

Question on Notice

No. 28

Asked on 13 February 2024

MR L MILLAR ASKED MINISTER FOR EDUCATION AND MINISTER FOR YOUTH JUSTICE (HON D FARMER)

QUESTION:

With reference to students from the Alpha district undertaking Year 11 and Year 12 by Distance Education who can receive tutoring support from the P – 10 Alpha State School—

Will the Minister advise why students undertaking Year 7 by Distance Education in Muttaborra can not receive tutoring support from the P-6 Muttaborra State School?

ANSWER:

There was a local arrangement—which ceased in 2012—where students in the Alpha district who were enrolled in a School of Distance Education (SDE) used a room in the Alpha State School for the first few weeks of their Year 11 studies.

Muttaborra State School follows departmental policy and provides education for the students enrolled in Years P–6. Students in the district who are enrolled in Year 7 either travel to attend local secondary schools, attend boarding school or are enrolled in one of our seven SDEs.