

ST. IGANTIUS' PRIMARY SCHOOL
Vaucluse

History and Description

Consists of two wings joined by a church hall, forming an H in plan. The south wing and the hall were built in 1898 to the design of architects McCrae, Toole and Blackett. The builder was G.W. Freeman. This was a boys primary school.

In 1912 a girls primary school was added as the north wing, the architect being G.W. Vanheems, the builder W.G. Cooper.

The school is now co-educational.

Statement of Significance

A good example of elaborate turn of the century school architecture in a Romanesque derived style.

References

Advocate, Sept. 10th 1898,
 May 18th 1912.