

Ministerial Diary¹

Minister for Education, Training and Employment

1 February 2013 – 28 February 2013

Date of Meeting	Name of Organisation/Person	Purpose of Meeting
1 February 2013	Principal and Teachers, Cedar Creek State School	Visit following flood event
1 February 2013	Principal and Teachers, Logan Reserve State School	Visit following flood event
1 February 2013	Principal and Teachers, Loganlea State High School	Visit following flood event
1 February 2013	Principal and Teachers, Waterford State School	Visit following flood event
1 February 2013	Principal and Teachers, Waterford West State School	Visit following flood event
1 February 2013	Principal and Teachers, Eagleby State School	Visit following flood event
1 February 2013	Principal and Teachers, Eagleby South State School	Visit following flood event
1 February 2013	Department Staff, Eagleby Regional Office	Visit following flood event
3 February 2013	Volvik RACV Ladies Masters	Representing Minister Stuckey to present trophy to the winner of Ladies Gold Event
4 February 2013	Government House	Swearing in Ceremony for Minister David Crisafulli
4 February 2013	Departmental staff	Pre-Cabinet Meeting to prepare for Cabinet Meeting
4 February 2013	Government Ministers	Strategic Cabinet and Cabinet Meeting
4 February 2013	Departmental staff	Post-Cabinet Meeting to debrief post Cabinet Meeting
4 February 2013	Mike Byrne, Queensland Catholic Education Commission	Meeting to discuss the proposed discontinuation of the Religious Education Advisory Committee
4 February 2013	Departmental staff	Visit Infrastructure Services Branch to thank them for flood relief efforts
4 February 2013	Assistant Minister Saxon Rice	Portfolio related discussion
4 February 2013	Departmental staff	Ministerial Issues Briefing with various topics discussed with departmental staff
4 February 2013	Dom Cacciola	Meeting to discuss principal recruitment and selection process

¹ Does not include personal, electorate or party political meetings or events, media events and interviews and information contrary to public interest (e.g. meetings regarding sensitive law enforcement, public safety or whistle blower matters).

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5 February 2013	Autism Queensland	Official Opening of Early Intervention Hub
5 February 2013	Bundaberg District Principals	Informal meeting following flood event
6 February 2013	Principal and Teachers,	Visit following flood event
	Bundaberg North State School	
6 February 2013	Principal and Teachers, Bundaberg North State High School	Visit following flood event
6 February 2013	Principal and Teachers, Oakwood State School	Visit following flood event
6 February 2013	Principal and Teachers, Bundaberg South Crèche and Kindergarten	Visit following flood event
6 February 2013	Principal and Teachers, Bundaberg East State School	Visit following flood event
7 February 2013	Ian O'Connor and Leneen Forde, Griffith University	Meeting to discuss current and future activities at Griffith University
7 February 2013	Departmental staff	Visit Infrastructure Services Branch to thank them for flood relief efforts
7 February 2013	Governor in Council	Executive Council Meeting
7 February 2013	Paul White, Brisbane Broncos and Assistant Minister Saxon Rice	Meeting to discuss anti-bullying program
7 February 2013	Greg Kempton, Chair Skills Queensland	Meeting to discuss Skills Queensland Board
7 February 2013	Departmental staff	Ministerial Issues Briefing with various topics discussed with departmental staff
8 February 2013	Policy Advisor and Nerang Neighbourhood Centre	Discuss issues re student loans, allowances and job search assistance
8 February 2013	Policy Advisor and Lisa Donath	Discuss website
9 February 2013	Kellogg's	Representing Minister Stuckey at Telstra IronWoman Series Medal Presentations
9 February 2013	National Rugby League	Representing Minister Stuckey at 2013 Harvey Norman Rugby League All Stars Game and dinner
11 February 2013	Departmental staff	Pre-Cabinet Meeting to prepare for Cabinet Meeting
11 February 2013	Government Ministers	Strategic Cabinet and Cabinet Meeting
11 February 2013	Departmental staff	Post-Cabinet Meeting to debrief post Cabinet Meeting
12 February 2013	Minister Emerson	Meeting to discuss issues at Ironside State School
12 February 2013	Jim Davies and Hon. Susan Lenehan, Principals' Australia Institute	Meeting to discuss certification of Principals

