Enrolment Policy

Our mission, at St Agnes School, is to nurture and inspire our students with a quality education, based on Catholic beliefs and traditions, within a positive community. This mission determines our priorities for accepting enrolments.

*Where vacancies exist, enrolment preference will be given to the children of:*

1. *Families who already belong to the school community.*
2. *Catholic families who belong to the parish community.*
3. *Other Catholic families.*
4. *Other families who value the Catholic ethos of our school.*

Enrolment Policy - Guidelines and Implementation

1. **Availability of a Vacancy**
   1.1 The principal will determine the availability of a vacancy.

2. **Enrolment Age**
   2.1 A child is eligible to commence preparatory year provided he/she is five years of age by 30 June of the year enrolled in Prep.

   2.2 A child's birth certificate and baptismal certificate must be presented at the time of enrolment.

3. **Enrolment Applications**
   3.0 It may be necessary to use the date of application to assess applications of equal merit.

   3.1 The signing of a Confirmation of Enrolment form indicates the intention of parents to support school policies and policy guidelines.

4. **Children with Special Needs**
   4.1 Enrolment of children with special needs will be as per guidelines established by Brisbane Catholic Education. These will be outlined to parents at the first interview.

5. **Application Fee**
   5.1 An acceptance fee of $120 is to be paid at the time of Enrolment Confirmation.