

SCHOOL WEBSITE INFORMATION REGARDING SRE FROM DoE SUPPORT MATERIALS:

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/curriculum/learning-across-the-curriculum/religion-and-ethics/support-materials/school-website-suggested-text>

Special Religious Education (SRE): Combined Christian SRE

Combined Christian SRE (Scripture) classes are taught by trained and authorised teachers from different Christian denominations and churches. In the Coffs Harbour region SRE teachers are authorised and cross-authorised by:

- Australian Christian Churches - <https://www.nswacc.org.au/>
- Baptist Union of NSW - <https://nswactbaptists.org.au/>
- Christian Community Churches of Australia - <https://ccaustnsw.com/>
- Churches of Christ in NSW (Fresh Hope) - <https://freshhope.org.au/>
- Presbyterian Church of Australia (NSW) - <https://pynsw.org.au/>
- Seventh-Day Adventist Church North NSW Conference - <https://nsw.adventist.org.au/>
- Uniting Church in Australia (NSW Synod) - <https://nswact.uca.org.au/>
- Wesleyan Methodist Church of Australia <https://wesleyan.org.au/new-southwales/>
- Christian Outreach Centre (The International Network of Churches) - <https://inc.org.au/>
- Anglican Diocese of Grafton - <https://www.graftondiocese.org.au/>
- The Church of the Foursquare Gospel Australia - <https://foursquareaustralia.org/>

The curriculums used in the schools across the Coffs Harbour region are:

- GodSpace (authorised by Baptist Union of NSW) <https://nswactbaptists.org.au/authorised-sre-curriculum/>
- and in some schools for yr 6 only Big Questions: Connect (authorised by Anglican Diocese of Sydney) <https://cepconnect.com.au/curriculum>

Both curriculums are based on the Good News about Jesus Christ and learning the key elements of our Christian life and culture. Christian SRE engages students in conversations as they question life, explore values and discover faith.

The combined arrangement across the schools in the Coffs Harbour region is facilitated by Coffs Coast Schools Ministry Inc. www.ccsm.org.au