

# Payne Road STATE SCHOOL

# The Gap



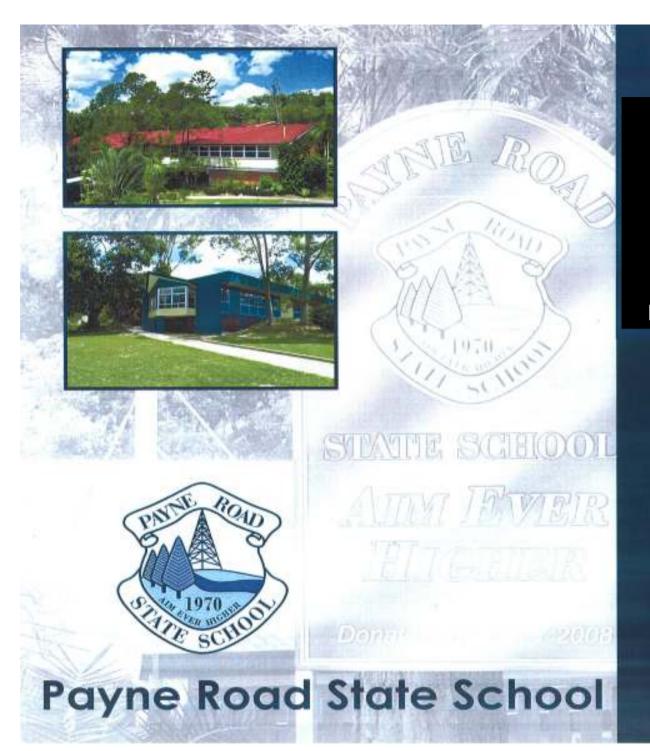






## Small School, Big Results

Come and meet our talented teachers and see for yourself the sense of community, passion for learning and the beautiful, green leafy surrounds that make Payne Road a great school.



### 2011

Active Travel School
Earth Smart Science School
Catchment Kids School
Tuckshop of the Year
25 Years Optiminds
Choralfest Gold
Youth Music Awards Gold
Maths Tournament 4<sup>th</sup> Place
Eng Spag Challenge 1<sup>st</sup> Place







## Why Payne Road State School?

- Country school in an urban setting
- Family oriented
- Large enough to cater, small enough to care
- TGSHS transition
- The quality of the school cannot exceed the quality of its teachers
- High performance requires every child to succeed



### School Opinion Survey

Parents like ... school community relations

- Staff are approachable
- Opportunities to participate
- Shared decision making
- Welcoming
- communication

#### Students like ...

- School/class activities
- Variety of activities
- Teacher explains, helps, interested
- Computers
- Grounds
- Buildings
- internet

## Teaching and Learning



## Small School, Big Results

- Excellent NAPLAN results
- First place Engineers
   Spaghetti Challenge 2011
- 25% + Distinction or above ICAS Computer Skills
- Choralfest Gold
- Youth Music Awards Gold
- Maths Tournament 4<sup>th</sup> Place in Region (2010)
- Optiminds Silver
- Winners of The Gap Cup
- Undefeated Jnr A Netball
- Mathletics Number 1 in the World





## Many opportunities

- Bright Sparks
- Environment Club
- Drama Club
- Snr and Jnr Science Club
- Mathletics
- Snr and Jnr Choir
- Strings / Band
- Extra curricular opportunities
- Student leadership
- Student Council





## Catering for the whole child

- Gifted and Talented Policy
- Special Education Program
- Sustainability focus
- Experiences
- Dedicated, passionate and experienced teachers



## Continuing to grow and learn

- National curriculum
- Digital learning
- Environment areas

