

Angela Skinner (Business Manager)- Angela is a passionate member of our Executive Team who is invested in the local community and proud to be a leader at Lowanna College. Angela believes that our students deserve the best, from an educational perspective, but also the best in their opportunities and surrounds and tirelessly works as part of the team that ensures our facilities and grounds are second to none across the whole of Gippsland.

Angela comes from a strong financial background with a focus on leadership and management in banking, her most recent banking role as Branch Manager with one of the big four banks. A natural leader, Angela also has an eye for detail, which is vital when it comes to compliance, policy, and audits. Angela left the banking industry to take up a 12 month leave replacement position at Tobruk Street Primary School as the Business Manager. The Business Manager position became permanently available during Angelas's tenure, and she was the successful applicant. Angela spent six years working at Tobruk Street Primary School before taking a temporary position at Lowanna College as the Finance & Operations Manager. History repeated itself - while Angela was in the temporary position at Lowanna College, the Business Manager made the decision to retire from her role leaving a vacancy. Angela excitedly applied for the Business Manager position and was the successful applicant.

The role Angela performs at Lowanna College goes beyond what a *usual* Business Manager position would entail. Angela leads our Facilities & Grounds, Cafe & Canteen, Library & Daily Organisation, First Aid, the General Office, and Uniform Exchange. Angela noticed a few years ago the disparity across the student body when it came to student uniform and with the support of Adam Hogan began extensive research on how this could be resolved with all stakeholders in mind. Angela initiated and continues to oversee our Uniform Exchange which supports students to be in full school uniform daily.

Angela is an avid member of the college Communications Team, the College Operations Group and a voting member on School Council. Along with these and her role on the Executive Team Angela is kept very busy but loves the hectic pace a school brings and still finds time to enjoy a walk outside mixing with students at recess or lunchtime.

In her spare time Angela loves spending time with her four sons and their partners, as well as her extended family, and is very close with all of her cousins and their children. Angela loves sport, is a committee member at Newborough Football Netball Club, and she rarely misses a game of footy. Angela is known to have one footy game on a livestream while watching another one in person and is lucky that two of her boys are in the same team now which makes it easier. Angela enjoys spending time with friends, salt water, music (live and otherwise), redecorating, long drives, and the colours in each sunset.