



Enrolment Policy

Introduction

Mary MacKillop College is a Catholic Secondary College for girls, educating in the spirit of St Mary of the Cross MacKillop. The Mary MacKillop College Enrolment Policy is based on both the South Australian Commission for Catholic Schools Enrolment Policy and the College's Vision Statement.

At the heart of the vision is the desire to respond to the needs of the individual and their inherent dignity, inviting families and young people to become committed members of the school community.

Vision Statement

Mary MacKillop College is a school community that welcomes all in the name of Jesus Christ, strives to develop the potential of each individual and has a commitment to simplicity of lifestyle with a special concern for those most in need.

Enrolment Criteria

Guided by the SACCS Policy, the following priority criteria for enrolment will apply at Mary MacKillop College:

- Students who have siblings currently attending or have attended Mary MacKillop College and whose family shows active commitment to the Mary MacKillop College community.
- Students who have completed their primary education in Catholic schools and have demonstrated an active commitment to the ethos of Catholic schools.
- Students of Old Scholars who have maintained a commitment to the school and are involved in their parish community.
- Students from other faith traditions who have completed their primary education in Catholic schools.
- Catholic students from government or independent (non Catholic) schools.
- Students from families who demonstrate a commitment to the community of Mary MacKillop College.
- Students transferring from another Catholic school and who demonstrate an active commitment to the ethos of Catholic schools.
- All other applicants will be considered from date of lodgement of Enrolment Application.
- However, all Enrolment Applications will be at the discretion of the Principal in conjunction with the Chairperson of the Board.

All students are enrolled under the understanding that they will be educated in the Catholic tradition and will enter fully into the life of the Mary MacKillop faith community and will participate in liturgies and retreats that are part of the Religious Education Program of the school.