

School	Location	Program Started	System of Education	Contact Number
Aquinas College www.aquinas.wa.edu.au	Salter Point	2015	Male Catholic Pre-kindy - Year 12	08 9450 0600
John Wollaston Anglican Community School www.jwacs.wa.edu.au	Camillo	2015	Co-educational Anglican Kindy - Year 12	08 9495 8150
Mazenod College www.mazenod.wa.edu.au	Lesmurdie	2019	Male Catholic Year 7 - Year 12	08 9291 1500
Mel Maria Catholic Primary School www.melmaria.wa.edu.au	Attadale	2008	Co-educational Catholic Kindy - Year 6	08 6330 0500
Newman College www.newman.wa.edu.au	Churchlands	1982	Co-educational Catholic Pre-kindy - Year 12	08 9204 9444
Servite College www.servite.wa.edu.au	Tuart Hill	1980	Co-educational Catholic Year 7 - Year 12	08 9444 6333
St Brigid's College www.stbrigids.wa.edu.au	Lesmurdie	1999	Co-educational Catholic Kindy - Year 12	08 9290 4200
St Luke's Catholic Primary School www.stlukeswoodvale.wa.edu.au	Woodvale	1989	Co-educational Catholic Kindy - Year 6	08 9309 2949
St Plus X Catholic Primary School www.stplusx.wa.edu.au	Manning	2003	Co-educational Catholic Kindy - Year 7	08 9450 2797
St Stephen's School www.ststephens.wa.edu.au	Carramar Duncraig	2001	Co-educational Uniting Church Pre-kindy - Year 12	08 9306 7100 08 9243 2100

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Depending on your child's eligibility, parts or all of our programs may be covered under the NDIS. Contact us for a personal discussion.

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Telethon Speech & Hearing

School Support for Children with a Hearing Loss



What is the School Support program?

Telethon Speech & Hearing runs support programs for students with a hearing loss at a network of primary and secondary schools around Perth.

The School Support program allows students with a hearing loss to take a full and active part in mainstream school life. Students attend mainstream classes whilst receiving support and individual assistance at the same time to ensure they do not fall behind.

Individual assistance may include extra language, speech, auditory and academic support tailored to individual needs.

Telethon Speech & Hearing's teacher and education assistants are based in each school and the oral programs are run in partnership with the mainstream schools.

Who may be eligible for the School Support program?

The School Support program is designed for oral children with a hearing loss.

Placements depend on availability within the integrating schools.

How can we help?

- Individual sessions with a Teacher of the Deaf, covering language, speech, listening, cognition and educational support.
- Access to a Speech Pathologist for testing and individual therapy.
- Access to a Psychologist for educational and social/emotional assessment plus some individual counselling.
- Access to Occupational Therapy assessment and program set up.
- Audiological management of hearing loss and equipment.
- Full Cochlear Implant support.
- Parent education sessions.
- Parent peer support.
- Individual parent/child and Teacher of the Deaf sessions.
- Individualised programs designed by a team of professionals plus the family.
- On site, specialist staff to support class teachers.
- Education Assistants and Notetakers available for in-class support.



How does the School Support program work?

Each school has a different mix of support, according to the needs of the students attending that school.

The high school programs use notetakers who attend classes with the hearing impaired students to make sure they understand what is being taught.

Along with classroom staff, there is a team of specialists based at the Telethon Speech & Hearing campus in Wembley including Audiologists, Speech Pathologists, Occupational Therapists and Psychologists who work together to support the school programs.

These specialist staff conduct assessments, run special programs and offer individual assistance where needed.

Parents are also an important part of each student's team. In the primary programs, we encourage parents to meet regularly with their child's Teacher of the Deaf to discuss progress and goals.