MARYMOUNT COLLEGE IS A CATHOLIC EDUCATIONAL COMMUNITY

Catholic
Our College belongs to the Roman Catholic Church. The Leader of the Church is Pope Francis who is the Bishop of Rome. He is in communion with Catholic bishops throughout the world. We belong to the Archdiocese of Brisbane and our Archbishop is the Most Reverend Mark Coleridge. He delegates his authority to Brisbane Catholic Education which employs our staff, appoints the Principal and is responsible for the day-to-day operations of our school. The actual ownership of the College rests with the Archdiocese of Brisbane, through Burleigh Heads Parish.

“COMMITTED TO PROMOTING LIFE-LONG AND LIFE-GIVING LEARNING”

Lifelong Learning
Reflective, effective, self-directed, active, creative and engaged learning. Learning that is not just concerned with logic and argument. Life-long learning is responsive to the creative presence of God and the call to be the best person one can be along life’s journey. A person able to cope with change in a positive way.

Life-Giving
Life-giving means that both the spirit and the mind is nurtured, the journey with and to God is positive and inviting, enriching and supported by people who love and care.

“GOSPEL VALUES ARE REFLECTED IN ALL ASPECTS OF COLLEGE LIFE”

Gospel Values
Gospel values are reflected in all aspects of College life. Important values drawn from the Gospels of Matthew, Mark, Luke and John are:
• Care for the poor and those forced to the outer edges of society, eg. Homeless, those with medical or psychiatric illnesses, those struggling financially
• Tolerance and respect - listening to and valuing those whose ideas and behaviour are different from ours
• Including everyone - we don’t discriminate against others
• Respect for others; no bullying, caring behaviour, management of students
• Forgiveness - you can make mistakes here
• Faith - we are all on a journey to and with God. The College supports you in this
• Hope - we are optimistic - we are not negative in our attitudes to school, others and life
• Love - we treat others well, as we would like to be treated ourselves

“WITHIN A SUPPORTIVE SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT”

Supportive School Environment
As a student at our College, you feel supported by the Leadership Team and Staff. Supported means you are treated justly by all and that you feel safe, valued as a person and included in the life of the school.
You are given a decent chance to develop and show your potential.
You are encouraged to work hard so as to fulfil God’s plan for you.

“We embrace the Person and Vision of Jesus Christ”

Person
The Son of God whom we encounter in Christian Scriptures. The historical person who is portrayed in the four Gospels and whose Spirit lives on in us today.

Vision
The meaning of Jesus’ teachings in relation to the Kingdom of God. Jesus’ vision requires a response from Christians today.