



**ARTICLE II: Fundamental Principles
(Including the MACSA Statement of Faith – We Believe)**

We commit ourselves to these fundamental principles:

1. That the instruction and education of children in our schools must be in accord with the Word of God.
2. That education is primarily the responsibility of parents.

We believe:

1. In the divine inspiration, infallibility and final authority of the Bible as the only Word of God.
2. In one God, the Creator and Sustainer of the universe, eternally existent in three persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.
3. In the uniqueness of man, by virtue of his special creation in God's image, and his responsibility to understand and master the world to the glory of God.
4. In the unique Deity of the Lord Jesus Christ, the incarnate, virgin-born Son of God.
5. In the representative and substitutionary death of our Lord Jesus Christ as the necessary atonement for our sins.
6. In the power of the Holy Spirit in the work of regeneration and His continuing work in the heart of the believer.
7. In the resurrection of the crucified body of our Lord and that blessed hope, His personal return.
8. In the bodily resurrection of the just and unjust, the everlasting blessedness of the saved and everlasting punishment of the lost.