



## Self-determined reviews

Self-determined reviews are for schools identified as having a trajectory of sustained improvement. They give schools the autonomy to organise their own review, one that best suits their needs and context.

The Education Improvement Branch (EIB) designates schools for the different types of reviews by first considering their performance data and then consulting with the school's regional office.

### The review process

The principal is responsible for organising all elements of a self-determined review.

Schools can engage the EIB to conduct the review. They can also appoint reviewers from outside the state school system, including from another education system, universities or overseas.

Schools are asked to provide the EIB with a review proposal, including the dates and focus of the review, and details of reviewers. Principals should submit their proposals before the end of Term 1 in the year that the review is scheduled.

After the review, principals publish the review report or executive summary on the school website and discuss the findings and recommendations with their school community. A copy of the review report must also be provided to the EIB and region.

### At a glance

- For schools identified as having a trajectory of sustained improvement.
- Schools organise the review themselves.
- They can choose to engage the EIB to conduct the review.
- Funding is available to support the review.
- The review report or executive summary is published on the school website.

### Funding

Funding, to a maximum of \$4650, is available towards the cost of the review. The funding is provided by the EIB upon receipt of a review report. If a school selects the EIB to conduct the review, the funding will be used to cover the cost.

To claim the funding entitlement, please email [eib.claimsandaccounts@qed.qld.gov.au](mailto:eib.claimsandaccounts@qed.qld.gov.au).

### More information

For more information about self-determined reviews, please visit the School Reviews website at [www.schoolreviews.education.qld.gov.au](http://www.schoolreviews.education.qld.gov.au), or contact the EIB on (07) 3035 2217 or at [eibmb@qed.qld.gov.au](mailto:eibmb@qed.qld.gov.au).