**CRYPAR Information for CMap**

"CRYPAR is a wonderful program that is working hard to improve the lives of young people at risk and Nudgee College is proud to be able to help raise awareness of CRYPAR in any way we can," he said.

CRYPAR is a whole of government initiative run by the Queensland Police Service. It aims to assist young people by addressing issues identified as contributing factors in the development of criminal and self-harming tendencies and anti-social behaviour.

To date, in excess of 600 young people and families have benefited from CRYPAR referrals.

"CRYPAR is a simple referral process that allows police officers to refer 'at risk' young people to an appropriate agency that has agreed to respond to CRYPAR referrals within 48 hours," CRYPAR's Program Manager Inspector Bruce Graydon said.

"These agencies then work intensively with the young person and/or family to address their specific issues," he said.

The Youth Violence Task Force recently made a number of recommendations to Government to address youth violence, including CRYPAR be considered for broader expansion to "assist young people at risk and families in crisis".