

# SPA Doreen Enrolment Priority

1. Priority for enrolment is given to baptised Catholic children and children from Catholic families residing in the Doreen catchment area of Christ the Light parish.

NB: Once the Enrolment form has been received by the school office for baptised Catholic children or children from Catholic families residing in the Doreen catchment area, the child will be automatically accepted but an interview is still required as a formality.

2. We also welcome Catholic children from outside our Doreen catchment but within our parish of Christ the Light (determined by Fr Martin Ashe our Parish Priest). NB: However it remains our policy that families should preferably enrol in their local Catholic school (St Joseph's Mernda and St Mary's Whittlesea). Families must visit their local Catholic schools before deciding to enrol at St Paul the Apostle School. (A release form is required from that school)

3. Children transferring from another Catholic school will be automatically enrolled (but dependent on availability of places).

4. We welcome children from other Christian faiths (determined by Fr Martin Ashe but dependent on availability of places).

5. We also welcome children from non-Christian faiths (determined by Fr Martin Ashe but dependent on availability of places).

Catholic Secondary Colleges - Our major feeder Catholic secondary colleges for St Paul the Apostle School Doreen (as determined by the Catholic Education Melbourne) are Marymede Catholic Co-educational College South Morang, Catholic Ladies College Eltham and Parade College Bundoora. Families will make their own applications when the child is in Year Five.