The Made in the Image of God Program at Marymount College recognises the key role of parents in the task of education. Parent Partnerships, Documentation, Professional Development for Staff and the provision of adequate and sound resources are crucial to the implementation of the program.

At Marymount College we believe that...

- Humans are made in the image of God.
- Humans are deserving of the utmost dignity and honour.
- Human sexuality, integral to the human person, is a gift from God through which we can live out our vocation to love.
- The values and insights of the Christian Tradition and Catholic moral teaching enrich our lives and are integral to this program.

Parent Partnerships

We acknowledge that parents have a right and responsibility to educate their children in human sexuality and that it is the role of the school to support parents in this area. We highly value our partnerships with parents and are committed to strengthening and enriching these partnerships.

Being Sexual - the Catholic Tradition

Each and every person, female and male, is a unique expression of God’s love.

Standard 4 (Years 7-8)
Emerging

*Growth towards sexual maturity hinges on the respect that each person shows towards the dignity and integrity of their own bodies as well as the bodies of others*

Year Level Content

- Re-visit puberty and the changes that occur.
- Hormonal changes in puberty.
- An appreciation of the human body as an expression of the image of God.
- An awareness of the implications of adolescent growth and development.