



CATHOLIC IDENTITY

Catholic Identity is fundamental in supporting a high performing system of Catholic schools. The formation of Catholic Identity in Catholic school systems is crucial as it shapes the ethos and mission of these institutions.

This identity is reflected in the integration of faith, wellbeing and learning and teaching, where education is not only about intellectual growth but also about spiritual and moral development.

In a high performing system of Catholic schools, all members of the school community experience prayer and the celebration of the liturgy and rituals of the Catholic Church in ways that are significant to them.

Nominations for this category should detail in 500 words or less how the nominee/s uses one or more of the three practical principles of the DOBCEL Strategy 2035 (deeper collaboration, networked local innovation or collective autonomy and agency) in service of ***Catholic Identity***.