

Dear Mr Walsh

I am very concerned by the Allan Labor Government's \$400 School Saving Bonus for all school students in government schools regardless of income, but only for Health Care Card holders in Catholic schools.

As the parent of a child in a Catholic school I believe this payment should be applied equally. Either means tested for all students or available to all students.

It should not be based on which school you attend.

Families in Catholic schools are also experiencing cost of living pressures. This announcement discriminates against my family and punishes me for choosing to send my child to a Catholic school.

I have the right to expect the government treats me and my family equally regardless of our choice of schooling.

Please vote against this discriminatory policy and treat all families fairly.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Your sincerely,