

Frequently Asked Questions

If I enrol my daughter, when will I hear if she is accepted?

The enrolment period for St Clare's College is from 4 May 2020-22 May 2020. Applications should be submitted to the College during this period. Offers of place will be sent to families via email on Wednesday 24 June 2020 with acceptances and payment of the \$50 enrolment fee (Year 7-10) or \$150 (Year 11-12) due by Friday 24 July 2020.

Enrolment applications (irrespective of their priority listing) received after the enrolment cut-off date will only be considered if vacancies still exist. The priority listing for enrolments can be found in the Enrolment Information Pack on our website.

Does my daughter have to do an entrance exam?

Students do not have to sit an entrance exam to enrol at the College. Once accepted we gather information from your daughter's Primary School to help cater for the needs of individual students. If there are specific areas of your daughter's education that you feel you would like to bring to our attention such as the fact that she is gifted or needs assistance in a particular area then please contact the College to arrange an interview with the Inclusive Education Coordinator.

Does St Clare's College Offer Scholarships?

The College offers a number of Senior and Junior Scholarships each year. Our scholarship program offers financial support to students as they continue to build on their strengths and take advantage of the many academic, leadership and development opportunities that the College has to offer. Supporting documentation must be received by the College by 31 March in the year prior to the scholarship year that you are applying for. Further details can be found on our website.

Will interviews be held for entry into Year 7?

Entry interviews for Year 7 are at the Principal's discretion. If the Principal would like to meet with your family then you will be contacted by the Enrolments Officer. Interviews for Year 8-12 are a compulsory part of the enrolment process.

Does my daughter have to be Catholic?

St Clare's College is a school with a diverse range of cultures and religions among its students. All students are warmly welcomed however we are required to adhere to the hierarchy of priorities that has been set by the Catholic Education Office when enrolment applications exceed available places.

Is Religious Education compulsory?

Religious Education is an integral part of the curriculum at St Clare's College and all students are required to participate in classes irrespective of their religious beliefs. Students are also required to participate in liturgies, and retreats in each year level

What is the College's policy on the use of mobile phones?

The College has a strict policy on the use of mobile phones. The complete guidelines can be found in the Mobile Phone Policy on our website.

Does my daughter have to play sport for the College?

The College supports students participating in a whole range of winter and summer sports. Students are welcome to continue playing for their local club however the College does offer students the ability to join a number of College sporting teams.

When will my daughter find out what House she is in?

Your daughter will be advised of her House group when she attends the Year 7 Orientation Day in November or on her first day of school for Years 8-12. Students can nominate to be placed in the same House as their sibling/Mother/cousin etc. We do not take requests for friends to be placed in the same House group.

Are there direct buses to St Clare's College?

ACTION buses determine the school bus routes each year and they publicise the bus timetables on their website.

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