

December 2022

**LEA SERVICE AWARD**

*Jane Taylor*

**For service to Lutheran education  
1991 – 2022**

The Lutheran Church of Australia thankfully acknowledges the faithful and committed service of Jane Taylor to Lutheran education for 31 years.

Jane has given decades of dedicated and loyal service to Grace Lutheran College spanning 1991 to 2022.

Service to Grace has involved significant leadership contributions to the College, in addition to classroom teaching.

Jane served as Leading Teacher of Years 1 & 2 and was a willing mentor for Pre-Service teachers, and additionally filling the role of Pre-Service Teachers' Coordinator.

Jane has a passion for the Humanities which has been evident in her classroom teaching and also demonstrated by the time spent as Deputy Head of Department of Social Sciences and Acting Head of Department of Social Sciences.

Her capabilities in middle management roles were highlighted during 2010 when she served as Assistant to the Dean of Studies. Also Jane's experience and professionalism in teaching Social Science, Visual Arts and English, including Ignite English classes, helped extend and support a vast number of students over many years.

While the above details outline Jane's service to Grace, they do not articulate the wonderful and deep relationships that she established with students and staff at Grace across the three decades of her service.

Jane's faithful and conscientious service to our Lord and the Lutheran Church of Australia, through her service in Lutheran education, has been outstanding and is humbly recognised through this Award.

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