To pursue leading practice in sustainability in all its forms.

- Continuously improve our Environmental, Social and Governance (ESG) performance in all aspects of our operations.
- Further develop our endowment and fundraising strategy to support our infrastructure, staff development and scholarship programs.
- Maintain prudent long term fiscal management in line with College vision and operational capacity and capability.



## 6. Exceptional people

To provide a working environment which enables all our staff to thrive.

- Implement a range of strategies to identify and attract the best staff.
- Enhance the employee experience throughout the College and ensure we promote and grow a culture of equity and inclusion.
- Build a culture of focussed professional learning and leadership development based on collaboration, innovation, and creativity.

## **Major Affiliations**

Uniting Church of Australia International Baccalaureate Organisation International Boys' Schools Coalition Association of Independent Schools South Australia







Fac fortia et patere. Do brave deeds and endure.

