Parents and Friends Charter

PURPOSE
The purpose of this Community Charter is to guide the work and activities of the St Anthony's Community Parents and Friends.

SHARED UNDERSTANDINGS
Our Charter is based on the values of Faith, hope, and empowering each other. We believe our Community is called together through Faith and is inclusive of all members of our Community. We believe in providing for the common good of our Community and working in partnership with others in our Parish.

OUR VISION
Our vision of Community is centred on harmonious and engaging relationships where communication is highly valued. As a Community, we hope to create a sense of belonging and involvement; to know each other by name and background; to nurture a supportive environment; to create networks of connectedness; and, to encourage all to contribute to the growth and energy of the Community

COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP TEAM
A Community Leadership Team is established to ensure that all Community meetings are organised and that all actions are implemented. The Community Leadership Team is comprised of the Principal, Chairperson, Secretary and Treasurer. The Chairperson, Secretary and Treasurer are duly elected at our Annual Community Gathering (ACG).

DELIBERATION & DISCERNMENT
Our decision-making will be via consensus rather than by voting, reflecting our collaborative partnership as a Community.

ACTIVITY CONVENORS
For each activity organised, our Community will invite a person to take on the role of Convenor. The Convenor's role is primarily to be the contact person for the activity and to co-ordinate all the necessary arrangements for the nominated activity.

FUNDRAISING
All funds raised for the Community will be spent on materials and resources as determined in consultation with the Principal.

ANNUAL FORWARD AGENDA
During the final two meetings of each year, our Community will develop an annual forward agenda (a twelve month plan) for the year ahead

Our Community Charter was endorsed by the Principal.