



GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP

At Aquinas College we are committed to educating our students to take their place in a global environment and to view the world from multiple perspectives.

Spirituality The development of an appreciation of the response of each culture to the search for meaning and an understanding of God. In so doing, forming relationships between people while nurturing a personal code of ethics and encouraging meaningful engagement with issues of principle explored from multiple perspectives and through experiencing our College as a model of ethical practice.

Belonging The development of cultural knowledge and language fluency as well as the ability to negotiate cultural differences with empathy, perspective and self-knowledge. This is achieved through meaningful engagement in our own beliefs, values and perspectives and those of others.

Perseverance The acquisition and refinement of the skills of thinking deeply, collaborating, adapting to the ideas of others, constructive problem solving, and conflict resolution through experiencing authentic learning contexts.

Compassion The development of our disposition to serve the community, local and global, through engagement in meaningful and reflective service.

Stewardship The willingness to display leadership in relation to current issues of global significance relating to geopolitics, the environment, health, trade, sustainable development and human rights.

Justice The promotion of opportunity and equity through awareness and the support of Catholic Social Justice Teaching and the United Nations Declaration of Human Rights.