

# **ST. GEORGE'S COLLEGE**

## **MISSION, VISION AND VALUES**

*St. George's College, founded in 1931, is an Anglican residential college within The University of Western Australia.*

### **MISSION**

*Defines why we exist; expresses our main purpose or leading object and it answers the question: what business are we in?*

**The mission of St George's College is to provide promising students of diverse disciplines and backgrounds with a collegiate education, aimed at enhancing their aspirations, developing their capacities and encouraging them to lead and serve.**

### **VISION**

*It is vital, in the pursuit of its Mission, that St George's College has a clear vision of its role and character, values and responsibilities, through which it can confront the future with a strong sense of purpose, identity and commitment. That vision will indicate how the College will look at some future time: what we aim to be.*

**St George's College will be acknowledged as a leader in university collegiate education in Australia for:**

- **its broad intellectual stimulus and academic support**
- **its mix of academic disciplines and backgrounds coupled with access equity and diversity**
- **its strong sense of community supporting academic, social, spiritual, sporting, cultural and community service activities of high quality and scope**
- **the engagement of its students in The University's activities**
- **a strong commitment to its values and the Anglican tradition**
- **an alumni demonstrating both an ability and willingness to lead and serve**

## **VALUES**

*Our Values underpin everything that we do in pursuit of our Mission. We judge ourselves against six Values:*

### **Education**

We value:

- the highest standards of academic endeavour and attainment
- a broad liberal education with an emphasis on ethical values and social responsibility.

### **Excellence**

We seek to engender excellence in all areas of endeavour.

### **Community**

We encourage a strong sense of community characterized by pastoral care, enthusiastic participation and friendships within the College.

### **Ethical Standards**

We foster fairness, integrity and human dignity for all. We demand honesty and accountability among our students and staff.

### **Spiritual Awareness**

We are committed to encouraging an awareness and the nurturing of the spiritual dimension of life, emphasizing Anglican spirituality and values.

### **Service**

We encourage the development of leadership and self-discipline to prepare our students for valued lifetime service to their professions and communities.

Approved and adopted by the Board of St George's College on 29 October 2008

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Chairman