



Ministerial Diary¹

Minister for Education and the Arts

The Hon John-Paul Langbroek MP

1 December 2025 – 31 December 2025

Date of Meeting	Name of Organisation/s or Person/s	Purpose of Meeting
1 December 2025	Principal, Staff and Students Islamic College of Brisbane Departmental Staff Ministerial Staff	School Visit
1 December 2025	Sharon Schimming, Director-General, Department of Education and the Arts Ministerial Staff	Pre-Cabinet Meeting
1 December 2025	Hon David Crisafulli MP, Premier and Minister for Veterans Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet
2 December 2025	Kendall Morton MP, Member for Caloundra Principal, Staff and Students Caloundra Christian College Invited Guests Ministerial Staff	Event: Official opening of the new Design Precinct
2 December 2025	Kendall Morton MP, Member for Caloundra Principal, Staff and Students Caloundra State High School Invited Guests Ministerial Staff	School Visit
2 December 2025	Garry Hills, President, Queensland Air Museum (QAM) Julie Hammer, Patron and ex-Air Vice Marshal (retired), QAM David Dunlop, Secretary and ex-Air Vice Marshal (retired), QAM Andrew Johns, Vice President Collections and Facilities, QAM	Site Visit: Queensland Air Museum

¹ Does not include personal, electorate or party political meetings or events, media events and interviews and information contrary to public interest (e.g. meetings regarding sensitive law enforcement, public safety or whistleblower matters).

	<p>Vanessa Graham, Vice President Community Engagement, QAM</p> <p>Chris Morley, Volunteers Coordinator, QAM</p> <p>QAM volunteers</p> <p>Ministerial Staff</p>	
2 December 2025	<p>Naomi Price, Artistic Director and Co-Founder, The Little Red Company</p> <p>Adam Brunes - Co-Founder, The Little Red Company</p> <p>Louise Bezzina, Chief Executive Officer, Brisbane Powerhouse</p> <p>Ivan Gil-Ortega, Artistic Director, Queensland Ballet</p> <p>Criena Gerhke, Chief Executive Officer, Queensland Theatre</p> <p>Professor Scott Harrison, Pro- Vice Chancellor of the Arts, Education and Law Group and South Bank Provost, Griffith University</p> <p>Adam Tucker, Executive Director, Opera Queensland</p> <p>Alison Smith, Chief Executive Officer, Local Government Association of Queensland</p> <p>Invited Guests</p> <p>Ministerial Staff</p>	Event: Opening night - Christmas Actually
3 December 2025	<p>Ms Luna Angelini Marinucci, Consul of Italy for Queensland and Northern Territory, Consulate of Italy in Brisbane</p> <p>Ms Kathleen Forrester, Deputy Director-General, Strategic Policy and External Relations, Department of Education</p> <p>2025 StuditaliA Prize recipients and families</p> <p>Invited Guests</p> <p>Departmental Staff</p> <p>Ministerial Staff</p>	Event: 2025 StuditaliA Prize (the Prize) Award Ceremony
3 December 2025	<p>Patrea Walton, Chair, Non-State Schools Accreditation Board</p> <p>Christine Clarke, Board Member, Non-State Schools Accreditation Board</p> <p>Rebecca Stork, Secretariat, Non- State Schools Accreditation Board</p> <p>Ministerial Staff</p>	Portfolio Meeting
3 December 2025	<p>Sarah Kopp, Chief Executive Officer and Survivor Advocate, Step in for Kids</p>	Portfolio Meeting

	Lynne Dixon, Board Chair, Step in for Kids Amanda French, Head of Communications and Board Director, Step in for Kids Ministerial Staff	
3 December 2025	Allan Blagaich, Executive Director, Queensland Catholic Education Commission (QCEC) Madeline Brennan KC, Board Chair, QCEC Beatrix Brice, Principal Adviser (Policy & Advocacy), QCEC Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
3 December 2025	Mike Baird AO, Chief Executive Officer, McKinnon Foundation Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
3 December 2025	Hon. Anthe Philippides, Chair, Flying Arts Alliance Toni Palmer, Chief Executive Officer, Flying Arts Alliance Tim Fairfax AC and Gina Fairfax AC, Flying Arts Cultural Patrons Lori Lockyer, Executive Dean, Faculty of Creative Industries, Education and Social Justice, Queensland University of Technology Peter Johnstone, Chief Executive Officer, The Clem Jones Group Vicki McDonald, Chief Executive Officer, State Library of Queensland Janine Walker AM, Chair, Metro South Health Carmel Haugh, Chief Executive Officer, Artisan Natassia Wheeler, Chief Executive Officer, Queensland Tourism Industry Council Dyls Bertelsen, Chief Executive Officer, Windsor Group John Stafford, Director, Onespace Jodie Cox, Director, Onespace Anthony Penney, State Manager, Qantas Airways Limited Ministerial Staff	Event: Flying Arts Alliance – Queensland Regional Arts Awards
3 December 2025	Connie da Cunha President, Chamber of Commerce and Industry Australia Philippines Inc Attorney Sheryll Gabutero a.h., Philippine Consul for Queensland	Event: Chamber of Commerce and Industry Australia Philippines

