



# 2020-24 Strategic Plan

## VISION

Preparing the individual to make a world of difference.

## MISSION

Treetops provides a dynamic inquiry-based education that empowers the individual to reach their unique potential within a natural and respectful setting.

## ETHOS

Treetops holds at its core the value of each individual child as a learner who is at the centre of the learning process.

As a community we exist to facilitate the best possible education outcomes through shaping our programmes in response to individual need.

## VALUES

- Education is a shared responsibility of students, family and school.
- Students are presented with a challenging and broad academic environment that encourages intellectual inquiry and critical thinking.
- Nurturing curiosity and creativity is the key to stimulating exploration and discovery throughout life.
- Students learn best when they are actively engaged in authentic learning experiences.

## Core Pillars

### Governance and Leadership

Accountable and transparent in accordance with our Values

### Teaching, Learning and Wellness

Innovative, child-centred education that supports development of the whole child, in partnership with students, teachers and parents

### Engagement and Promotion

Foster high levels of active engagement and promote the school and its unique offering

### Finance and Resourcing

Financially sustainable with adequate resourcing to deliver our Strategic Goals

## Strategic Goals

- Parents and students have high quality information about:
  - individual student growth and academic performance
  - Treetops' Montessori-inspired pedagogical approach across all ages and the relationship to the Government-set curriculum
- Physically active students with access to unique, nature-based physical opportunities for all age groups
- Consolidate, build and promote Treetops' strong science focus (STEM) and champion environmental best practice
- Maintain and promote Treetops' strength in visual art and music
- Implement a highly evolved, broad-based wellness programme aligned to the Montessori motto of 'help me to do it myself'
- An embedded Aboriginal culture and heritage programme which is lauded for its authenticity
- Known for the successful and vanguard approach to best pedagogical practice for all age groups and sought out by families who greatly value the power of education as a transformative tool
- Achieve a sustainable level of 150 enrolments by 2024
- Held in high regard by the local community
- Continue to attract and retain high quality staff passionate about best-practice delivery of Treetops Montessori-inspired pedagogical approach
- Remain competitively priced for parents and students looking for alternative pathways for academic success