

# ST LUCY'S SCHOOL

In the Catholic Dominican tradition. A community enriched by difference; inspiring learning for a life of purpose.



St Lucy's School K/2 Satellite Class • Santa Sabina College, Strathfield



## WHY ST LUCY'S SATELLITE CLASS AT SANTA SABINA?



In addition to our main campus at Wahroonga, St Lucy's School has K-2 satellite classes located on the primary campus at Santa Sabina College, Strathfield. Satellite class students participate in a specialised educational program within their classroom, and benefit from all the social opportunities that a mainstream campus can offer.

Santa Sabina College and St Lucy's School are Catholic, Dominican, independent schools who share our commitment to holistic education and the persuit of Truth "Veritas".

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The St Lucy's School Satellite Program is for students who will benefit from a small size class (up to 10 students) with specialised teaching, and whose goal is to transition to a mainstream school.

St Lucy's students who are enrolled in our satellite classes are also connected to our main campus and visit to participate in special occasions like feast days, liturgies, concerts, carnivals and more.

St Lucy's satellite class at Santa Sabina College provides opportunities for students to extend their social and independence skills with their mainstream peers. St Lucy's satellite students integrate with mainstream peers on the playground, at mass and assembly and do specialist lessons in music, art, PE, library and DigiTech.

#### Personalised Education

Our students are all individuals and we encourage their potential. In collaboration with parents, our educators structure individual educational and social goals for your child, celebrating their individuality, independence, strengths and natural desire to learn.

#### **Balanced education**

St Lucy's students have a wide range of abilities, interests and needs. The curriculum is designed to give students a breadth of education while also having the flexibility to meet the individual abilities, needs and interests of each student including the adjustments that they require to participate fully in their educational journey.



St Lucy's School has a balanced approach to teaching and learning, involving both explicit methods and more child-centred approaches to maximise student learning. Explicit teaching is utilised across all Key Learning Areas. St Lucy's School has a social learning model i.e. students learn within a group, learning from and with one another and staff.

### **Student Care and Support**

Your child's happiness and wellbeing while learning with us is of utmost importance. St Lucy's satellite class staff work in collaboration with our expert therapy team which includes occupational therapists, speech pathologists and psychologists to ensure that our students get the most from what the curriculum and their school life offers.

## A community approach to learning

At St Lucy's School, we view education as a partnership with parents and we provide extra services to our families, including:

- Weekly wellbeing sessions focused on Social and Emotional Learning (SEL)
- Collaboration with educators and therapists to develop an Individual Education Plan (IEP) for students
- Access to our Family Support Worker
- Workshops for parents and the wider community delivered by educators and our Therapy Team.



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## ST LUCY'S SCHOOL AT SANTA SABINA - THE BEST OF BOTH WORLDS

St Lucy's School satellite classes provide a unique opportunity for students to experience the best of both worlds as they combine the benefits of a specialised education with the experience of mainstream school life.

"I am writing to express my heartfelt gratitude for the exceptional care and support my son received during his time in the satellite class. Those years were transformative for Tim, particularly in the development of his social and academic skills. Since transitioning to mainstream education, Tim has adapted remarkably well."

- > Experience the best of both worlds
- > Specialised educational program
- Social opportunities
- > Small class sizes with teacher's aide support
- Working towards a transition
- > Inclusion in Santa Sabina & St Lucy's School events
- Collaborate with teachers on an Individual Education Plan
- > St Lucy's School Fees Apply

St Lucy's parent

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