	Miss Kerry Xynias, Chair, Lord Mayor's Multicultural Round Table Miss Alice Langford, President, Brisbane Southwest Chamber of Commerce Invited Guests Ministerial staff	
4 December 2025	Principal, Staff and Students Toowong State School Invited Guests Departmental Staff Ministerial Staff	School Visit: Deaf and Hard of Hearing unit and the Bi-Lingual and Bi-Cultural Programs
4 December 2025	Vicki McDonald, State Librarian and Chief Executive Officer Rebecca Lamoin, Executive Director, Experience Anna Thurgood, Engagement Officer (Curator) Holly Riding, Coordinator, Exhibitions Kirsten Herring, Deputy Director-General, Arts Queensland Department Staff Ministerial Staff	Site Visit: State Library and Arts Property and Facilities
4 December 2025	Sharon Schimming, Director-General, Department of Education and the Arts Departmental Staff from across central offices Ministerial Staff	Event: Central Office Business Day
4 December 2025	Dr Jim Thompson, Chief Executive Officer (outgoing), Queensland Museum (QM) Professor Margaret Sheil AO, Chair, Board of the Queensland Museum Renai Grace, Chief Executive Officer (incoming), QM Invited Guests Departmental Staff Ministerial Staff	Event: Queensland Museum
7 December 2025	Bill Rees, President, Royal Queensland Arts Society Invited Guests Ministerial Staff	Event: Royal Queensland Arts Society Awards
8 December 2025	Principal, Staff and Students Clarke Creek State School Ministerial Staff	Virtual school visit – via Microsoft Teams – reading and literacy
8 December 2025	Sharon Schimming, Director-General, Department of Education and the Arts Ministerial Staff	Pre-Cabinet Meeting
8 December 2025	Hon David Crisafulli MP, Premier and Minister for Veterans	Cabinet

	Cabinet Ministers	
8 December 2025	His Grace Archbishop Shane Mackinlay Cabinet Ministers Invited Guests	Event
9 December 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliament Sittings
9 December 2025	Dave Sleswick, The Tivoli Group Steve Sleswick, The Tivoli Group Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
9 December 2025	Hon. Tim Mander MP, Minister for Sport and Racing and Minister for the Olympic and Paralympic Games Cabinet Ministers Invited Guests Ministerial Staff	Event
9 December 2025	Ben Stockwin, Chief Executive Officer, Australian Dental Association Queensland Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
9 December 2025	Hon. David Crisafulli MP, Premier and Minister for Veterans Sir Jonathan Mills, AC, FRSE Louise Bezzina, Chief Executive Officer/Artistic Director, Brisbane Powerhouse Sharon Schimming, Director-General, Education and the Arts Kirsten Herring, Deputy Director-General, Arts Queensland Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
9 December 2025	Nicholas O'Connor, Associate Partner Sec Newgate Tanya Creighton, Associate Partner Sec Newgate Brett Campbell, Euka Future Learning Pejman Okhovat, G8 Education Andrew McDonagh, Clontarf Foundation Ellen Brown, Euka Future Learning	Working dinner for potential further engagement with Sec Newgate clients: G8 Education Clontarf Foundation Euka Future Learning
10 December 2025	Michelle Bond, Executive Principal, Queensland Children's Hospital School John Hazzard, Campus Principal, Queensland Children's Hospital School Brendan Hoad, Executive Director of Clinical Services, Children's Health Queensland Stephen O'Kane, Chair, Hospital Schooling Advisory Council	School Visit: Queensland Children's Hospital School

	Departmental Staff Ministerial Staff	
10 December 2025	Sharon Schimming, Director-General, Department of Education and the Arts Departmental Staff Ministerial Staff	Ministerial Issues Briefing
10 December 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliament Sittings
10 December 2025	Barton Green, Chair, Creative Brisbane Collab, Rebecca Pini, Deputy Chair, Creative Brisbane Collab, and Managing and Creative Director, M4M Agency Bec Mac, Director, Creative Brisbane Collab, and Creative Director, Chrysalis Projects and POPSART Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
11 December 2025	Members of Parliament	Parliament Sittings
11 December 2025	Hon. Deb Frecklington MP, Member for Nanango Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
11 December 2025	Gaby Thomasz, Business Development/Marketing Manager, JUTE Theatre Company Chris Kohn, Artistic Director, JUTE Theatre Company Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
11 December 2025	The Honourable Pat Weir MP, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly Department Staff Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
12 December 2025	Graeme Innes AM, Chancellor, Central Queensland University Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
15 December 2025	Mark Campling, Chair, Queensland Curriculum and Assessment Authority Claude Jones, Chief Executive Officer, Queensland Curriculum and Assessment Authority Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
15 December 2025	Sharon Schimming, Director-General, Department of Education and the Arts Ministerial Staff	Pre-Cabinet Meeting
15 December 2025	Hon David Crisafulli MP, Premier and Minister for Veterans Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet

16 December 2025	Sharon Schimming, Director-General, Department of Education and the Arts Nick Seeley, Deputy Director-General, Infrastructure Services Division, Department of Education Departmental Staff Ministerial Staff	Floor visit: Infrastructure Services Division
16 December 2025	Claire Sourgnès, Director, Ipswich Art Gallery Ministerial Staff	Site Visit: Ipswich Art Gallery
17 December 2025	Professor Jong-Hwan Kim, President, International Robot Olympiad Committee (IROC) Mr Yongsoo Park, President, Korea Robot Sports Association Professor Jun Jo, Griffith University, Organising Chairperson, International Robotic Olympiad Dr Clarence Tan, Local Co-organising Chairperson, International Robotic Olympiad Ann Stevens, Local Co-organising Chairperson, International Robotic Olympiad Scott Robinson, Technical Coordinator, International Robotic Olympiad Grant Hill, Director of DCI Drones (providing Drone Soccer demonstration) IROC Members, Team Leaders, Volunteers and Competitors Peter McGuinness, Principal Industry and Economic Development Officer for Invest Gold Coast Ministerial Staff	Event: The 27th International Robot Olympiad 2025
28 December 2025 – 31 December 2025	Hon. John-Paul Langbroek MP on leave. The Hon. Tim Nicholls MP was acting as Minister for Education and the Arts.	

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