



AUSTRALIAN AWARDS FOR TEACHING EXCELLENCE

RECOGNISING AND REWARDING EXCELLENCE IN THE TEACHING PROFESSION



Kelli McGraw

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HIGHLY COMMENDED
EXCELLENCE BY A BEGINNING TEACHER

Changing the culture of English teaching

Kelli McGraw's deep theoretical subject knowledge, and her enthusiastic participation in professional learning and research translate into highly effective classroom practice.

Her openness in sharing new perspectives inspires and reinvigorates colleagues. Her skill in the use of digital technologies and multimedia has transformed the English curriculum across the school. By connecting learning experiences to students' lives outside school she has dramatically improved learning outcomes for her diverse students.

Kelli models a profound love of learning and a strong sense of social responsibility. She actively demonstrates that dedication, innovation and striving for excellence bring great results for students. She firmly believes that the pursuit of excellence in education underpins successful participation in a global society.

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