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Australian International Islamic College Darwin



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Acknowledgement of the country

We acknowledge the traditional custodians, the Larrakia people, of the land on which Australian International Islamic College, Darwin stands. We pay our respects to their Elders past, present and future. We remain committed to working together to care for this land. Darwin is a place that welcomes and values people of every kind.

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The following information regarding the Australian International Islamic College – Darwin Campus is published annually in compliance obligations under national funding legislation.



ABOUT AIIC

Welcome to the Australian International Islamic College Darwin. The Australian International Islamic College Darwin started its operations in 2022 as a nationally accredited co-educational Primary School situated in the suburb of Berrimah. The school enrols students in each year level from Transition to Year 6.

The Australian International Islamic College Darwin Campus provides a high-quality Islamic education, combining traditional Islamic values and culture with modern teaching methods and technology to ensure students receive an exceptional education.

Under the stewardship of the Founder Imam Abdul-Quddoos Azhari, The Australian International Islamic College Darwin Campus is proud of its affiliation with The Australian International Islamic College Brisbane where there are four different campuses and more than 1300 students. There are strong connections between the five schools. The Australian International Islamic College Darwin Campus shares a common curriculum and the same senior leadership across all schools.

Established on a foundation of Islamic values and beliefs, students at Australian International Islamic College Darwin Campus are taught to apply their faith to all areas of their lives, including their studies, interactions with peers, staff and the wider community.





PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Islamic schools are among the fastest growing schools in Australia. In Islam, great importance is given to education and knowledge. The Holy Quran says, "Allah will exalt those of you who believe and those who have knowledge to high degrees" (Surah 58:11). In Islamic pedagogy, knowledge is balanced by spiritual, social and ethical teachings from the Quran. That is why our vision is to deliver a holistic and universal education that develops the mind, body and soul of our students.

To navigate an uncertain future and changing world, the demand for a world class education will continue to grow. We expect every child to show a year's growth in learning for each year of teaching. Let's call this visible learning. It takes an interested and motivated teacher, high expectations, a challenging curriculum, effective classroom management, regular feedback, explicit and personalised instruction, additional learning support and focused study habits for a student to reach their full academic potential every year.

Our students are joined in their journey by qualified, experienced and inspirational teachers. We provide a rich variety of co-curricular activities to foster experiential learning, community service and leadership. Our aim is for students to develop the character and learn the habits that will last a lifetime to become optimistic, tolerant and responsible Australian citizens. Leaders are made, not born, at the Australian International Islamic College.

I look forward to welcoming you in person to this great school.

Sincerely, Andrew Taylor Principal



OUR MISSION

To provide unwavering commitment to the delivery of excellence in education and development of good character in our students for the benefit of Australia in particular and in general to the whole world.

OUR MOTTO

"Excellence in Education, Character and Service"

OUR PEOPLE

- 01 Principal Andrew Taylor
- 02 Deputy Principal Dr. Raihana Ferdous
- 03 Head of Primary Ursula Muncaster
- 04 Assistant Head of Primary Bibi Hussein
- 05 Head of Operations Mohsin Khan
- 06 Campus Coordinator Ridha Ridwan
- 07 Teacher Vinsky Angela Rzepka
- 08 Teacher Nazmeen Qadir
- 09 Teacher aide Nauli Permata
- 10 Administration Officer/ Teacher Aide Laila Khan
- 11 Teacher Imam Mohammad Shukron Nadjamuddin
- 12 Groundsman Lloyd Steward



Characteristics of the student body

On Census Day, 4th August 2023 AIIC Darwin had an enrolment of 37 students (Transition to Year 6), of whom 19 were boys and 18 were girls. Attendance is recorded daily in assembly at in every lesson.

Year	Boys	Girls	Total	Attendance (%)
Transition	3	1	4	
Year 1	3	5	8	94.02
Year 2	2	3	5	90.43
Year 3	4	6	10	93.72
Year 4	3	2	5	94.35
Year 5	2	0	2	94.57
Year 6	2	1	3	86.24
Total	19	18	37	92.22%



Student achievements

Australian International Islamic College Darwin has a rich educational and co-curricular calendar including activities such as Assembly, Parent Teacher meetings, Termly Award ceremonies, Quran Reciting Competition, Sports Day, Harmony Day, Camping and Library day. One of our students received the 2023 Northern Territory Student Citizen of the Year Award.

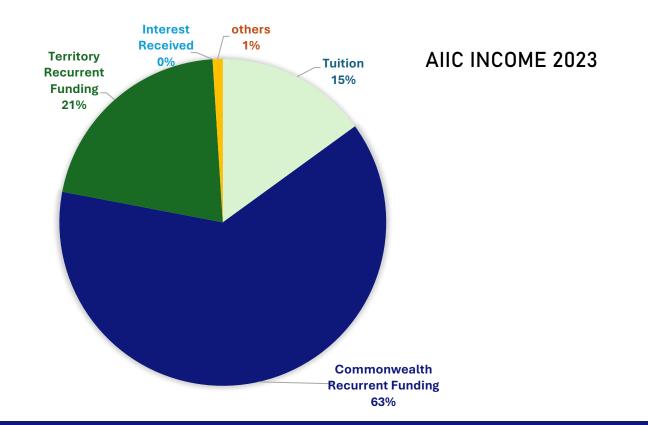
Our students in Darwin campus in comparison to students with a similar background show that some attention is needed for its NAPLAN results. A recommendation for better results would be is to provide additional resources and more professional development to enhance the results of students.

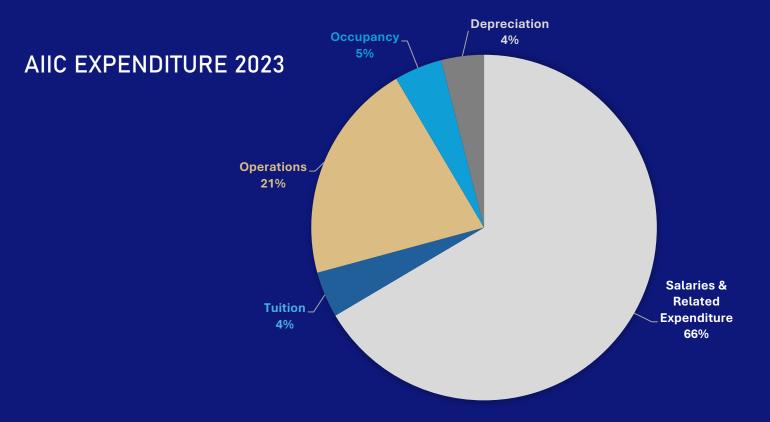
	READING	WRITING	SPELLING	GRAMMAR	NUMERACY
AIIC 2023 DARWIN YEAR	380	408	391	378	370
3 AVERAGE					
STUDENTS WITH SIMILAR	391	415	396	394	388
BACKGROUND 2023					



FINANCIAL REPORT

The graphs below show a visual summary of the College's income and expenditure in 2023.









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