

## **CHAPLAINCY**

National Schools Chaplaincy Program provides funding to schools to access the services of a school Chaplain or student welfare worker. Nathan Holland has been employed as our school Chaplain under this funding. As a Christian school, we see the role of the Chaplain as complimentary to broader vision of the school. As well as offering pastoral care and spiritual guidance, the Chaplain is able to contribute towards our Chapel programs in Junior & Secondary School, and our extensive camp program.

Any student is welcome to seek pastoral care or spiritual guidance from the Chaplain and does so on a voluntary basis. They are under no obligation to meet with the Chaplain and can opt out at any time. WCCS sees great value in accessing the services offered under this program. During the fourth term of each year, our community is invited to participate in an online survey. Part of this survey provides opportunity to feedback regarding satisfaction with the chaplaincy service.

As with any other staff member of WCCS, any complaints or grievances regarding the chaplain should be made in line with the school's grievance policy.