WE BELIEVE...

ABOUT ASSESSMENT

• **Quality education depends on the alignment of curriculum, instruction and balanced, meaningful assessment that supports, as well as, verifies learning.**
• **Assessment systems should balance the needs of all users.**
• **Good assessment supports student learning.**
• **Effective use of the formative assessment process in classrooms, contributes to the development of life-long learners.**

ABOUT STUDENTS

• **Students are the most important users of assessment information.**
• **Students deserve the benefit of high-quality instruction and assessment practice.**
• **Students deserve to benefit from a balanced assessment system.**

ABOUT EDUCATORS

• **All educators need to be assessment literate.**
• **All educators should be given the opportunity to learn to become assessment literate.**

ABOUT US

• **The MAC’s role is to collaboratively engage with others in the work of advancing assessment literacy and advocating for excellence in assessment practice and systems.**