


TEC-NQ BOARDING FACILITY



Tec-NQ is a member of the Australian Boarding Schools Association and operates under the Australian Boarding Standards. It is already receiving rave reviews from industry, and the community.

Recognised as one of the best boarding facilities in the state.

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If you're interested in learning more about boarding at Tec-NQ House, contact the enrolments team at Tec-NQ on phone (07) 4779 2199 or email enrolments@tecnq.com.au.

Tec-NQ House, located in Rosslea, Townsville, is a purpose-built boarding facility for senior school students originating from locations across regional and remote Queensland, attending Tec-NQ's unique trade focused senior school program.

The newly built boarding facility accommodates up to 40 students and staff. Officially opened in March 2022, it now offers Tec-NQ students a complete boarding.

Tec-NQ House is designed to be inclusive and social, while maintaining a homely, nurturing atmosphere. Its features include:

- 24/7 supervised care
- Comfortable, safe, and secure environment
- Dedicated staff who provide wellbeing support and independence skills
- State of the art security system
- Air-conditioned, double occupancy rooms designed with semi-private space for those personal touches
- Modern open living spaces and communal areas
- Streaming services, computers, gaming, and PlayStation areas
- Nutritious and tasty meals planned and prepared by executive chefs
- Secure outdoor recreation area with BBQ facilities and basketball court
- Additional rooms available for short visits by students' families
- Weekend and after-hours excursions and activities for students to socialise, play sport and relax
- Daily transport to and from the senior school training facility and Townsville-based work experience.

Also located at Tec-NQ House are the new health and hospitality training rooms. The built-in cafe and commercial kitchen are used for both the hospitality training as well as the boarding kitchen.



INTRODUCING PENNY ROSS

Head of Boarding,
Hospitality and Health at Tec-NQ

We are very pleased to have Penny Ross as Tec-NQ's Head of Boarding, Hospitality and Health. Penny has been a valued part of the Tec-NQ team for five years and we are proud to have her lead our new facility.

Penny has had 25 years in the hospitality sector with experience in leadership roles. She began teaching after completing both a Master of Business Administration (MBA) and Master of Dispute Resolution (MDR) and since then has also completed a Bachelor of Education (BaEdu).

As well as excellent leadership, Penny also brings a passion for providing a nurturing and safe environment, where our boarders can gain a strong sense of belonging.



Having come from a leadership role at Tec-NQ, Penny already knew many of our boarding students and is now taking her commitment a step further, providing exemplary pastoral care, and a supportive environment dedicated to their education and well-being.

Being an educator and working with our students has taught Penny to celebrate each little success and milestone as these are the pathways to bigger achievements. Her rewards come from seeing students succeed in their personal and trade pathways and the satisfaction of knowing she has been part of the team that has contributed to this.

Penny is looking forward to supporting our boarders to meet the challenges of living and studying away from home, as well as the team of staff at Tec-NQ House, who provide such excellent care and encouragement.

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