

Yiyili Aboriginal Community School's STRATEGIC PLAN 2018-21

YACS's VISION

Educating our children on Gooniyandi country

YACS's PURPOSE

To educate the children of Yiyili and its surrounding communities

WE VALUE

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gooniyandi language and culture • Strong leadership and governance that is transparent and accountable • Community involvement in all aspects of school life • The fundamental role Aboriginal Education Workers play in the successful running of the school. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quality teaching and learning • A highly skilled teaching staff who ensure they deliver comprehensive, purposeful and differentiated teaching & learning. • Culturally informed practise and a whole school two-way approach to teaching and learning • Partnerships that bring value to our students' education |
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OUR GOALS

Students receive a strong, two-way education	Provide valued employment and quality professional training opportunities for Indigenous staff	Employment and retention of high quality teaching staff	Students are prepared for life
<p><i>Staff, family and communities work together to:</i></p> <p>Provide students with a strong education in an inclusive, supportive and culturally responsive environment.</p> <p>Support students to value traditional language and culture alongside learning in English, Mathematics, STEAM & other learning areas.</p> <p>Ensure that all members of Yiyili Aboriginal Community School support and value a whole school approach to two-way teaching.</p>	<p><i>Yiyili Aboriginal Community School aims to foster the professional development of AEWs by:</i></p> <p>Providing training opportunities for AEWs in order to continually upskill school workers from Yiyili and its outstation communities.</p> <p>Considering the need for career development opportunities for AEWs.</p> <p>Recognising the crucial support AEWs offer for students to feel comfortable within school grounds as well as a providing an important link between school and home.</p>	<p><i>Yiyili Aboriginal Community School ensures quality teaching and learning by:</i></p> <p>Recruiting high quality teaching staff</p> <p>Supporting teachers to deliver comprehensive, purposeful and differentiated teaching & learning.</p> <p>Support teachers to draw upon best educational practise, including STEAM subjects, in order to ensure excellent student outcomes.</p> <p>Increasing staff retention & longevity through job satisfaction and competitive terms and conditions.</p> <p>Requiring teaching staff to engage meaningfully in cultural awareness training as well as committing to learn from AEWs, families and community.</p>	<p><i>Yiyili Aboriginal Community School aims to prepare students for life by:</i></p> <p>Promoting the values of Prepare, Learn, Respect & Care for all staff, students and community members</p> <p>Tailoring learning so students have the necessary English, Maths and STEAM skills for life, including those that prepare them for work.</p> <p>Valuing vocational education for our secondary students in the areas of hospitality, tourism and hands on trades such as mechanical, carpentry training.</p>