



NON-PREFERENCE ENROLMENT INFORMATION SHEET

The number of non-preference places available each year is determined by the 1975 Integration Act.

State integrated schools have open places for non-preference students. St John's College has a maximum of 24 places.

Non-preference Criteria

1. The applicants accept that they will be required to pay Attendance Dues as set by the Proprietor of the Diocese of Palmerston North and these are not voluntary.
2. The applicants accept that they will be coming to a school of Catholic Special Character and that their place in the school is conditional on their participation in the programme.

Non-Preference Criteria that apply to this school

The following are criteria to be applied when there are more non-preference enrolments than places available. The acceptance of a place is in order of the following:

1. Siblings of current non-preference students
2. Non-preference students from Catholic Primary / Intermediate Schools
3. Brothers / sons of former non-preference students
4. Sons of current staff members
5. The student's father / grandfather is an Old Boy of St John's College, Hastings
6. The student's sister attends Sacred Heart College, Napier
7. Other non-preference students (i.e. do not meet the above criteria)

All non-preference enrolments are to be finalised by both the Principal and in conjunction with the Diocese of Palmerston North. The notification of acceptance of a place will be in writing and families will be informed by the middle of October of the year prior to enrolment. The final decision is at the discretion of the Principal and the Diocese of Palmerston North. Their decision is final.

Non-preference students who cannot enrol immediately may choose to be placed on a waiting list. Students will be listed by date and criteria number, and will be contacted if places become available.

At the end of the calendar year the list is removed, and students apply to be reinstated on the wait list for the following year.

