

# THE BAC WAY



**BRISBANE  
ADVENTIST COLLEGE**  
INTEGRITY - RESPECT - JOY

## HOW OUR VALUES AND BELIEFS ARE LIVED DAILY

### **WE LOVE AND RESPECT GOD**

We speak reverently about God and we share our love for Him with others.

### **WE LIFT OTHERS UP**

We do not use put-downs, tease or bully others. This includes not sending hurtful electronic messages. We always look for ways to build and lift others up.

### **WE ARE ON TIME**

We get to school on time and move quickly to each class.

### **WE LOOK SMART**

We wear full uniform and we wear it correctly and with pride.

### **WE ARE CLEAN AND TIDY**

We organise ourselves, and we do not walk past rubbish; we pick it up and put it in the bin.

### **WE ARE GOOD HOSTS**

We greet each other, and all visitors to our school. We stop, smile and we say "good morning" or "good afternoon".

### **WE RESPECT EACH OTHER**

We use our correct names and titles, and make eye contact with others. We speak softly and kindly to all people.

### **WE LOVE LEARNING**

We do our best in class and we do not interfere with the learning of others. We always speak softly and kindly to all people.

### **WE LOVE OUR COLLEGE**

We speak well of BAC and we always look for new ways to better our school.

### **WE ARE SAFE**

We do not risk our health and well-being or the welfare of others.

### **WE ARE GOOD CARETAKERS**

We take good care of our property and respect things that belong to others.

### **WE ALWAYS DO OUR BEST**

We always try to do our best in everything we do, including when we sing, play, learn and speak.

# EVERYTHING WITH GOD

THE VALUES AND BELIEFS THAT UNDERPIN  
OUR NURTURING COMMUNITY

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# VISION, MISSION & VALUES



At Brisbane Adventist College it is **OUR PURPOSE** to reveal Jesus in all that we do, and to everyone with whom we interact. Our school exists because we believe in the **profound love of Jesus** and the hope, peace, and joy that comes from knowing Him, and living with Him and for Him. We want to share this good news in our early learning and school community. We are intentional in everything we do - in our attitudes, words, and actions - and we want to reflect Jesus to our students, young children, families, and the wider community.



It is **OUR VISION** to be a *thriving Christ-centred learning community.*

Our desire is to build a dynamic, nurturing, inclusive school community and to be a lighthouse in our local community - shining for Jesus, and serving with care and excellence. We are committed to working in harmony with our families, churches and communities to build a vibrant culture of excellence.



It is **OUR MISSION** to *enable every student to flourish.*

Our belief is that students and young children will truly flourish when their spiritual, mental, physical, and social needs are met. We want to inspire and care holistically for each person - equipping them with the beliefs, values, and skills to live a life of purpose, hope, joy, and peace as a global citizen for Christ.



Our **MOTTO** is *Everything with God.*

At BAC, God is at the centre of everything we do. Our Christian values are integrated into our learning and social activities as we strive to shine His light, and instil a Christ-like character in our students. We believe in a Creator God who encourages us to go out into His world to care for it, to learn about it, and to learn from it. We invite Him into our lives and into our school daily, as we study what He created.

Based on our motto, our **CORE VALUES** are:

## **INTEGRITY**

Choosing to do what is right, regardless of who would know or what others might think or say.

## **RESPECT**

Practising integrity based on the Creator God's code leads to the development of a deep sense of self-respect, which in turn leads us to respect others.

## **JOY**

Joy results from living a life of integrity and respect. Joy is more than happiness, which is generated by external conditions; joy is a deep sense of well-being that comes from within and is evidence of the Spirit of God living within us.

*Our values and beliefs as a school, lived daily, provide a safe and caring environment that allows students to learn, develop, and flourish.*