



Policy - Statement of Values and School Philosophy Epping Primary School

Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to outline the values of our school community and explain the vision, mission and objectives of our school.

Policy

Epping Primary School is committed to providing a safe, supportive and inclusive environment for all students, staff and members of our community. Our school recognises the importance of the partnership between our school and parents and carers to support student learning, engagement and wellbeing. We share a commitment to, and responsibility for, creating an inclusive and safe school environment for our students. The programs and teaching at Epping Primary School support and promote the principles and practice of Australian democracy, including a commitment to:

- elected government
- the rule of law equal rights for all before the law
- freedom of religion
- freedom of speech and association
- the values of openness and tolerance.

This policy outlines our school's vision, mission, objective, values and expectations of our school community. To celebrate and embed our Statement of Values and Philosophy in our school community,

- we display posters that promote the values in our school;
- celebrate our values in our school newsletter
- provide awards and recognition for students who actively demonstrate the values
- discuss our values with students in the classroom, meetings and assemblies.

Vision

Epping Primary School's vision is making a difference together.

Mission

Epping Primary School's mission is to inspire and empower our students to thrive as lifelong learners.

Values

Epping Primary School's values are; responsibility, respect, resilience, persistence, honesty.

Review Cycle

This policy was last updated on 24th June 2019 and is scheduled for review in June 2021. Presented to School Council on 5th August 2019 and approved.