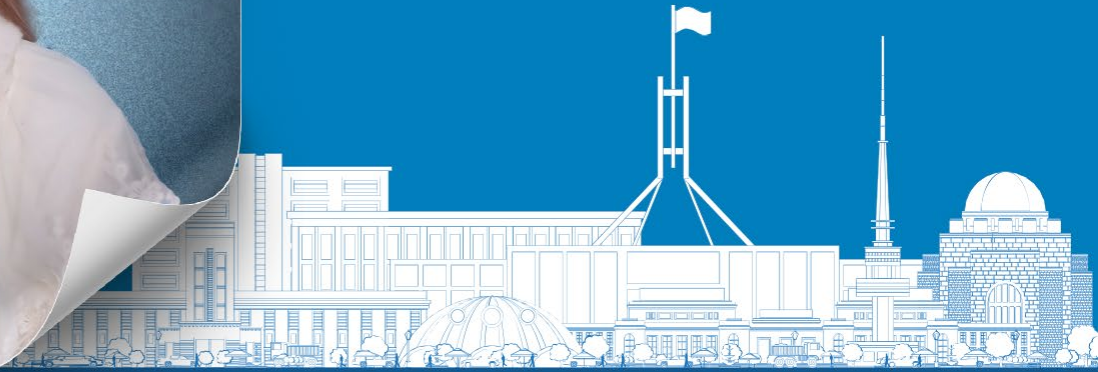




Building tomorrow's minds : On the shoulders of teaching giants in the bush capital



As the principal of Taqwa School, I am honoured to nominate Danrong (Darcy) Xie as a true teaching giant within our community.

Darcy's unwavering dedication, innovation, and passion for education make her an invaluable asset to our school.

Darcy plays a pivotal role in our school's success, particularly in NAPLAN preparations, where she goes above and beyond to equip students with effective resources and strategies. Her analytical approach to interpreting NAPLAN data helps identify learning gaps, enabling targeted interventions that drive continuous improvement in student outcomes. Beyond test preparation, Darcy's enthusiasm for education shines through her organisation of engaging competitions and activities that encourage students to push their boundaries and develop a love for learning.

One of Darcy's defining qualities is her belief in the value of making mistakes as essential learning opportunities.

She has fostered an environment where students feel empowered to take risks and grow from their experiences, cultivating a growth mindset that encourages resilience and curiosity.

Her collaborative spirit extends beyond the classroom, as she consistently works with her colleagues to create a shared culture of learning and improvement. Darcy eagerly shares her resources, insights, and innovative ideas, creating an atmosphere of mutual respect and collective advancement.

Her ability to see the school as an evolving entity, always searching for ways to innovate and enhance student engagement, is a testament to her leadership.

In all aspects of her work, Darcy exemplifies the qualities of an outstanding educator, and her contributions to Taqwa School are immeasurable.

Miss Danrong (Darcy)Xie
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