

We uphold the following principles for our students and teachers:

## **OUR STUDENTS**

- Learn and grow in a community where Gospel values and the charism of Catherine McAuley inspire commitment to social action and spiritual growth.
- Participate in a broad and diverse curriculum that enables them to develop their talents and experience success.
- Develop the learning dispositions needed for curiosity and for creative, reflective and critical thinking.
- Are active learners, taking responsibility for their own learning and contributing to the learning of others.
- Are supported and empowered to take risks in their learning and to experience the benefits of perseverance.
- Grow in their capacity for resilience and for dealing positively with life's challenges.
- · Are motivated by our culture of high expectations.

## **OUR TEACHERS**

- Respect and uphold the innate dignity of each student.
- Are highly attuned to the distinctive learning and wellbeing needs of our students.
- Are restless and innovative in their pursuit of excellence in their own and others' learning.
- Collaborate to plan and construct learning outcomes, assessments and activities that are responsive to students' individual needs and respectful of difference.
- Make thinking visible through use of a range of contemporary approaches, learning tools, technologies and resources to foster students' understanding of how to learn.
- Provide timely, specific feedback to guide students in their learning progress.
- · Create a culture of high expectations.