

Media Release

Catholic Schools NSW welcomes once in a generation reform

Catholic Schools NSW welcomes the NSW Government's commitment to a full-year of universal pre-kindergarten in NSW by 2030.

Catholic Schools NSW CEO, Dallas McInerney said that this is potentially the biggest reform to the education sector in a generation.

"This is an investment in the children of New South Wales by helping them better transition to school and establish important foundations for their learning," Mr McInerney said.

"The government has prioritised education in this budget and that is good news for the students of NSW."

Mr McInerney said that Catholic Schools NSW looks forward to working with the government on these reforms.

"We are ready to engage with the government to bring our existing expertise and experience in early childhood education."

"We look forward to partnering with the government for the implementation of this once in a generation reform."

Catholic Schools NSW currently has approximately 19,000 kindergarten students in 443 schools across NSW, making the sector the second biggest educator of this cohort.

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