“This is what God asks of you only this
To act justly,
To love tenderly,
And walk humbly with your God”

Micah 6:8
MISSION STATEMENT

At Mary MacKillop Memorial School we, the parents, students and staff are committed to continuing the vision of our founders, Mary MacKillop and Julian Tenison Woods. We value and endeavour to provide an education of excellence and care in a family environment, being accessible to all while upholding the Catholic tradition based on the philosophy “In Omnibus Caritas” … In all things love and kindness.

The aim of Mary MacKillop Memorial School is to guide students towards a development of self-discipline and personal responsibility. It is a basic belief at our school that each person will be treated with respect, dignity and courtesy. This belief is in accordance with school rules:

Be Safe
Be Responsible
Be Respectful.

1. School commences at 8:50am daily with assembly and ends at 3:15 pm. Classrooms will be opened immediately after assembly; lessons can begin at 9:00am. Students are not permitted in the classrooms without teacher supervision.

2. Students and their parents/caregivers are required to use designated entrance areas to the school. Pedestrian crossings must be used when crossing the road at all times. The staff car park is not permitted for picking up or dropping off students, therefore there should be no pedestrians walking in this area.

3. Students are not permitted to be in school grounds prior to 8:15am and after 3:30pm, unless supervised by an adult.

4. Correct school uniform must be worn at all times. Students are expected to show pride in their appearance as a student of Mary MacKillop Memorial School and to abide by the school’s uniform policy.

5. Students cycling to school must dismount their bicycles in front of the administration area, pedestrian entry of the school, and upon entering school property. Students are to walk their bikes to the bike racks. Students are encouraged to lock their bike.

6. Students are required to wear a hat in all four terms at play, sport and fitness times. Students without a hat are required to sit in designated shaded areas.

7. Personal belongings such as umbrellas, sports equipment or toys are to be stored in the student’s bag and are not to be played with outside the classroom.
8. Students who bring mobile phones to school are to store them in their bag or the front office. The school takes no responsibility for mobile phone; they are not to be used at school. (Digital Device Policy).

9. Students are expected to respect their own property as well as that of the school and other people.

10. Students, parents and visitors are expected to display a courteous manner to all members of the school community.

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