

NSW STATE ELECTION NEWSLETTER UPDATE #1 2019

Dear parents,

The NSW State election will take place on Saturday, 23 March 2019. The key election issues raised by Sydney Catholic Schools with political parties are:

- A major commitment from all political parties to significantly increase **capital investment** (money to build new schools and expand existing schools) especially in areas of growth and consolidation in line with extensive commitment to State education.
- Ensure that current level of **recurrent funding** (total government contribution which supports the ongoing operating expenses of schools) is maintained from the State government.
- Access and equity to the delivery of high-quality **early childhood education** and care services at mainstream school sites, with less regulated rules, and a simplification of the countless rules and regulations that govern pre-schools.

If you have an opportunity, you may like to raise these issues with candidates in your local electorate.

Warmest regards,
Dr Dan White

