

Curriculum Framework

Advice to principals regarding MACS board-approved policies and forms – November 2025



Melbourne Archdiocese
Catholic Schools

The MACS board and executive director have approved changes in the Curriculum Framework and associated policies, templates, procedures and forms following review of the framework.

Principals should note or action the following:

- all board-approved policies and associated documents are labelled v [version number].0 – [year of approval], e.g. v2.0 – 2025
- the current, approved policy version must be used by schools/colleges and published on the school/college website where indicated
- policies/documents must be contextualised by the school/college where indicated
- existing school policies/documents should be checked to ensure they are the current, approved versions
- do not remove the footer from documents
- actions must be completed by the dates indicated below. If no date is indicated the change should be made as soon as practicable.

Board-approved document name	Previous version or document (if different to the board-approved document)	Change	Actions required
Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Policy for MACS Schools – 2025	Assessment and Reporting Policy – Template for Schools – v2.0 – 2022 Curriculum Plan Overview – v2.0 – 2022	• Updated to align with Vision for Instruction and current requirements	• Principal to ensure the policy is published on the school website by 8 December 2025. • Principal to ensure the school community is aware of the new policy. • No requirement to contextualise
Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Overview for Parents and Carers – 2025	Curriculum Provision, Assessment and Reporting to Parents / Guardians / Carers– v2.0 – 2022	• Updated to align with current requirements	• Principal to ensure this document is published on the school website by 8 December 2025.



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			- Principal to ensure the school community is informed of the updated document. - School logo to be added to header prior to publication.
Assessment and Reporting Procedures Years F– 6 – 2025	Assessment and Reporting Procedures – v1.0 – 2021	- Aligned with Vision for Instruction - Allows schools to document school-based processes for assessment and monitoring student learning at the school, year and class level	- Primary school principals are to contextualise the procedure and ensure implementation by Term 1, 2026. - Principal to ensure all staff are familiar with the updated procedures. - School logo to be added to header. - Update Policy Information Table with school information where indicated - Internal procedure for school use. - No requirement for publication on school website.
Assessment and Reporting Procedures Years 7–10 – 2025	Assessment and Reporting Procedures – v1.0 – 2021	- Aligned with Vision for Instruction - Allows schools to document school-based processes for assessment and monitoring student learning at the school, year and class level	- Secondary principals are to contextualise the procedure and ensure it implementation by Term 1, 2026. - School logo to be added to header. - Update Policy Information Table with school information where indicated - Ensure all staff are familiar with the updated procedures. - Internal procedure for school use.

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Curriculum Procedures Years F– 6 – 2025	School Curriculum Plan Overview – v2.0 – 2022	- Aligned with Vision for Instruction - Allows schools to document their practices to develop and review curriculum at school, year and class level.	- Primary school principals are to contextualise the procedure and ensure it implementation by Term 1, 2026. - School logo to be added to header. - Update Policy Information Table with school information where indicated - Ensure all staff are familiar with the updated procedures. - Internal procedure for school use. - No requirement for publication on school website.
Curriculum Procedures Years 7 – 10 – 2025	School Curriculum Plan Overview – v2.0 – 2022	- Aligned with Vision for Instruction - Allows schools to document their practices to develop and review curriculum at school, year and class level.	- Secondary principals are to contextualise the procedure and ensure it implementation by Term 1, 2026. - School logo to be added to header. - Update Policy Information Table with school information where indicated - Ensure all staff are familiar with the updated procedures. - Internal procedure for school use. - No requirement for publication on school website.

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Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Procedures Years 11 – 12 – 2025	New		• Secondary principals are to contextualise the procedure and ensure it implementation by Term 1, 2026. • Ensure all staff are familiar with the new procedures. • School logo to be added to the document. • Update Policy Information Table with school information where indicated • Internal procedure for school use. • No requirement for publication on school website.