

## Belief Statement

We believe that:

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God is the center of our existence and Christ is our model for truth and compassion.

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Compassionate presence, justice, service, and concern for the dignity of all persons (the charisms of our foundress, Catherine McAuley) are the foundation of our school and of a moral and enlightened society.

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Positive moral and religious values lived out in ethical conduct and services are fundamental to an interdependent society.

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All children can succeed in a positive educational environment.

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Everyone has an obligation to offer his or her gifts in service to others.

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Education is the responsibility of the entire community.

- The dignity and worth of each individual must be recognized and valued.
- The family is the most significant institution in society.
- Understanding and appreciation of cultural diversity are critical to world peace and global harmony.
- Lifelong learning is essential to fulfillment of one's potential in a changing, interdependent world.
- Individual actions influence the world and its people.
- Each person must assume stewardship of this planet.
- Appreciation of the arts enlightens the human mind and spirit

