

Holy Cross Mickleham

Welcome to the new information page for Holy Cross Primary School, Mickleham.

Welcome to Holy Cross Mickleham. My name is Mark Miatello and I am honoured and privileged to have been appointed as the foundation principal for Holy Cross, Mickleham.

By way of introduction, I am first and foremost a husband and father of three teenage children. I am a committed Catholic educator who has been working in the northern region schools for more than twenty. In my roles, I have always valued that a Catholic school provides us with opportunities to worship together, to pass on the rich traditions of the Catholic faith to the students entrusted to our care and their families, living the call of 'who I am and how I can be in the world'.

I am looking forward to the opportunity to work with a vibrant multicultural community, offering a dynamic, comprehensive and evidenced based curriculum that meets the needs of all of our students and their families.

Holy Cross will be the fifth school in the Parish of Our Lady's Craigieburn and is located on the corner of St Georges and Blackmore Roads, Mickleham. We are due to open our doors to students and families at the beginning of the 2022 school year. Our first stage of construction is due to commence in the coming weeks, with completion in early December 2021.

Central to my belief, is the importance of community. Holy Cross Mickleham will be a hub for our local community, where there will be a sense of our school as a place of beauty and wonder. We will exist to serve and work for our community. We will foster a rich interconnection between our families, the school and the parish, to improve student learning outcomes, and prepare our students for lifelong learning in the 21st century.

I look forward to working with all of you to develop and promote a new educational philosophy, for what will be a Christ-centred, child safe, innovative and state-of-the-art school.

Throughout the year, I will post updates on the progress of the development of Holy Cross Mickleham, along with details of information sessions, community events and other relevant information.

This information will hopefully be posted on our soon to be launched website.

I invite you to join me on this exciting project.

I am currently based at Oscar Romero Primary school, 1 Mackillop St, Craigieburn VIC 3064.

Please feel free to pop in and have a chat if you have any questions or are seeking further information.

I can be contacted on 7379 5532 or on principal@hcmickleham.catholic.edu.au.

With every blessing
Mark