



St. Columba's College

Columban Values

The pupils and staff of St. Columba's College have adopted these five principles that we think best sum up the ethos and values for which Columbans should strive.

Kindness



We build others up with the words that we use and we don't spread gossip



We look for opportunities to do acts of kindness for others



We always try to see the best in other people

Compassion



We seek to understand the lives of those around us and to 'walk in their shoes'



We celebrate each other's achievements and share their disappointments



We are slow to judge and quick to forgive

Inclusion



People are different from each other in many ways, but of equal value



We show respect to all members of the community and celebrate our common humanity



All should be made to feel welcome at St. Columba's College

Responsibility



We take responsibility for our own work and our own behaviour



We are responsible for the well-being of our school community



We are responsible for the future of the world that we all live in and the sustainability of its resources

Determination



We work hard and take full advantage of our opportunities



We try to develop resilience and not give up at the first failure



We always strive to be the best version of ourselves