

The **Albert Park** Way



VISION:

We are a unique village community, becoming life-long learners with high expectations

The Albert Park community values and lives The Albert Park Way.

Albert Park Primary School recognises the importance of a caring and supportive community. At the heart of this is the partnership between school and home. Our aim is to build a community where children thrive, with their wellbeing central to this and where they are happily engaged with their learning. Our community shares a commitment to and a responsibility for a happy, inclusive, safe and aspirational learning environment for all our children.

STUDENTS WILL:

- Enact the Albert Park Way, be kind to each other, to themselves
- Respect themselves, other members of the school community and the school environment.
- Believe they are successful learners
- Make the most of learning opportunities
- Respect everyone's right to a voice and to be heard, including themselves
- Show determination and keep trying
- Act in a safe and responsible manner.
- Actively participate in the school community

STAFF WILL:

- Be kind, caring and respectful
- Have high expectations
- Create a safe and happy environment by using the Albert Park Way and Learning Dispositions
- Develop positive relationships with students, colleagues and parents, acknowledging exemplary citizenship with Albert Park Way bands and awards
- Be aspirational for each student
- Create engaging and dynamic learning experiences that meet the needs of all students
- Work collaboratively with colleagues and parents to improve learning and wellbeing outcomes for all students, in particular for students with additional needs
- Communicate effectively and respectfully on all school communication platforms
- Actively participate in the school community

PARENTS AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS WILL:

- Be kind, caring and respectful
- Ensure children attend school on time and every day the school is open to make the most of learning opportunities
- Work in partnership with the school to achieve the best outcomes for each child
- Communicate effectively and respectfully on all school communication platforms
- Reach out to the school when there are concerns or difficulties
- Support the school in maintaining a safe learning environment for all students
- Actively participate in the school community following the Albert Park Way

Albert Park Primary School is committed to creating a school community where all members of our school community are welcomed, accepted and treated equitably and with respect regardless of their backgrounds or personal attributes such as gender, race, language, religious beliefs or disability so that they can participate, achieve and thrive at school.

Albert Park Primary School acknowledges and celebrates the diversity of backgrounds and experiences in our school community and we will not tolerate behaviours, language or practices that label, stereotype or demean others.

The programs at **Albert Park Primary School** support and promote the principles and practice of Australian democracy, including a commitment to

- a. elected Government;
- b. rule of law;
- c. equal rights for all before the law
- d. freedom of religion;
- e. freedom of speech and association
- f. the values of openness and tolerance*

****Schedule 4 clause 1 of the Education and Training regulations 2017***

This vision, along with the Albert Park Way, is published on the school's website and is displayed throughout the school.

This Vision and Community Values was presented to School Council for ratification on 21 June 2021.