Broad Strategic Goal
To strengthen our St Thomas identity through re-contextualising our values for our contemporary world. Whilst maintaining a deep respect for our charism we plan to simplify and update those values on which our school was established.

Acknowledging that this is a long term goal, we plan to commence this journey in 2017 to continue into the years beyond.

We will sustain our Catholic identity by delivering a planned and integrated approach to leadership for mission.

Strategies
- We will re-word our motto to better reflect our school today and raise the level of awareness of our founding traditions.
- We will seek community involvement in this process to better reflect our values e.g. faith, love, compassion justice.

Excellent Learning and Learning

Broad Strategic Goal
In the development of our SMART Goal we will ensure the engagement, progress and achievement of each student.

Strategies
- We will advance student progress and achievement by improving literacy and numeracy teaching practice in every classroom; resourcing and providing professional support for effective and expected teaching practices.
- Develop a school wide consistent approach to the teaching of reading.
- Engage in systemic data collection to inform planning.
- Engage in short cyclical planning to ensure “in time” support.
- Improve writing through development of reading.

Building a Sustainable Future

Broad Strategic Goal
Building a sustainable future: (a) Build sustainability through people and capability (b) Ensure stewardship of resources with transparency, accountability and compliance.
Strategies

- Identify people, processes and resources currently in place to inform future planning in order to build a more sustainable future.

- Develop a sustainable futures strategy reflective of church teachings and informed by broader evidence.

- Collect monthly data on present usage of photocopying.

- Establish an ICT committee to both collect data and pursue ways in which ICT can reduce other resource expenditure.