



Upper Mount Gravatt State School

Year established

1929

Number of students

500

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At Upper Mount Gravatt State School, we encourage academic excellence, arts, sports and emotional intelligence in an inclusive and happy community.

Our school curriculum covers all key learning areas, particularly literacy, numeracy, and critical and creative thinking, while meeting individual student needs.

Our outstanding facilities include a swimming pool, tennis courts, adventure playgrounds, low ropes, student lounge, large sports ovals and a new performing arts centre with a green room for video effects.

We extend your child's learning with visits to coastal locations like Tallebudgera Beach, Currumbin Farm Campus and Kindilan Adventure Camp.

We have extensive experience welcoming international students and we value cultural diversity and language learning

Three reasons to choose Upper Mount Gravatt State School

1. An inclusive school with a strong sense of community and commitment to quality education
2. A focus on whole school literacy and numeracy extension programs, language, arts and sports>
3. Initiatives to encourage student wellbeing through the 'You Can Do It' and outdoor education programs

Homestay

Homestay* enables EQI students to truly experience Australia's famous lifestyle.

By living with an Australian host family international students become part of the local community and have a fantastic opportunity to practise their English in a safe and caring home environment. International students often develop lasting friendships with their homestay families.

- Students have their own bedroom with study facilities, three meals a day, and access to transport to and from school, and to school activities
- Host families are carefully selected from within the school community and undergo a police check as required by Queensland law

Standard Homestay fees have been set and these are listed on the [EQI program fees page](#).

Read more about [accommodation and welfare](#).

* Students enrolled in Primary School must live with a parent or close relative as defined by the Australian Immigration Regulations.

School facilities

- Expansive school grounds
- Adventure playgrounds
- Dynamic classroom environment
- Performing arts centre
- Resource centre (library)
- Computer lab
- Media room (green room)

Extra curricular activities

- Choirs and bands
- Instrumental music
- Student leadership program
- Arts program
- Camps and excursions
- Running Club, Chinese Club and Homework Club
- Swimming and athletics carnivals
- Community events
- Resilience Obstacle Course (ROC Race)
- Dance
- Soccer
- Basketball, netball and tennis courts
- Gym
- Low-ropes course
- Community cafe
- Before and after school care
- Swimming
- Cross-country
- Athletics
- Triathlon
- Soccer
- Opportunities to represent the school at district, state and national level

Holiday adventure programs

EQI holiday adventure programs are an exciting and safe way for international students to travel and sightsee during school holidays.

There's an adventure to suit every taste - from visiting city landmarks and riding camels on an unforgettable Australian outback adventure, to exploring ancient rainforests and swimming with turtles off Queensland's pristine white sand beaches.

All holiday adventures are fully guided and escorted by qualified Queensland Government teachers and staff to ensure student safety. These programs are open to international students enrolled in an EQI high school and additional fees apply. Find out more about our [holiday adventure programs](#).

Languages

- Chinese Mandarin (Prep to Year 6)

Special programs

- MiniLIT early literacy program (Years 1–3)
- MacqLIT literacy program (Years 3–6)
- Literacy and numeracy support
- Bring Your Own iPad Program

- Languages other than English (LOTE) Program (Years Prep–6)
- Whole-school wellbeing program and student support services
- English as an Additional Language/Dialect (EAL/D) support

Disclaimer

The information and data in this webpage is subject to change without notice. Before submitting your application, if you are interested in:

- a particular subject, sport, program or extracurricular activity offered by an EQI school; or
- particular school facilities;

please contact EQI or the school directly to confirm it will be offered and/or available in the year you intend to study.