

**Cooma Schools Ministry Association
Teachers Report
Monaro High School
August 2019**

SRE has continued to go well this year. The timetabling has been consistent throughout the year allowing the students to get into a routine of knowing when they are having SRE at Monaro. Personally I would prefer a different timetabled period, last class on a Friday afternoon is often hard after the students have a long week, but I am happy that we are still in the school and the students are coming along.

Year 7

The year 7 students this year are a pleasure to teach. They are well behaved and get involved in class discussions. They complete the worksheets and we have fun while doing it. During the classes we have had good discussions with the students sharing their thoughts and being willing to have civil debates about differences of beliefs and thoughts. It has been great being able to watch the students grow through the year.

Year 8

The year 8 students are a harder group of students to manage. Some of the students are there because their friends are and they can be a distraction for other students. Due to having to spend time doing classroom management rather than teaching other students get bored as time is focused on other issues. With that being said we have still had some good discussions about faith, beliefs, God and how this affects the world we live in and the view of the world that we have.

Praise Points

Students are hearing the word of God.

We still have a voice in our schools.

The year 7 students are engaging well and interacting in lessons.

Prayer Points

- The staff of Monaro high School, in particular James Armitage, the Principal and Andy Winfield the deputy principal
- The students
- David Reading as a teacher
- For SRE to be seen as an important part of our teenagers education
- For students to see the importance of having a spiritual understanding of God and life.

Thank You for all your support of SRE in Monaro High. Without both the financial and the prayer support this important ministry would not happen.

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