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 application fee of $100 is to be paid at the time of Enrolment Confirmation.

School Fees Policy

As a parish community, we share in the mission of providing a Catholic primary education to our students.

School fees and related charges provide the funding that is essential to the provision of a Catholic primary education. Enrolment is an acknowledgment of the legal and moral obligation to share in the burden of this funding in return for the educational opportunities provided by the school community.

Each person who enrols a child at our school should accept responsibility for the payment of all invoiced fees and other charges relating to the education of their child. Whilst the Principal has the discretion to vary or waive fees and charges in circumstances of special hardship, the payment of school fees is regarded as compulsory and will be enforced as a condition of enrolment.