

People outside school settings do not understand how the results were presented and arranged against so-called 'similar' schools, when they really weren't so similar. This led to a lot of misunderstandings and some very heated discussions.

Most people do not understand that these results are only based on the one lot of testing - not everyone performs well under test conditions.

Once I have explained how NAPLAN works and how the results are presented on the MySchool site, it became very clear that most people (unless they were teachers) had no idea about what it was they were actually looking at.