**Crabbes Creek Public School**

Crabbes Creek Public School values education and provides quality learning opportunities for our students to become knowledgeable, resourceful, independent and creative. It is located in the quiet village of Crabbes Creek, 28km north of Byron Bay and 21km south of Murwillumbah. Our school is an integral part of the Crabbes Creek community and acknowledges the valued support it receives from the parents and members of the local community. Our school motto is ‘Collaborate, Create, Excel’.

**Crabbes Creek PS and Stokers Siding PS** are a part of Community of Schools consisting of eight small schools, located on the Far North Coast.

Their STEM/PBL has focussed on the professional development for all their teaching staff to ensure sustainable change in pedagogy. During this time they have undertaken both individual school and CoS STEM/PBL activities.

The highlights for the S8 Cos have been;

* Increased teacher capacity; achieved by encouraging and modelling design thinking pedagogy and STEM teaching quality.
* Increased student STEM ability, engagement and participation and
* Having the opportunity to provide pathways for our students, staff and community to develop deep understanding of a project based learning and STEM.