Mission Statement

The School motto, ‘Gentleman, Scholar, Sportsman,’ is the foundation upon which the School aims to achieve its vision of preparing boys to become independent, resourceful, caring individuals and contributing members of society.

As a small boys-only school, we foster a sense of community where all boys know and are able to interact with each other across all grades, from Kindergarten to Year Six. This approach engenders a culture of inclusivity, enhanced self-esteem and diversity.

The School endeavors to teach boys respect and responsibility for themselves, for others, for the School environment and for the wider community. The School insists upon gentlemanly behaviour, good manners, politeness and courtesy from all its students. The School classrooms are learning environments, centered on individual needs, independent learning and whole class outcomes, which are necessary for ongoing personal growth and development.

The School encourages all boys to participate in the School sports program, House activities and cultural pursuits, which promote teamwork, a sense of fair play, camaraderie and School Spirit.

The School strives to ensure each that student’s experience at Coogee Prep is a positive one. The safe, nurturing and supportive environment encourages all students to develop their potential, where scholastic, social and personal resilience is highly desired. Boys are encouraged to take measured risks and meet all challenges presented to ultimately prepare themselves for the rigours and challenges of further education and beyond.