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12 February 2013	Minister Chris Bowen, Minister for Tertiary Education, Skills, Science and Research and Minister for Small Business	Telephone call to discuss outstanding issues about VET reform
12 February 2013	Hilary Backus, Queensland Association of State School Principals	Quarterly meeting with major stakeholder to discuss current and upcoming activities
12 February 2013	Deb Frecklington MP	Meeting to discuss Toogoolawah State High School
13 February 2013	Minister McVeigh, Ministerial and departmental staff	Meeting to discuss Longreach and Emerald Agricultural Colleges
13 February 2013	QSA Meeting	Queensland Studies Authority meeting
13 February 2013	Departmental staff	Portfolio Budget Review Committee meeting
13 February 2013	Departmental staff representing Queensland Indigenous Education Consultative Committee	Meeting to discuss PaCE roundtable, committee meeting held, status of the Strategic Plan, date claimers for this year, papers, meeting held in Perth and the departmental ATSI Action Plan
13 February 2013	Verity Barton MP and Dr Bruce Cruicks	Meeting to discuss International Readwell Systems
14 February 2013	Assistant Minister Saxon Rice	Portfolio related discussion
14 February 2013	Minister McVeigh, Rosemary Menkens MP and Rev. Shayne Blackman, , Uniting Aboriginal and Islander Christian Congress	Joint meeting with Minister McVeigh to discuss re-establishment of Burdekin Agricultural College
14 February 2013	Matt Killoran	Meet Gold Coast Bulletin's new State Political Reporter
14 February 2013	Professor Tim Brailsford, Bond University	Meeting to inform the Minister of relevant issues regarding Bond University's access to Commonwealth higher education tuition support programs
14 February 2013	Departmental staff	Ministerial Issues Briefing with various topics discussed with departmental staff
14 February 2013	Ray Stevens MP, Jeff Davis Executive Principal Varsity College and Clayton Carnes Principal Hermit Park State School	Meeting to discuss possible Microsoft Conference on the Gold Coast
15 February 2013	Principal and Teachers, Labrador State School	Visit to see Senior Choir perform
15 February 2013	Tom Tate, Gold Coast City Council	Meeting to discuss proposed TAFE land deal
16 February 2013	Queensland Symphony Orchestra	Attending First Maestro Concert of the Year as Acting Minister for Science, Information Technology, Innovation and the Arts

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17 February 2013	Emmanuel College, University of Queensland	Attending and speaking at Inaugural Mass and Dinner for Emmanuel College, University of Queensland, St Lucia
18 February 2013	Departmental staff	Pre-Cabinet Meeting to prepare for Cabinet Meeting
18 February 2013	Cabinet Members	Strategic Cabinet and Cabinet Meeting
18 February 2013	Departmental staff	Post-Cabinet Meeting to debrief post Cabinet Meeting
18 February 2013	Arethusa College	Attending and speaking at official opening of Trade Training Centre
18 February 2013	Roadshow Films	Advance Screening of Beautiful Creatures
19 February 2013	Logan City Council	Attendance at Logan Summit to discuss and consider strategies to assist residents in the Logan area relating to our portfolio
19 February 2013	Ministerial and Departmental staff	Discuss Construction Skills Queensland
19 February 2013	Ministerial staff	Meeting to discuss upcoming media announcement
19 February 2013	Queensland Indigenous Education Consultative Committee	Attending and speaking at roundtable dinner with PaCE representatives to discuss a community driven program for parents/caregivers of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander young people
20 February 2013	Government House	Swearing in Ceremony for Minister Ian Walker and others
21 February 2013	Education Queensland (department)	Opening the Metropolitan Schools Constitutional Convention
21 February 2013	Bonnie Thompson, Marc Thompson and Tania Major, Tania Major Consulting	Meeting to discuss Lost Youth Project – working with children/youth in Cape York who have been disengaged from school programs and education
21 February 2013	RPS	Boardroom lunch for Leaders of Urban Growth, Infrastructure, Energy and Environmental Management consultancies to share ideas and community with Government
21 February 2013	Claire Field, Australian Council for Private Education and Training, and Assistant Minister Saxon Rice	Meeting to discuss training reforms currently impacting Queensland's vocational education and training sector
21 February 2013	Queensland Performing Arts Centre	Attend Driving Miss Daisy Performance
21 February 2013	Government Ministers	Cabinet Budget Review Committee
22 February 2013	Principal and Teachers, Crows Nest State School and various other schools	Visiting Flying Start school and attending Principals' roundtable

