GENERAL CAPABILITIES

General capabilities, a key dimension of the Australian Curriculum, are addressed in the content of the learning areas. They play a significant role in realising the goals set out in the *Melbourne Declaration on Educational Goals for Young Australians* (MCEETYA 2008) – that all young people in Australia should be supported to become successful learners, confident and creative individuals, and active and informed citizens.

These general capabilities encompass the knowledge, skills, behaviours and dispositions that will help our students to be successful in the twenty-first century.

THE AUSTRALIAN CURRICULUM INCLUDES SEVEN GENERAL CAPABILITIES: