



**St Aidan's Anglican Girls' School**  
*confidence and success*

10 November 2017

Dear Parents and Guardians

As we approach the end of another busy year for the School and our community, it is timely to reflect on our achievements and put in place plans for the new year.

The last 12-18 months have seen significant investment in capital facilities at St Aidan's with the completion of The Link. This \$4.7m project has delivered leading edge creative workspaces that cater for the changing needs of education, while providing our students development opportunities in IT capability, critical and creative thinking and literacy.

As we move into 2018, we will continue to maintain our focus on achieving excellent academic outcomes for our girls. In relation to capital projects, the School will continue our development through enhancement of the landscaping and external areas surrounding The Link, consolidation of our financial position and preparation for the next round of significant capital investment in 2019.

### **Fee Increase for 2018**

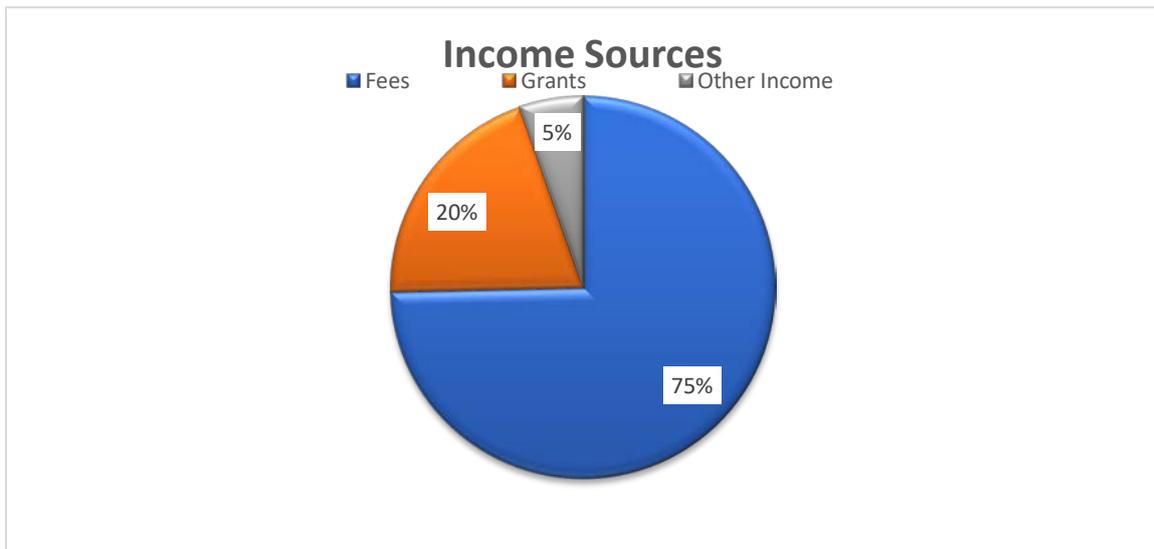
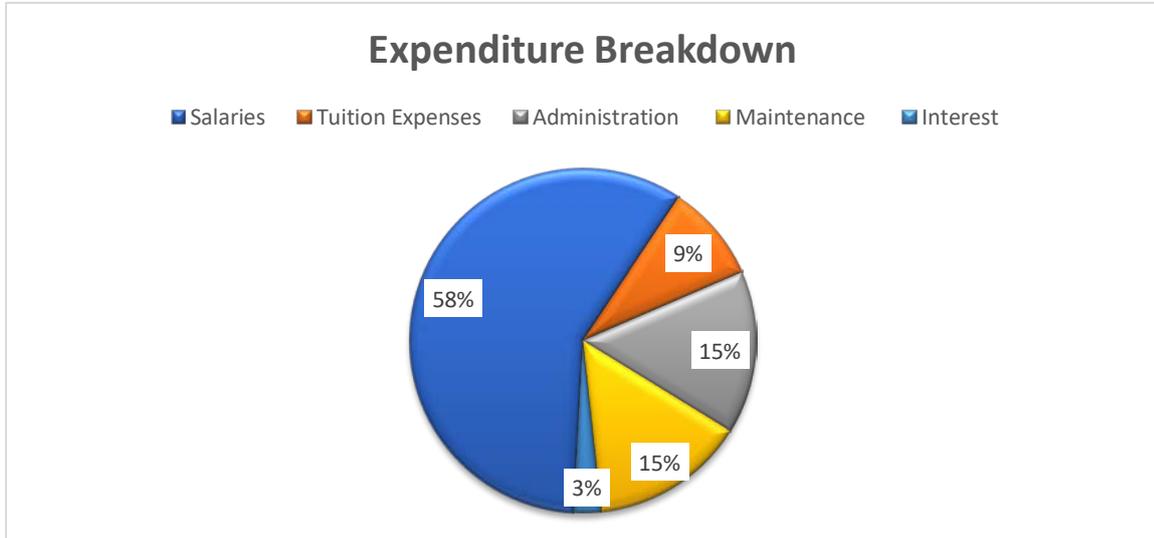
School Council remains cognizant of the cost-of-living pressures facing our families, and we have again worked with the Senior Leadership Team to ensure our fee increases for 2018 remain low. With an average increase of 2.6%, I believe this will be among the lowest fee increases among comparable Independent schools within the region. This will continue the trend that has been established over recent years whilst ensuring that the quality of teaching staff and facilities at St Aidan's remains at the highest levels.

For those intending to pay the full year's fees in advance, you will receive a 3% discount on the tuition charge when payment is received by 23 January 2018.

If you have any queries about the attached fee schedule for 2018, please contact the Finance Office on 3373 5931 or [FeesInquiry@ssa.qld.edu.au](mailto:FeesInquiry@ssa.qld.edu.au)

## Operations

For your information, details regarding the Schools' expected operational income and expenditure for 2018 are shown in the figures below:



On behalf of the School Council, thank you for your support of St Aidan's. I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all the very best for the remainder of the year and a safe and happy holiday season.

Yours sincerely

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