



Democratic Principles Statement

Gisborne Montessori School supports and promotes the principles and practices of Australian democracy, including a commitment to:

- elected government; and
- the rule of law; and
- equal rights for all before the law; and
- freedom of religion; and
- freedom of speech and association; and
- the values of openness and tolerance.

Gisborne Montessori School provides high quality education that:

- enables students to realise their learning potential and achieve their best;
- inspires lifelong learning, and
- enables parents / guardians to actively participate in their children's education.

The Democratic Principles are communicated to the staff, students, parents and wider community through:

- School Website
- Parent Handbook
- Staff Handbook
- As part of the new induction process
- Annual Report
- Enrolment Pack and Prospectus
- Board Charter
- Philosophy