



Follow the Dream: Partnership for Success



At Newman SHS we want all our students to aim high and aspire to achieve in all aspects of life.

Follow the Dream: Partnership for Success (FTD:PFS) is a program which has been developed to assist our Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students in Years 7 to 12 to reach their full potential at school.

The program provides after-school tuition and individualised mentoring for high achieving students seeking to complete Year 12 and obtain university entry or undertake Vocational Education and Training (VET) in Schools pathways.

Follow the Dream provides assistance so that our students:

- achieve a WACE, VET certificates or university entry;
- attend school regularly;
- achieve high school grades and have high levels of literacy and numeracy;
- have a broad range of post-school education, training and employment options and opportunities; and
- have high self-expectations.

We also want our parents and communities to have high expectations, to be involved and to have pride in the success of their children.



The program's Enrichment Centre provides our students with:

- tutors to assist with homework, assignments, study skills and goal setting;
- a Documented Plan to assist each student to improve their results and work towards their future career;
- regular updates on academic performance;
- excursions to help develop study techniques, confidence and leaderships skills; and
- a safe and supportive environment to study after school, equipped with educational resources and computers.

WHO CAN APPLY

We encourage all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander students from Years 7 to 12, who have demonstrated a commitment to their education, to apply. Our successful applicants are required to have an excellent school attendance record and a commitment to trying their best at all times.

STUDENT COMMITMENT

By accepting a place in our program, our students commit to:

- attend the Enrichment Centre a minimum of two afternoons a week;
- maintain a high level of school attendance;
- maintain or improve their academic performance;
- be a leader and role model for others; and
- be available and engage in incursions, excursions and camps.

PARENT / GUARDIAN COMMITMENT

Parents / Guardians of students accepted into our program commit to:

- support and encourage their child to maintain their commitments to the program;
- attend regular progress meetings; and
- be involved in program events and activities.

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