

I'm a parent of early primary school children and very strongly in favour of their receiving good quality education on climate change and their roles, opportunities and responsibilities as citizens while they're young and their views and values are being shaped for life.

In particular, please:

Employ more DOE-wide sustainability staff to help schools implement sustainability initiatives;

Provide funding support to schools to enable them to participate in programs like ClimateClever where they can accurately measure their carbon emissions, identify actions, track progress and compare with others; and

Provide more funding to support the implementation of low carbon actions that improve the operational performance of schools, such as solar, energy and water efficiency and waste reduction in schools.