# STRATEGIC PLAN 2021 - 2026

\*\* We are a K-12 Coeducational College established by the Maronite Sisters of the Holy Family. We offer diverse and challenging academic and sporting initiatives, social development and spiritual formation, in a community centred environment. \*\*

MARONITE COLLEGE OF THE HOLY FAMILY





## Message from the Board and College Principal

From its humble beginnings, the Maronite College of the Holy Family, had at its core, a diverse and engaging community. It is a result of consultation with this community, that we delightfully present the College Strategic Plan for 2021 – 2026, which will set the overall direction for the College over the next 5 years. The strategic plan will also set out the key values that the Board believes will form the basis of how the College operates and develops.

Maronite College of the Holy Family is an independent K-12 Co-Ed Maronite Catholic College with a tradition steeped in the values of the Congregation of the Maronite Sisters of the Holy Family. The strategies entailed within this document are designed to support and deliver the mission statement and intended outcomes, aligned to the spiritual and cultural elements of its community.

As we depart from one of the most challenging years in modern history, we embark on a journey of transforming both the way our students learn and the environment in which they are taught. This period will bring about a significant change to the facilities of MCHF with various capital works projects planned, along with many operational initiatives. A significant investment in infrastructure will complement the teaching and learning transformation. The College Board, along with the College Leadership team, has developed a range of strategic priorities with short and long-term goals which are based around the College's Strategic Plan for 2021-2026.

This Strategic Plan covers three priority areas:

- 1. Our Identity
- 2. Our Learners
- 3. Our Community

As we journey into the future we will continue to deliver quality outcomes and seek to further develop our student's ability to problem solve through an environment that encourages best pedagogical practice.

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Mr George Khouri Chair of the Board

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Sr Irene Boughosn Principal



# Story of the Maronite Sisters of the Holy Family

Patriarch Elias Howayek was convinced that the future of any Country relied on the education of young girls, as they were the mother to be, the heart of the family, which in turn was the foundation of society. Through education, they would become positive contributors in shaping the values of a Nation.

Patriarch Elias Howayek, along with Sr Rosalie Nasr and Sr Stéphanie Kardouche, founded 'The Congregation of the Maronite Sisters of the Holy Family' (MSHF) in North Lebanon.

The Congregation was the first female religious missionary Congregation of the Maronite Patriarchal Rite, and historically was 'founded for' the ministry of service to the Church through education, for the betterment of society. Established in 1895 the Congregation from the very beginning focused on the needs of the times, committed to educational, humanitarian and spiritual service to all. The mission of the Congregation has since expanded to include numerous coeducational schools, care of the elderly and the sick through the ministry of nursing, and ongoing pastoral ministry in parishes.

Students of the MSHF are encouraged to grow holistically with focus on the spiritual as well as the academic and social dimensions of the person. Students are nurtured in faith, challenged academically, and encouraged to participate in extra-curricular activities, so as to positively contribute to society at large, shaping a positive future for all.

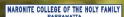
#### Mission

Inspired by the Maronite Sisters of the Holy Family, we accompany our students in the realisation of their potential.



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#### Vision

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We challenge our community to grow in faith, strive for excellence & transform the future.

# **OUR IDENTITY**

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# **Strategic Intent**

Our faith and charism are embedded in and inform all aspects of College life. We respond to the needs of the times with discernment and integrity.

### Goals

- Cultivate and celebrate Maronite spirituality
- Promote service, dignity and justice
- Enhance and sustain a one College identity



# **OUR LEARNERS**

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# **Strategic Intent**

We are a welcoming learning community that fosters excellence, nurtures resilience and builds confidence.

### Goals

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- Equip students to claim their place in society and in the world
- Develop a culture of high expectations
- Build self-confidence, persistence and a positive sense of self









We create enduring partnerships.

#### Goals

- Create a culture of mutual respect and trust
- Develop connections within the College
- Develop connections beyond the College







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