



## POOWONG CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL

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### An Insight into Poowong Consolidated School

Dear parents and carers,

Welcome to **Poowong Consolidated School**! Our school takes pride in offering an evidence-based, holistic approach to education that focuses on explicit instruction for English and Mathematics, intervention tutoring, inside and outdoor well-being programs, small class sizes, one-to-one computer/i-Pad devices to accelerate learning in computer science, and a hands-on approach to learning Science and Sustainability both inside and outside the classroom.



First and foremost, we place a strong emphasis on explicit instruction for English and Mathematics, based on evidence-based best practice. Our experienced and dedicated teachers use proven techniques to ensure that every student receives the support they need to succeed in these critical areas.

We also offer evidence-based intervention tutoring for students who need extra support. Our teachers work closely with students to identify areas where they need additional help

and provide targeted, personalized tutoring to address those needs.

In addition to academic support, we prioritize the well-being of our students with both inside and outdoor well-being programs. We recognize that a healthy mind and body are essential for academic success, so we offer a variety of activities and programs to promote physical activity, mindfulness, and emotional well-being.

We maintain small class sizes to ensure that every student receives the individual attention and support they need to thrive. Our teachers are able to provide personalized instruction and feedback to each student, helping them to achieve their full potential.



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We have recently purchased 80 new netbooks that provides PCS students one-to-one (1:1) computing access to use an electronic device in order to access the internet, digital course materials, 'Google Workspace for Education' and to accelerate their learning in Computer Science. We recognize the importance of technology in today's world, and we want our students to have the skills they need to succeed in the digital age.



Finally, we offer a hands-on approach to learning Science and Sustainability both inside and outside the classroom. We believe that students learn best when they can experience and engage with the world around them, so we incorporate a variety of hands-on activities and projects into our Science and Sustainability curriculum.

Thank you for reading an insight to Poowong Consolidated School. We hope you've gained a better understanding of our evidence-based, holistic approach to education and all the benefits that come with it. If you have any questions or would like to learn more, please don't hesitate to ask our staff or schedule a follow-up visit.

Please feel free to call our Principal, Mr Michael Smethurst on: (03) 5659 2356 or 0413 319 492 or email Michael on [michael.smethurst@education.vic.gov.au](mailto:michael.smethurst@education.vic.gov.au) for a guided tour of the school.