

Notre Dame College Shepparton Enrolment Priority Criteria

This is a college which operates with the consent of the Bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Sandhurst and is owned and operated by Catholic Education Sandhurst Limited (CES Ltd), where formation and education are based on the principles of Catholic doctrine, and where the teachers are outstanding in true doctrine and uprightness of life. This Enrolment Priority Criteria is part of the Enrolment Framework which is available at www.notredame.vic.edu.au.

Where enrolment applications exceed the positions available at the College, the following enrolment priority criteria should be applied:

- Children baptised in the Catholic faith who have completed all their primary education in a Catholic parish primary school and who live in the designated region which the Catholic secondary school serves.
- Children baptised in the Catholic faith who have completed primary education at a school other than a Catholic primary school and who live in the local Shepparton area which the Catholic secondary school serves.
- Children baptised in the Catholic faith from other regions where the designated school has no vacancies.
- Siblings of other children already enrolled at Notre Dame College Shepparton who are not baptised in the Catholic faith.
- Children of other Christian Churches and other faith traditions who have completed primary education in a Catholic parish primary school and who live in the local Shepparton area which the Catholic secondary school serves who, with their parents, respect and agree to support the Catholic mission of the College including the Religious Education it offers for their children.
- Children not baptised, who have completed primary education in a Catholic parish primary school and who live in the local Shepparton area which the Catholic secondary school serves who, with their parents, respect and agree to support the Catholic mission of the College including the Religious Education it offers for their children.
- Children of other Christian churches and faith traditions who have completed primary education in a Christian primary school or another faith-based school and who live in the local Shepparton area which the Catholic secondary school serves who, with their parents, respect and agree to support the Catholic mission of the College including the religious education it offers for them.

- Families who have been committed to Catholic education for the entire primary school education of their child may be given priority over families who have chosen Catholic education for the last year or second last year of primary school for a child.
- Children of other Christian Churches and faith traditions who, with their parents, respect and agree to support the Catholic mission of the College including the religious education it offers for them.
- Children who, with their parents, respect and agree to support the Catholic mission of the College including the religious education it offers for them.
- Other considerations may include; a family association with the College and being the sibling or child of a past pupil. These considerations should not preclude other relevant factors being taken into consideration when determining which children will be offered enrolment. Local pastoral discretion is an important element in the decision-making process and will be taken into account by this College.