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TOP

Top Ten Mathematics
member school case-study

Recognised in 2023 as the highest performing primary campus in the state and achieving one of the highest gains in Australia – two years after four whole-school, full-day Top Ten workshops:

Read *The Age* article recognising the outstanding student gains results at Dandenong North PS: <https://www.theage.com.au/national/victoria/state-schools-dominate-list-of-naplan-high-achievers-20230221-p5cm4e.html> **State schools dominate list of NAPLAN high achievers**

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Teams at this campus were trained by Top Ten numeracy coaches over four intensive full-day workshops in 2020 and 2021, leading up to the following year's NAPLAN student gains. The Top Ten PLs trained all teachers in using the diagnostic assessments and unit plans.

“Top Ten Maths has provided staff with an understanding of how to sequence the teaching of mathematical concepts, as well as providing tasks to teach students the given concept - a fantastic resource.”

**Mr Paul Hilton, Principal
Dandenong North PS**

Numeracy

434

503

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The schools with Victoria’s most improved NAPLAN results over the past four years have been revealed, and government schools make up 16 of the state’s top-20 performers, alongside four schools in the independent and Catholic sectors.

Schools with a high proportion of students from first-generation migrant families also dominated the list of high achievers. Between 60 per cent and 90 per cent of students were from non-English-speaking backgrounds in every school in the top 10.



6 out of the 12 government primary schools recognised in *The Age* for achieving exceptional student gain results in numeracy in 2022 NAPLAN are all Top Ten Mathematics member schools using our unit plans, numeracy library packs and classroom mathematics toolboxes.