



## **Our Principles:**

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The Core Values of JFK students and staff apply to all aspects of Boarding House life as they do to all other areas of the School. (*Ref: Parents' Handbook*). The principles of boarding will be carried out in line with the School's policies and procedures to ensure the safety and wellbeing of every individual.

### **In short our specific aims are to:**

- Safeguard and promote the welfare of each boarder
- Enable boarders to grow into independent, disciplined and self-reliant adults
- Enable boarders to develop good relationships with all sectors of the community
- Enable boarders to develop their own moral, spiritual and social values
- Enable boarders to fulfil their intellectual, academic, sporting and creative potential
- Enable boarders to have opportunities for leadership and responsibility within the House

### **How we fulfil these aims:**

- Develop an atmosphere of mutual trust and respect within the House
- Create an enjoyable environment and community where we all can live and work together in a spirit of harmony and tolerance
- Provide time within the structure of the House program for boarders to discuss issues with a variety of adults
- Encourage boarders to take care of those within the House and outside in the broader community
- Provide a framework which will allow the boarders to achieve a high standard in their interests and academic pursuits
- Arrange varied and enjoyable opportunities for relaxation, hobbies, cultural and social outings
- Provide an environment which is safe and free from danger
- Provide accommodation, which is comfortable, well maintained and appropriate to the boarders' needs