



The Australian International Academy of Education declares and affirms that school programmes and teaching practices embrace the following important Principles

## AFFIRMATION OF DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLES and PRACTICES

- The promotion of peace, harmony and understanding through intercultural interactions.
- All Australians have equal rights before the law. We reject any form(s) of discrimination based on race, religion or gender.
- The rule of law and respect for the rights of others.
- The values of fairness, openness, sharing and giving a hand, looking after neighbours, tolerance, understanding and acceptance.
- People are free to choose and practice their religions. But we reject those who preach violence and hatred in the name of any religion.
- The right of individuals to enjoy freedom of speech, expression and association. But we reject verbal and written abuses and transgressions against others under the cover of freedom of speech and expression.
- The Australian system of democratically elected governments and councils is the best that serves the interest of all Australians.