



AUSTRALIAN AWARDS FOR TEACHING EXCELLENCE

RECOGNISING AND REWARDING EXCELLENCE IN THE TEACHING PROFESSION



Coralie McAlister

MAJURA PRIMARY SCHOOL
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

HIGHLY COMMENDED
EXCELLENCE BY A PRINCIPAL

Dedication to collaboration to achieve common goals

Coralie McAlister has a strong philosophy of building capacity in her staff and the school community, promoting leadership and collaboration for better outcomes. With social justice at the forefront, Coralie has led the school community in developing comprehensive curriculum documentation with a strong focus on literacy and numeracy.

Within this curriculum, teachers plan and use integrated inquiry-based units incorporating strong Indigenous and multicultural perspectives. Her strategic use of data has resulted in the introduction of foundational literacy skills programs that have achieved admirable results. She has also involved the whole school community in revitalising the external environment, empowering parents to lead a successful sustainable living initiative.

Coralie's exceptional leadership skills have led to increased enrolments, strong staff satisfaction and retention, and an impressive level of community involvement.

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