



Analysis of NAPLAN 2008

Kingsway congratulates its teachers and students for the success achieved in the 2008 National Assessment Programme in Literacy and Numeracy (NAPLAN).

NAPLAN is the Federal Government's initiative to compare national standards in Literacy (which encompasses reading, writing, Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar) and numeracy.

Of particular note are the excellent results achieved in Year 5 Reading where 44% of Kingsway's students are in the top 20% of the Nation. Also 41% of Kingsway's Year 5 Students are in the top 20% of the Nation for Punctuation and Grammar results. 36% of Kingsway's Year 6 students are in the top 20% of the Nation for Writing.

Kingsway Christian College NAPLAN 2009 – Top 20% of all Australian Schools					
YEAR	Reading	Writing	Spelling	Punctuation & Grammar	Numeracy
3	33%	31%	24%	24%	25%
5	44%	21%	28%	41%	30%
7	32%	36%	32%	26%	27%
9	23%	27%	23%	20%	11%

Kingsway Christian College NAPLAN 2009 – Above the National Minimum Standard					
YEAR	Reading	Writing	Spelling	Punctuation & Grammar	Numeracy
3	92%	93%	95%	91%	94%
5	95%	93%	90%	93%	92%
7	85%	85%	81%	82%	87%
9	80%	81%	81%	81%	78%

For those students who fall below the Minimum Standard Kingsway Christian College provides specialist support in literacy and numeracy to encourage students by assisting them towards their own personal best.

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Year 3	Reading	Writing	Spelling	Punctuation And Grammar	Numeracy
Nation Mean	400	416	400	403	397
State Mean	387	398	382	383	382
Like School Mean	402	407	393	397	390
Kingsway Mean	442	437	423	421	428
Percentage above the National Minimum Standard	92%	93%	95%	91%	96%
Year 5					
Nation Mean	484	486	484	496	476
State Mean	474	472	471	483	461
Like School Mean	496	491	484	509	482
Kingsway Mean	524	511	505	533	504
Percentage above the National Minimum Standard	95%		90%	93%	92%
Year 7					
Nation Mean	536	534	539	529	545
State Mean	527	522	527	515	534
Like School Mean	547	542	541	537	551
Kingsway Mean	560	562	555	561	563
Percentage above the National Minimum Standard	85%		82%	83%	88%
Year 9					
Nation Mean	578	569	577	569	582
State Mean	570	561	566	556	571
Like School Mean	606	597	594	594	609
Kingsway Mean	582	577	581	583	573
Percentage above the National Minimum Standard	78%	81%	80%	80%	77%

The above data shows that Kingsway performed above the **Nation and State** average in all areas of testing except for Numeracy (Year 9) where we were still above the State average.

The data also shows that Kingsway performed above **Like Schools** in all areas of testing except for Year 9 when we fell below this mean possibly due to our large Year 8 intake.