

# Mater Dei School

1957 –

**Other Names:** • Mater Dei Special School

**URL:** <https://www.materdei.org.au/mater-dei-school/>

## Details

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Mater Dei School is located at Narellan, near Camden. It is a special school, with a residential programme, that was established by the Sisters of the Good Samaritan in 1957. It was previously the Mater Dei Orphanage. Records of children who have attended Mater Dei School since 1957 are held at the school.

In 2011 Mater Dei offered a range of services to support babies, children and young people with disabilities and developmental delays, including early intervention therapy, education and residential programmes.

The Mater Dei school programme supports up to 140 students from K-12 and enables them to achieve a school certificate, or higher school certificate in life skills.

## Gallery

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**Mater Dei Orphanage**

**Description:** This photo is undated, the date included is an estimate.

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## More info

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### Chronology

- Mater Dei Orphanage (1910 - 1957)
  - **Mater Dei School (1957 –)**

### Related Entries

**Run by**

- [Sisters of the Good Samaritan \(1857 - current\)](#)

## Resources

- Australian Catholic Social Welfare Commission and the Australian Conference of Leaders of Religious Institutes, *A piece of the story : national directory of records of Catholic organisations caring for children separated from families*, November 1999
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