



*From Left to Right: Janelle Barlow with Alexandra and Jessica.*

## A FIRST FOR OUR STUDENTS!

For the first time, two Year 12 VET students at Mater Dei have gained the Certificate II in Business Services through the New South Wales Board of Studies.

Jessica Cutner and Alexandra Wear participated in the VET program during 2006 and 2007. During this time both students displayed an enthusiastic and consistent approach to their studies. They made steady progress in this class and were able to complete tasks with minimal supervision. Their willingness to attend extra

classes, coupled with their determination in order to successfully complete the course is to be admired.

The VET Program at Mater Dei School is supported by the Catholic Education Office at Wollongong and is delivered by Janelle Barlow, Head Teacher, Business Administration at Padstow College in the South Western Sydney Institute of TAFE.

*For more news on Jessica see article on Page 6.*