

MEDIA RELEASE

SUCCESSFUL NAPLAN TESTING CONCLUDES FOR 2025

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NAPLAN 2025 testing is now complete for schools including those schools in Queensland and northern NSW that were impacted by ex-Tropical Cyclone Alfred, the Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority (ACARA) has confirmed.

The large-scale operation overseen by ACARA had over 4.5 million online tests taken by more than 1.3 million students in over 9,400 campuses and schools across Australia.

ACARA CEO Stephen Gniel thanked everyone involved in the annual national NAPLAN assessments for their efforts in administering the tests this year.

"I'd like to express my heartfelt thanks to all our students, teachers and schools across all jurisdictions and sectors for their efforts to prepare for NAPLAN, especially in those areas impacted by ex-Tropical Cyclone Alfred. We also appreciate the efforts of parents and carers in supporting their children during the NAPLAN tests.

"I'd also like to thank our state and territory colleagues and partners,

“However, while NAPLAN can provide important additional information about a student’s educational progress, it does not replace ongoing assessments made by teachers about student performance.

“The annual NAPLAN assessments also help government and education authorities know how education approaches are working, identify where changes and support