



Media Release

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St Catherine's Catholic College welcomes new principal

The community at St Catherine's Catholic College is pleased to welcome Luke Thomson as their new Principal in 2020. Mr Thomson brings a wealth of education knowledge and experience in senior leadership roles in secondary schools.

He has joined St Catherine's from St Augustine's College, a prep to year 12 College in Brisbane, where he held the position of Assistant Principal – Administration for five and a half years. During this time he has also held the positions of Principal (acting) and Head of School (acting).

"The first thing I noticed about St Catherine's was the friendly staff and students, and the beautiful new facilities. These factors combined, made for a welcoming first impression," Mr Thomson said.

"St Catherine's is a place where the students are the priority and the teachers are really inspired to support the students in reaching their potential."

Executive Director of Townsville Catholic Education, Jacqui Francis welcomed Mr Thomson at the New Principals' Induction, which was held in Townsville in January.

"Luke brings a really positive, community focus to the College and we are pleased that we can have such an experienced leader to start the new year," said Jacqui.

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