## **Expressions of interest - Pathways to Principalship - The Brown Collective**

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| **Cost** | **Target audience/alignment to Leadership framework** | **Program Duration** | **Notes** |
| $3500 plus travel and expenses (face to face sessions will be located in Ballarat) | Deputy Principals  Aspiring Principals  Members of school leadership team  *Leading others, Leading school* | The program format for 2026 will run differently to previous offerings in that the duration will be different. The program will run over approx. 8 months and is a commitment of approx 5 days (min 3.5 days out of classroom at face-to-face sessions), plus project/group work preparation time. | To register your interest or for questions please contact [Fiona Murphy](mailto:fmurphy@dobcel.catholic.edu.au) with any questions.  \*\*Please note, at this stage we are collecting expressions of interest to determine if we are able to fill a cohort for the second half of 2026. Until approx numbers are known we are unable to provide accurate details on dates for face-to-face sessions. There must be a minimum of 15 participants for the program to run in 2026.  **To view further details on program outline please click** [**here**](file:///C:\Users\RAppleyard\OneDrive%20-%20Diocese%20of%20Ballarat%20Catholic%20Education%20Limited\Desktop\ED%20Update%2021%20Aug\Brown%20Collective%20Pathways%202026.docx) |

## **Experienced Principal Program – 6 R Leadership Program – the Brown Collective**

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| **Experienced Principal Program – 6 R Leadership Program – the Brown Collective**  The Brown Collective has developed the 6 R Leadership Program in response to a range of needs expressed by current school principals through various forms of consultation and engagement.  Based on the principles of 6 R’s - Reflection, renewal, relatedness, refinement, refresh and reachout, the program provides experienced principals with the opportunity for exploration into each of these elements. This program supports the development of key strategic intentions in line with the DOBCEL 2035 strategic pillars including deeper collaboration, sustainable stewardship and the opportunity to focus on personal wellbeing and mindset. | | | |
| **Cost** | **Target audience/alignment to Leadership framework** | **Program Duration** | **Notes** |
| $5950 (excluding optional study tour) | Principals with a minimum 3 years of principalship  *Leading School* | 7 days plus individual preparation work (please note varied interstate locations for face-to-face program days) | To register your interest, please contact [Fiona Murphy](mailto:fmurphy@dobcel.catholic.edu.au). Registrations close early 2026.  **To view further details on program outline and dates please click** [**here**](file:///C:\Users\RAppleyard\OneDrive%20-%20Diocese%20of%20Ballarat%20Catholic%20Education%20Limited\Desktop\ED%20Update%2021%20Aug\TBC_OverviewExperiencedPrincipalsProgram_A4_2026_v2.pdf) |

## **Leading with Integrity for Excellence: Governance for Catholic Schools – The Brown Collective**

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| **Leading with Integrity for Excellence: Governance for Catholic Schools – The Brown Collective**  Leading with Integrity for Excellence – Governance for Catholic Schools seeks to enhance your executive leadership and further develop your strategic and operational capability to ensure and assure high-quality Catholic schooling delivery and positive outcomes for all stakeholders. It is underpinned by our guiding principles and designed around modules based on six elements which are core issues for school leadership. Each of these modules is interrelated to your work, the schooling context, and Catholic identity.  The program | | | |
| **Cost** | **Target audience/alignment to Leadership framework** | **Program Duration** | **Notes** |
| $4800 | System Leaders  Principals  *Leading School* | 6 face to face days (QLD location)  Module 1: Governance, Wednesday 25 and Thursday 26 February 2026  Module 2: Ethics, Friday 27 February 2026  Module 3: Thinking Strategically – Online (including two webinars and self-paced learning),  Module 4: Responsible Stewardship, Wednesday 6 May 2026  Module 5: Creating a Culture of Safety & Wellbeing, Thursday 7 May 2026  Module 6: Creating a Culture of Performance, Friday 8 May 2026 | To register your interest, please contact [Fiona Murphy](mailto:fmurphy@dobcel.catholic.edu.au). Registrations close early 2026.  **To view further details on program outline and dates please click** [**here**](file:///C:\Users\RAppleyard\OneDrive%20-%20Diocese%20of%20Ballarat%20Catholic%20Education%20Limited\Desktop\ED%20Update%2021%20Aug\2026%20LWIE%20overview.pdf) |