MISSION
St Joseph’s College Mildura is a co-educational College in the tradition of the Sisters of Mercy. We aim for the education of the whole person in an inclusive Catholic community where dignity and respect for the individual complements the fulfilment of potential in all of our endeavours.

VISION
St Joseph's aspires to be a living sign of faith, hope and love as we build a welcoming learning community for students, staff and families. In the spirit of Catherine McAuley, our College provides opportunities for students to be empowered through:

- The development of a faith response in individuals and as a Catholic community.
- The education of the whole person - spiritually, physically, emotionally, artistically, intellectually, socially.
- building a desire within students to be life-long learners who fully use their God-given talents.
- Experiencing a learning community which offers a just and inclusive environment where students can find respect for diverse and passionate educational pursuits.
- The encouragement of global citizens committed to a Christ-centred vision of a united world, where social justice is a key focus in policy and practice.

CORE VALUES

SPIRITUALITY
‘A spiritual person … is able to judge the value of everything.’
1 Corinthians 2:15
Nurturing in the individual and the community a sense of being connected to God

EXCELLENCE
‘And some seed fell into good soil … and yielded thirty, sixty, even a hundredfold’
Matthew 13:8
Encouraging and celebrating the development of excellence within the College community

COMPASSION
‘Do to others whatever you would have them do to you…’
Matthew 7:12
Seeking to empathise with and respond to others in a spirit of Mercy

JUSTICE
‘Judge not and you will not be judged, forgive and you will be forgiven.’
Luke 6:37
Promoting justice, opportunity and equity through the awareness of the rights and responsibilities of all

HOSPITALITY
‘I was a stranger and you welcomed me’
Matthew 25:35
Welcoming all within a friendly Catholic environment

COMMUNITY
‘The whole group of believers was united, heart and soul… None of their members was ever in want’
Acts 4:32-34
Enabling belonging, respect, support and commitment as partnerships develop

SERVICE
‘I was hungry and you gave me food.’
Matthew 25:35
Seeking and providing a Mercy mission within and beyond the St Joseph’s College community
EXPLANATION OF LOGO & MOTTO

Star
6 Points, Star of Mary

Crown
Christ the King

SJC
St Joseph’s College

Gold
Sun of Sunraysia

Purple
Colour of inaugural College House - Padua, named after St Anthony of Padua

Red
Colour of inaugural College House - Xavier, named after St Francis Xavier

Virtue Conquers
Acting in a true and honourable way

ST JOSEPH’S COLLEGE PRAYER

Loving God

We pray that St Joseph’s College Mildura will always be a place of learning, discovery and diversity.

Empower us to always strive for success and to respect all members of our College community.

Enable us to fully develop our skills and values so that we may reach our full potential.

Help us to demonstrate our Mercy Values of Spirituality, Excellence, Compassion, Hospitality, Justice, Community and Service.

In all that we do may we follow the example set by Catherine McAuley and the Sisters of Mercy.

Amen.