

Friday 30 July 2021

Daggy Jumper Day – Friday 6 August



Daggy Jumper Day is an annual event that is held on the Friday of Homelessness Week (1-7 August). Daggy Jumper Day raises funds for Brisbane Youth Service to support young people experiencing homelessness. On Friday 6 August, BUSY School – Salisbury staff and students are encouraged to wear a daggy jumper/clothing and contribute a gold coin donation to support this worthy cause. We appreciate and understand that not all students/families will be able to contribute and still

encourage the wearing of a daggy jumper to raise awareness of homelessness of youth. If any families are wishing to donate additional funds please use this [link](#) for The BUSY School – Salisbury campus.

We're getting daggy to raise money for Brisbane Youth Service to support new futures for young people and young families at-risk or experiencing homelessness. You can help support them too. Together, we can ensure life-changing services and support continue to be available for Brisbane's most vulnerable young people when they need it most.

Employment Pathways Update



This week we saw two of our students begin their careers in school-based apprenticeship and traineeship after successfully completing work experience. We congratulate Tyler (Apprentice Cook) and Emmanuel (Trainee Electrical Engineer) in their new endeavours. Who knows maybe one day Tyler will be the Master Chef behind the scenes preparing your next meal, or Emmanuel will be drafting up the plans for all your electrical needs in your house or business? It all starts here.... Meanwhile we still have other students out on work experience and more in the pipeline...very exciting!!

What Parents/Carers Want – An Independent Schools Queensland Survey

Your experience of choosing our school is insightful. The BUSY School – Salisbury is interested to learn what was important to you and your family before and during your decision-making process, why you chose to send your young person to an independent special assistance school, and why you felt The BUSY School – Salisbury was different from the other schools you may have considered.

You are invited to complete The *What Parents Want – an Independent Schools Queensland Survey*. It is a longitudinal study that tracks multiple aspects of parents'/carers' decision-making, and the anonymous data can provide our school with insights to better understand and support prospective and new families in our community.

We'd like to ask you to complete this valuable survey (approx., 15-20 minutes)

<https://survey.alchemer.com/s3/6382128/WPW-2021> The survey will remain open until 17 September 2021.

The summary of findings from the survey will provide a framework for our school to continue to meet the needs of our parent/carers and give our leadership team a strong foundation to formulate future strategy. What Parents Want is longitudinal research that has been undertaken every three years since 2006 therefore the results are so valuable.

The BUSY School – Salisbury is committed to listening to our community and we appreciate your participation in this valuable survey.