

Mission Statement

Ubi Caritas deus ibi est
(Where there is charity and love God is there)

St. John's Special School is a co-educational, Catholic, Special School which strives to provide a well-ordered, happy and secure atmosphere where the intellectual, spiritual physical, moral and cultural needs of the pupils are identified and addressed.

As St. John's is a school with a Catholic ethos we strive to develop a spiritual and good moral foundation, it also has due recognition for all other religions.

St. John's will strive to promote, both individually and collectively the professional and personal development of staff through staff development programmes.

St. John's will encourage the involvement of parents through home/school contacts.

St. John's will endeavour to enhance the self esteem of everyone in the school community, to imbue in the pupils respect for people and property and to encourage in them the idea of being responsible.

St. John's will promote gender equality among all staff and pupils.

On leaving school our aim is that each pupil has developed as far as possible competence in literacy, numeracy, and language skills to take their rightful place as young adults in our society.

Our aspiration is that pupils will leave St. John's as confident, independent young adults with a knowledge and appreciation of their social, cultural and physical environment.

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