



Trinity Bay State High School

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SCHOOL OVERVIEW

Trinity Bay SHS is located in the centre of the picturesque city of Cairns in Queensland's Far North, surrounded by the magnificence of the Great Barrier Reef and tropical rainforests. Trinity Bay SHS services a dynamic community that experiences moderate weather all year round. It has developed a tradition of excellence in education which ensures students are able to achieve their very best academically through quality teaching in a disciplined environment. Enrichment and extension programs are available in dance, drama, music, technical theatre and sport. Trinity Bay SHS is an award winning school in visual arts, science, technology, sport and community service.

THREE REASONS TO CHOOSE TRINITY BAY STATE HIGH SCHOOL

- A proven track record of academic success
- High quality curriculum which caters for students who have English as a Second Language
- Extensive subjects choices - over 50 subjects to choose from in Years 11 and 12, over 35 subjects in the Year 10 and over 30 subjects in Year 9

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Trinity Bay SHS has developed its profile within the Cairns community. This profile has been on academic excellence and innovation with a focus on:

- Science
- Visual Arts
- Performing Arts
- A safe and disciplined learning environment
- Physical recreation – outdoor education and sports
- Integrated technology

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Mentoring and extension programs
- Centre for Artistic Development (CAD) in drama, dance, music and technical theatre
- Band, orchestra and choir
- School radio station
- Debating and mooting
- International, national and local trips
- Swimming and athletics carnivals

LANGUAGES

- Japanese
- Auslan
- Mandarin

SCHOOL FACILITIES

- Science and language centre
- Photographic development studio
- 15 computer laboratories and eight class sets of laptops
- Visual arts complex
- Recording studio
- Specialist manual arts area
- Sports stadium, swimming pool
- Tennis, basketball, beach volleyball and netball courts
- A state-of-the-art theatre
- A newly refurbished, modern resource centre

TERTIARY PATHWAYS

Students graduating from Trinity Bay SHS can matriculate directly into James Cook University and Tropical North Queensland TAFE.

AWARDS

- Australian National Economics and Business Competition Winner
- Showcase Awards for Excellence – Science and Technology Expo
- Queensland Minister's Award for Excellence in Art
- Showcase Awards for Excellence in Schools – Endeavour Awards
- Australian Mapping Competition Winner
- State Business Plan Competition Winners
- Pacific Coal Mathematics Competition Winners
- Vicki Wilson Cup Netball Champions

OTHER HIGHLIGHTS

- Trinity Bay SHS offers Holiday Adventure Programs during the Easter and September school vacation. The school also offers scuba diving courses during Term 3.

SPORTS

| Term 1 | Term 2 | Term 3 | Term 4 |
|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Swimming | Volleyball | Athletics | Swimming |
| Rugby union | Rugby union | Rugby union | Rugby union |
| Soccer | Soccer | Soccer | Surf Bronze |
| Basketball | Basketball | Basketball | Scuba |
| Volleyball | Golf | Modified games | Athletics |
| Hockey | Hockey | Hockey | Hockey |
| Softball | | Softball | Abseiling |
| Cricket | Cricket | Cricket | Rock climbing |
| Netball | Netball | Water polo | Water polo |
| Touch football | Touch football | Touch football | Touch football |
| AFL | Rugby league | Rugby league | Rugby league |
| Squash | Lawn bowls | Lawn bowls | Social dance |
| | | Biathlon | Biathlon |
| | Archery | Archery | |

