


ST STEPHEN'S SCHOOL
School Board Policy
ENROLMENT POLICY

VISION STATEMENT

The vision of St Stephen's Primary School is to offer quality education within an environment founded on Gospel Values and the Catholic tradition. The desire is that each person will grow in their knowledge and love of God and come to more closely reflect the living spirit of Christ.

Rationale

In partnership with parents, caregivers, staff and the parish, St Stephen's School is committed to providing high quality, inclusive education as a visible expression of our Catholic identity and heritage.

Values

The St Stephen's School Enrolment Policy gives expression to the following values: respect, acceptance, inclusivity, option for the poor and the nurturing of Catholic faith and personal spirituality.

Policy Statement

Enrolment is available to students, human and physical resources permitting, on the understanding that both parents and students appreciate and support Catholic school philosophy and ethos.

This policy outlines clear, fair and equitable guidelines and procedures for the enrolment of all students.

Consequences

- *Parents, caregivers and students will acknowledge and support the Catholic School Philosophy and ethos of St Stephens's School.*
- *Enrolment is subject to the availability of appropriate human and physical resources.*
- *Enrolled students will participate in any school-based activities which are an expression of the Catholic faith.*
- *Students with special needs will be enrolled under the Special Needs Enrolment Process set down by the Toowoomba Catholic Education Office.*
- *By accepting enrolment parents and caregivers agree to pay all relevant school fees and abide by all school policies.*
- *The Executive Director of the Toowoomba Catholic Education Office will be referred to in cases where this policy has not been adhered to or accepted.*

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