The programs of, and teaching in St Vincent’s School support and promote the principles and practice of Australian Democracy, including a commitment to:

- elected Government
- the rule of law
- equal rights for all before the law
- freedom of religion
- freedom of speech and association
- the values of openness and tolerance.
- student attendance at the Anzac Day memorial at RSL
- democratically elected school and house captains

St Vincent’s School displays posters of democratic values. The flying of the Australian flag is a regular observance in our school at assemblies and important events. Through the integrated inquiry units of work the students undertake studies in the two dimensions of the Civics and Citizenship domain of Victorian Essential Learning Standard: *civic knowledge and understanding and community engagement*.

This statement is available on the school’s website.