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22 February 2013	Principal and Teachers, Geham State School	Visting Geham State School to inspect car park
22 February 2013	Trevor Watts MP, Adam Davies, The Chronicle, departmental officers, Paul Antonio, Toowoomba Regional Council, Jo Sheppard, Toowoomba-Surat Basin Enterprise, John Cole, University of Southern Queensland, Bobbie Brazil, University of Southern Queensland, Suzanne Ferguson, Arrow Energy Pty Ltd, Nick Park, Queensland Gas Company	Roundtable with Education and Training providers, significant employers, local business organisations and elected representatives in the Toowoomba electorate to discuss past, current and future education and training activities
22 February 2013	Principals and Teachers, The Glennie School and other schools	Participated in Darling Downs Secondary Principals' Group
22 February 2013	Australian Ballet	Swan Lake performance
23 February 2013	Singapore Business Council of Australia	Chinese New Year Celebration dinner
24 February 2013	Various members of general public	Community Forum deputations
24 February 2013	Government Ministers and community	Official Government Reception following Community Forum
25 February 2013	Fraser Coast Regional Council	Breakfast function for Cabinet Members
25 February 2013	Cabinet Members	Community Cabinet Meeting
25 February 2013	Principal and Teachers, Aldridge State High School	Visiting Independent Public School
25 February 2013	Principal and Teachers, St Helens State School	Visiting flood and cyclone damaged school
26 February 2013	Minister Dempsey and Professor Philip Clift, Central Queensland University	Meeting to discuss merger between Central Queensland Institute of TAFE and Central Queensland University
26 February 2013	Principals and Teachers, Kepnock State High School and various other schools	Attending Principals' forum, opening the special school, unveiling a plaque and looking at the Showcase Program
26 February 2013	Departmental staff, Wide Bay Institute of TAFE	Lunch with TAFE staff and tour of Nursing facilities, meeting with departmental staff to discuss international travel outcomes, official opening and tour of Diesel Mechanics Training Facility
27 February 2013	McInnes Wilson Lawyers	Opened Education Symposium and delivered keynote speech
27 February 2013	Bob Sharpless, Springfield Land Corporation	Meeting to update the Minister on education initiatives in Greater Springfield

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27 February 2013	Ian Healy, Future State Greats	Attending and speaking at Annual Future State Greats Presentation Luncheon
27 February 2013	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Cabinet Committee Members	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Cabinet Committee Meeting
27 February 2013	Careers Australia	Attending and speaking at Nursing & Certificate III in Aged Care Graduation Ceremony and dinner
28 February 2013	Education Queensland (department)	Opening 2013 Principals' Conference and presenting keynote speech and attending conference dinner
28 February 2013	Minister Ian Walker	Meeting to discuss Science, Information Technology, Innovation and the Arts portfolio
28 February 2013	Executive Council Members	Executive Council Meeting
28 February 2013	Business South Bank	CEO Lunch with Business South Bank
28 February 2013	Departmental staff	Ministerial Issues Briefing with various topics discussed with departmental staff
28 February 2013	Education Queensland (department)	2013 Principals Conference Dinner