Mr Peter Davis

Visual Arts Teacher

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Qualifications:

Bachelor of Education (Secondary)
Bachelor of Arts (Visual Art)
Certificate IV Training & Assessment

With over fifteen years' experience in secondary education, I have a wide and varied repertoire of practice: from teaching in a Central Qld rural community; to partnering with university specialists on literacy in a low socio-economic urban school and running kinaesthetic based behaviour program with disaffected middle-school boys; to working with high-performing students at C.C.C.

Understanding the importance of developing the whole student, and developing community connections, I currently work as I.B.(D.P.) C.A.S. Co-ordinator and Visual Arts subject co-ordinator.

While the holistic education of students is my goal, I also have passion about my teaching areas. Prior to teaching I worked as a graphic designer and I continue to practice privately and in the community as an artist, illustrator, designer and musician.

I believe curiosity, and critical reflection are keys to learning, and incorporate collaboration and inquiry where-ever possible. I believe anyone can learn artistic skills, like any other skills, with persistence and a growth mindset.

I have an amazingly supportive wife and three teenage children, one recently graduated and two still studying here at Calamvale.