

## Clunes Primary School Environmental Mission Statement

Clunes Primary School recognises the need to become environmentally aware and develop protocols of sound environmental practice by listening to the thoughts of children.

## We see the need to:

- Protect and enhance the biodiversity of our environment when looking at the large expanse of our playground.
- Plant indigenous trees and shrubs at school and continue revegetation programs with local landholders
- Extend the incorporation of gardening into our curriculum
- Reduce our waste via composting, worm farms and chickens.
- Try various methods to reduce, reuse and recycle a range of waste products.
- Continue to conserve energy and save on energy costs at the same time.
- Investigate the greater emphasis on capturing water from our rooves.
- Reduce our reliance on town water in our toilets
- Monitoring our consumption of resources by entering data on The Resource-Smart tracking tool.
- Using the grounds Master Plan as a template for future development.