



INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF  
**FLORENCE**

MISSION, VISION, & STRATEGIC PLAN



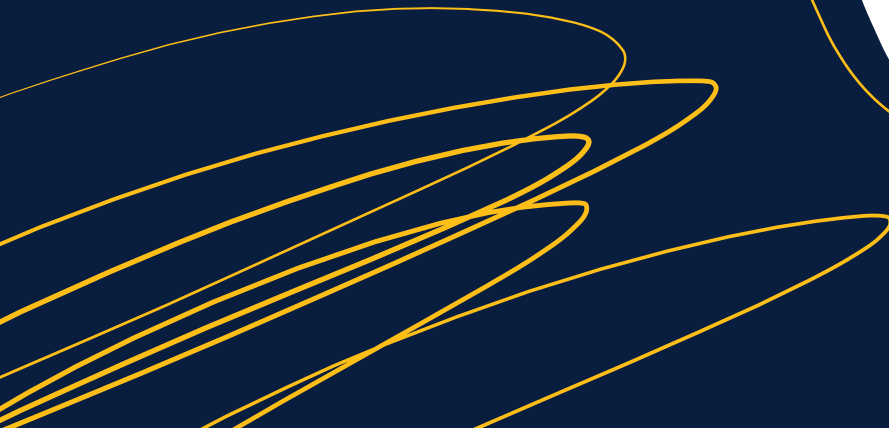
# MISSION

A laboratory for learning where we collaborate to add meaning to a shared future.

# VISION

We aspire to build communities of creative makers and doers.

**STRATEGIC  
PLAN**



## MEANINGFUL LEARNING AND STUDENT AGENCY

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*Cultivate growth through a meaningful and inspiring learning experience*

- Provide relevant innovative methods of student and professional learning consistent with inquiry
- Empower students to take ownership of their learning experiences
- Ensure that student wellbeing is at the core of our practices
- Promote and honor home language learning within our community
- Draw upon the unmatched learning opportunities of Florence
- Recognize the impact of our actions on our interdependent world and promote a culture of solidarity

## ENABLING CHANGE

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*Develop constituencies for change*

- Develop a culture of participation to define the direction of the change demanded by our Mission and Vision
- Ensure regular and purposeful communication regarding changes and their benefits

## CONNECTING WITH PURPOSE

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*Communicate and reflect our unique, shared identity and connect effectively with local and international partners*

- Communicate our shared identity effectively
- Develop a strategic marketing plan that addresses the aspirations of the school
- Cultivate dynamic relationships with local, national, and global partners

## LEADING BY EXAMPLE

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*Further a virtuous culture of leadership and governance*

- Ensure that whole-school structures and systems continue to reflect evolving international best practices
- Ensure that roles and responsibilities continue to be clear
- Harmonize internal strategies with external obligations
- Implement frameworks of self and collaborative appraisal

## FINANCE AND RISK MANAGEMENT

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*Build sustainable financial and risk frameworks to ensure achievement of strategic intents*

- Implement and monitor a long-range budgeting process
- Ensure the cost efficient use of available resources
- Support the development of a variety of income streams
- Ensure that risk is effectively monitored and managed
- Ensure that all financial and risk management strategies and actions remain consistent with the Mission and Vision



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