



**British International School of the University of Łódź**

**Mission and Values**

**Purpose**

To:

- a) Outline the guiding mission of British International School of the University of Lodz
- b) Outline the core values that as individuals and as an institution guide our conduct and action.

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## **Mission Statement**

British International School of the University of Lodz is committed to providing quality education in a warm, caring and stimulating environment. We are a community that is passionate about academic progress, social development, and personal enrichment of all our pupils and students. We aim to nurture inquiring, knowledgeable and empathetic global citizens who strive to create a better and more peaceful world through intercultural understanding and respect.

## **Values**

British International School of the University of Lodz believes in educating the whole person and accordingly puts an emphasis on our values. We hold this set of values for all members of our community. We believe that an emphasis on these values in everything we do allows us to support the education and development of all our learners in an environment that aims to nurture inquiring, knowledgeable and empathetic global citizens.

*Community minded* - We are a community of learners who support one another as well as the local, national and global community. Through active cooperation and reflection on our roles within the community, we foster a "we" rather than "me" mindset that inspires us to give back to the community.

*Respectful* - We act in a respectful manner to all at all times as we believe in the value of modeling respectful behaviour. We acknowledge the importance of diversity and aim to create a tolerant, inclusive environment where all can express themselves freely.

*Responsible* - We stay true to our values and act with integrity when we feel that something is not right. We are responsible for one another, our community, our actions and the environment.

*Caring* - We look after our physical, mental and emotional wellbeing and that of and the community around us. We are compassionate and encourage all members of our school community to engage in positive social action in the school, and wider community.

*Creative* - We acknowledge that creativity is a vital expression of learning and as a community of learners we strive to create a stimulating environment that fosters the creativity of all.