RATIONALE

Challenge & Opportunity provides all students with the opportunity to build and extend their strengths.

AIMS

- challenge students to use their complex thinking ability
- satisfy their curiosity
- provide opportunities for students to explore their areas of interest in depth
- introduce students to new ideas
- encourage students to explore new ways of learning
- provide opportunities for students to work with others of like minds

GUIDELINES

- Classroom teachers and specialist teachers will provide for the extension of learning through a range of activities.
- Programs will cater for the full range and diversity of the school’s student population in terms of interests and abilities, socio-cultural backgrounds and gender.
- Access to appropriate resources and organisations, to meet the teaching and learning needs, will be provided.

The Challenge & Opportunity Convenor will be responsible for the implementation, monitoring and review of this policy and program.

EVALUATION

- A range of evaluation strategies is outlined in the Teaching and Learning Policy
- This policy will be reviewed as part of the school’s three-year review cycle.

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