

**Weedons School #3585**  
**DRAFT Enrolment Scheme**  
Amendment Effective from **TERM 4, 2020**

The guidelines for development and operation of enrolment schemes are issued under section 11G (3) of the Education Act 1989 for the purpose of describing the basis on which the Secretary's powers in relation to enrolment schemes will be exercised.

## **Home Zone**

**All students who live within the home zone described below shall be eligible to enrol at the school.**

Addresses on both sides of boundary roads are considered in-zone unless specified otherwise.

Starting from the intersection of Newtons Road and Curraghs Road, proceeding in an anti-clockwise manner;

- West along Newtons Road to Knights Road
- South west on Knights Road to Hoskyns Road
- North west on Hoskyns Road to West Melton Road
- South west on West Melton Road to Railway Road / Kerrs Road intersection
- South west on Kerrs Road to Wards Road
- South east on Wards Road to Jones Road
- East on Jones Road to George Holmes Road
- South on George Holmes Road to Main South Road (SH1)
- East on Main South Road (SH1) to Larcombs Road
  - Including Weedons Road between Main South Road (SH1) and 503 Weedons Road
  - Including addresses on the north side only of Levi Road from Weedons Road to number 72 Levi Road
  - Including Glenbogle Drive
- South east on Larcombs Road to Bellam Road
  - Including Paige Place
- North on Bellam Road to Robinsons Road
- North on Robinsons Road to Main South Road (SH1) / Curraghs Road
- North on Curraghs Road to Newtons Road

Proof of residence within the home zone may be required.

Each year, applications for enrolment in the following year from in-zone students will be sought by a date that will be published in a daily or community newspaper circulating in the area served by the school. This will enable the board to assess the number of places that can be made available to students who live outside the home zone.

## Transitional arrangements

For families of currently enrolled students living in a defined area whose addresses become “out of zone” as a result of this amendment to the scheme.

The following addresses\* shall be deemed to be “in-zone”, but only for as long as they contain children who, at the time of enrolment, are the siblings of currently enrolled students whose usual place of residence on the date this amendment comes into effect was that address.

*\*See appendix available on request at the school office*

**NB** This is a very tightly defined concession. It does not apply to:

- a children of parents whose usual place of residence changes to this address after the effective date of the amended enrolment scheme boundary; and
- b children of parents who move out of the address after the effective date of the amended enrolment scheme boundary.

Section 11E of the Education Act 1989 states that “a state school’s home zone must be defined by geographic boundaries, and must be described in such a way that any given address is either within or outside the home zone.” The list above defines a location as “in-zone” unless dictated otherwise by the exceptions outlined in a and b above.

## Out of Zone Enrolments

Each year the Board of Trustees will determine the number of places which are likely to be available in the following year for the enrolment of students who live outside the home zone. The Board will publish this information by notice in a daily or community newspaper circulating in the area served by the school. The notice will indicate how applications are to be made and will specify a date by which all applications must be received.

Applications for enrolments will be processed in the following order of priority:

- **First priority** is not applicable as the school does not operate a Special Programme.
- **Second priority** must be given to applicants who are siblings of current students.
- **Third priority** must be given to applicants who are siblings of former students.
- **Fourth priority** must be given to any applicant who is a child of a former student of the school.
- **Fifth priority** must be given to any applicant who is either a child of an employee of the board of the school or a child of a member of the board of the school.
- **Sixth priority** must be given to all other applicants.

If there are more applicants in the second, third, fourth, fifth or sixth priority groups than there are places available, selection within the priority group will be by ballot conducted in accordance with instructions by the Secretary, under Section 11G (1) on the Education Act 1989. Parents will be informed of the date of any ballot by notice in a daily or community newspaper circulating in the area served by the school.

Applicants seeking second or third priority status may be required to give proof of a sibling relationship.

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## Home Zone Amendment

