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## **ISCA congratulates Coalition Government on election win**

The Independent Schools Council of Australia (ISCA) congratulates the Morrison Government on being returned to office, as well as all Members and Senators elected to serve in the 46<sup>th</sup> Parliament of Australia.

ISCA's Executive Director, Barry Wallett, today said that, "The Independent school sector highly values its collaborative working relationship with the Australian Government, and we look forward to continuing to work with the Morrison Government and the new Education Minister to further the educational welfare of all students."

Over 610,000 students attend Independent schools in Australia, with enrolments continuing to grow steadily. The Australian Government is a significant funding partner for Independent schools, along with state and territory governments and parents and school communities.

Mr Wallett went on to say that, "ISCA welcomes the continued certainty of funding for schools so that they can plan and consistently deliver education programs to their communities, while important work continues on the Government's full implementation of its new funding methodology."

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