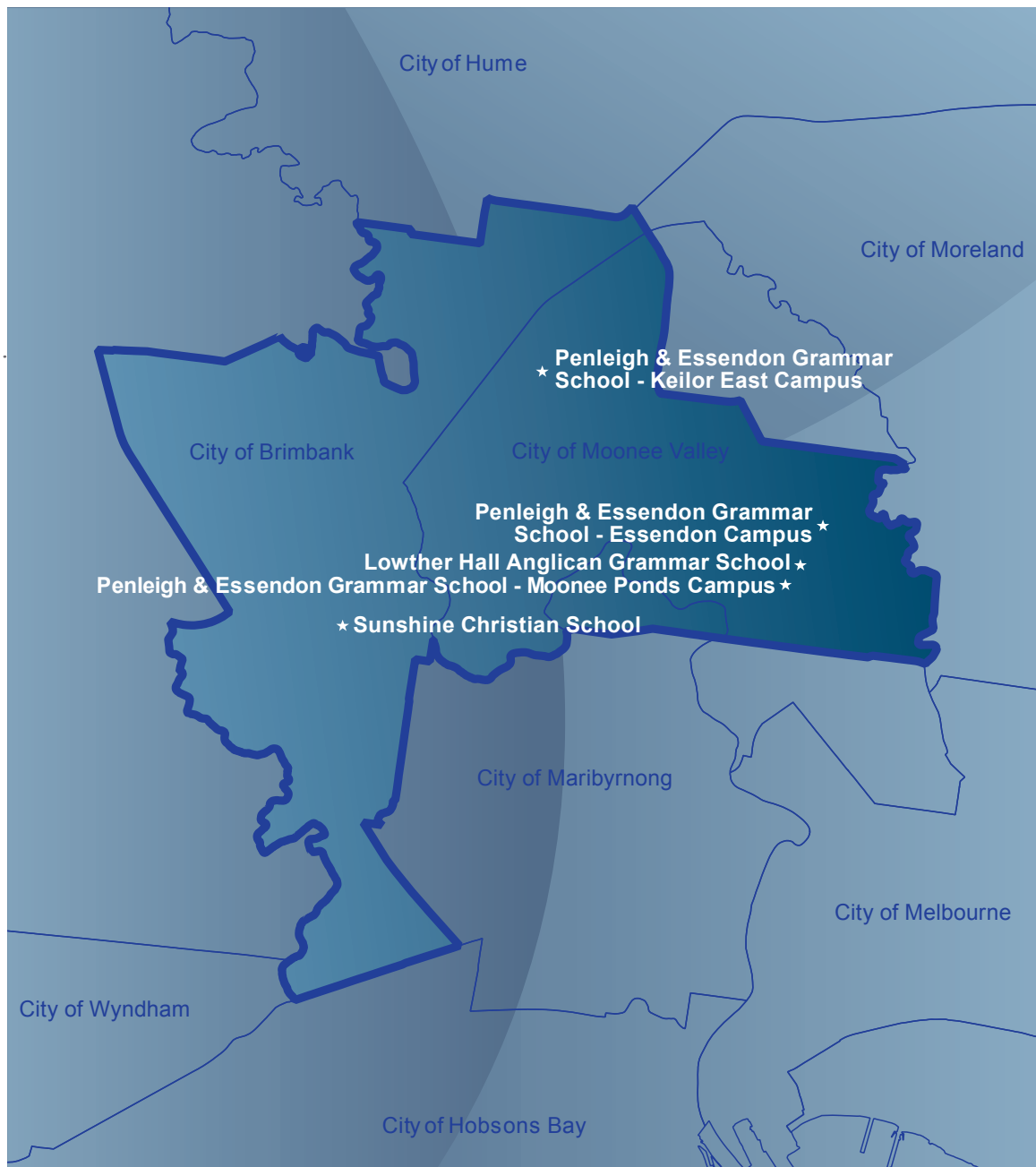


THE PARENTS' WEBSITE

For parents of children in independent schools

Maribyrnong



Sitting Member: Bob Sercombe (ALP)
Elected: 1996

Current Margin: 9.5%

Electoral History: 1969-2007 ALP
 1955-1969 Liberal
 1934-1955 ALP
 1931-1934 UAP

Independent Schools:

Lowther Hall Anglican Grammar School
 Penleigh & Essendon Grammar School
 Sunshine Christian School

Students living in the electorate in 2001:

Schools	Number	Percentage
Government	8,815	50.7%
Catholic	6,711	38.6%
Independent	1,873	10.8%
Total	17,399	100.0%

Students in independent schools located in the electorate in 2006:

	Students
Primary	1,267
Secondary	1,779
Combined	3,046

SES Score Range of schools in the electorate:

SES Score	84-110
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Number and proportion of students in receipt of EMA enrolled in independent schools in the electorate in 2006:

	Students	Percentage
Primary	58	4.6%
Secondary	41	2.3%
Combined	99	3.3%

* EMA – Education Maintenance Allowance

Number of students with disabilities enrolled in independent schools in the electorate in 2006:

Students	22
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Average Government Funding per student for schools in the electorate in 2006:

	Independent	Catholic	Government
State Government	\$834.38	\$1,375.80	\$9,199.62
Australian Government	\$3,585.40	\$4,167.30	\$964.50
Total Funding	\$4,419.78	\$5,543.10	\$10,164.11

* Government school funding estimates based on 2004-2005 Productivity Commission data.