



Fostering Learning and Leadership

## SWAN VALLEY ANGLICAN COMMUNITY SCHOOL

"Students dare to challenge themselves and aim to succeed when they feel supported in a caring and nurturing environment with dedicated and highly experienced teachers. This is of the utmost importance at the School as we strive to be innovative educational leaders".

# FOSTERING LEARNING AND LEADERSHIP

Swan Valley Anglican Community School is committed to being one of the finest teaching and learning institutions by offering young students the finest education. This vision acts as a guiding light in all areas of the School's operations, underpinning our approach to all we do.

Swan Valley Anglican Community School is a School of the Anglican Schools Commission (Inc.) located in the thriving and attractive residential suburb of Aveley, in Perth, Western Australia.

Schools of the Anglican Schools Commission (Inc.) are co-educational communities of excellence and educational centres of caring. Most offer a comprehensive Kindergarten to Year 12 education. They deliver excellence in education, stressing high achievement in traditional academic subjects, balanced by comprehensive co-curricular and vocational programs. These are underpinned by core Christian values and teaching in the time-honoured Anglican tradition. Pastoral care and social justice are central to each school's outworking of the Christian faith within its community.

The School offers a high quality, holistic Christian education to primary and secondary school students of the Swan Valley and the wider state of Western Australia. The School seeks to engender in its students, parents and staff a clear identity and a strong sense of belonging, confidence, interdependence and faith. Through a comprehensive and rigorous curriculum the individual talents of students will be developed to the full. Learning will be grounded with our students becoming critical and compassionate thinkers who are able to communicate and engage in an informed and active manner in local and world affairs.

Swan Valley Anglican Community School being an Anglican educational community values and promotes the following:

- An informed and considered understanding of the spiritual and moral basis of life.
- The balanced and holistic development of the individual's intellectual, emotional, physical, cultural and spiritual potential.
- An appreciation that all children can and want to learn and grow.
- The development of citizens who are both responsible and critically aware, and as such are engaged in serving their community.
- A culture of inquiry and the development of essential skills for life-long learning.
- The pursuit of learning and excellence by all students and staff.

Our Purpose is to enable our School to be a community rich in human engagement and endeavour, a place where students look beyond the bounds of the classroom to see the world around them; a place where students have the confidence to grow and develop; a community that values excellence and that which promotes and values the principles of respect, integrity, honour, service and duty to others.

### As a Kindergarten to Year 12 School

of the Anglican Schools Commission our Core Purpose is: To dedicate ourselves to the development of each and every student.

# A DYNAMIC AND THRIVING COMMUNITY

The most exciting aspect of our development is the building and establishment of the values and traditions that will serve this community for decades to come.

Key steps in our journey over the next four years will be to:

- Further develop our reputation as a distinctly Anglican school with a strong academic focus.
- Maintain our high standards.
- Build on our opportunities to grow and develop in a dynamic way and be recognised as a leading educational institution.
- Strengthen our firm foundation of Christian values to model faith in life, be open to others, and encourage our students' involvement in service learning.
- Develop teaching and learning practices that provide opportunities for all students to achieve their potential.
- Create a co-curricular culture that enriches students' learning experiences.
- Be recognised for excellence in pastoral care where every student feels valued and has a strong sense of belonging.
- Foster relationships with ASC schools and beyond to create opportunities for our students.
- Develop the School's buildings, grounds and facilities to support our educational outcomes.



#### **CORE VALUES**

We aspire to uphold the following Core Values:

Commitment

Integrity

Compassion

Faith

Service

#### CORE ACTIVITIES

Faith and Values
Teaching and Learning
Pastoral Care
Community
Governance and Leadership

### THREE SCHOOLS IN ONE

Swan Valley Anglican Community School is coordinated and organised through three sub-schools:

- Early Childhood Learning Centre (K Year 2)
- Junior School (Year 3 Year 6)
- Senior School (Year 7- Year 12)

This organisation permits the School to provide the best learning environment and structures to support each child at these critical years of development.

The K-12 campus with three sub-schools also provides a wonderful opportunity for older students to work with and support younger students in their development. This aspect of peer support provides wonderful and supportive role modelling to younger students whilst aiding the development of leadership, interpersonal and communication skills in our older students.

## **ENROLMENT**

Your child's education is of great importance. We are here to guide you and support you through the process of enrolment. An enrolment package can be downloaded from the School website <a href="www.svacs.wa.edu.au">www.svacs.wa.edu.au</a> under Enrolments or contact the School Registrar on 9297 9506.

### **TOURS**

Individual tours or group tours are available. To partake in a tour please contact the School on 9297 9506. Tour dates can be found on the website at www.svacs.wa.edu.au.



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