

Convent School, Darwin

1908 - 1912

Other Names: • Darwin Convent

Details

The Convent School, Darwin, was the first Catholic School established in Darwin. It opened on Cavanagh Street in 1908 in a galvanised iron structure built on the same grounds as the convent building which was called St Joseph's. The Convent School was run by Daughters of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart. From 1909, as well as teaching at the day school, the Convent took in a small number of girls as boarders. In 1912 the Convent School, Darwin, was officially named St Joseph's School.

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Roman Catholic Convent

Description: This image is of the Convent School in Darwin and St Joseph's School, Darwin. This photo is undated, the date included is an estimate.

More info

Chronology

- Convent School, Darwin (1908 1912)
 - St Joseph's School, Darwin (1912 1958)
 - St Mary's School, Darwin (1958 current)

Related Entries

Run by

Daughters of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart (1885 - current)

Resources

- Writ of Habeus Corpus application, case adjourned, Northern Standard, 11 August 1936
- Mother and her international interests, The Daily News, 12 August 1936
- Writ of HabeusCorpus: application refused, Northern Standard, 11 September 1936
- Daughter to stay on in Convent, The Daily News, 12 September 1936

Records

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Records

• Records held by Roman Catholic Church, Diocese of Darwin (1882? - 1983)

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