

ENROLMENTS – FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. Who can enrol at Centenary State High School?

Any student who resides within our Catchment Area can enrol at Centenary SHS.

2. What is the 'Catchment Area'?

Catchment areas are designated areas for all Queensland State schools and show the suburbs and streets that fall within a particular zone for each State High School.

The Centenary State High School Catchment Map is on our school website.

3. If my child attends a local primary school, are we considered to be in the catchment area?

Not necessarily. Enrolment eligibility is determined by where you live.

4. Can I still enrol my student if we do not live in the catchment area?

You can make an "Application for out of Catchment Enrolment Consideration". The Principal will make this decision.

5. My child's brother or sister attends Centenary State High School, but we live out of the catchment area. Can I still enrol my child?

Yes, but you will still need to make an "Application for out of Catchment Consideration".

6. My child does not attend a local state school but we live in the catchment area, can I still enrol my child?

Yes, all students and families who live within our catchment area are entitled to enrol, irrespective of the primary school they have attended.

7. What do I need to provide with my child's application?

- Birth Certificate
- Proof of my residential address - for example a current rates, phone or electricity bill, Tenancy agreement
- Latest 2 school reports
- NAPLAN results (Year 5 NAPLAN results)
- Medical information, if relevant
- Completed Enrolment Application booklets

Please provide photocopies of all requested documents. The school is not able to copy these documents.

NO ENROLMENTS WILL BE CONSIDERED UNTIL ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTS ARE SUBMITTED AND ALL SECTIONS OF THE ENROLMENT APPLICATION BOOKLETS ARE COMPLETED. IF YOU ARE UNSURE OF SECTIONS PLEASE SEEK THE ASSISTANCE OF OUR ENROLMENTS OFFICER.

8. Do I have an enrolment interview?

All applicants who have made an Out of Catchment application will normally have an enrolment interview, as well as all applicants who have applied from schools other than the local primary schools of Jindalee State School, Jamboree Heights State School, and Middle Park State School. The Principal or Deputies can request an enrolment interview with any applicant.

9. Will I be notified that my child's enrolment application has been accepted?

All students, whose enrolment applications are accepted, will be sent a Confirmation of Enrolment card and details about the school's Orientation Days to be held in December.

10. Can I send my student to the Orientation Day before enrolling them?

No, students who have not enrolled at the school will not be able to attend the Orientation Days.