# Parent/Caregiver Survey

## Review of the Chaplaincy Service at Magill School

Dear Families,

**Katherine Shanahan** has been working as the Chaplain/Pastoral Care Worker (PCW) at Magill School for 12 months. We will shortly be conducting a review of this role. Gaining feedback from parents/caregivers is part of the Review.

The information gained from this survey will be:

1) Read by the review panel, including the Pastoral Care Worker. The panel consists of representatives from the school, local churches and Schools Ministry Group.
2) Used to assess and improve the effectiveness of the Chaplaincy Service in the school.

Your honest appraisal will help us to maximise the benefit of this program in supporting your school community. Please take a few moments to complete this brief survey and return it to _____ by _____. **Thanks for your help!**

1. a) What level of awareness do you have of the Pastoral Care Worker's Role? (Please circle)

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
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| Unaware | | Somewhat aware | | Very aware |

b) How have you been made aware of the role? (Please tick)

- ☐ Personal contact
- ☐ School newsletter
- ☐ From my child's interaction
- ☐ Promotional brochure
- ☐ Activity run by Pastoral Care Worker
- ☐ Word of mouth
- ☐ School web site information
- ☐ Other (please specify) _____ _____

2. What aspects of Katherine's role do you most appreciate, and/or are most beneficial to your school community?

- ☐ 1:1 student well-being support
- ☐ Small group student well-being support
- ☐ Pastoral support for staff
- ☐ Support for families
- ☐ Breakfast Club
- ☐ Organised lunchtime activities
- ☐ Specific well-being programs e.g. "What's the Buzz?"
- ☐ Classroom support/presence
- ☐ Other - please specify below:

3. What is the most significant change or difference in the school community you are aware of due to Katherine being in the role? In your answer, if applicable, you may like to indicate how katherine has made a difference to you and/or your child.

4. What would you like to see as a future direction for chaplaincy in our school?

SMG may wish to use your comments to publicize the benefits Pastoral Care Workers provide. Your identity will remain confidential. Please indicate here ☐ if you do **not** wish your comments to be used.