1.0 ENROLMENT POLICY

1.1 Children (Kindergarten to Year Six) are accepted into the School, according to the Enrolment Criteria, following an interview with the Principal.

1.2 Children accepted at Kindergarten will not be expected to give way to incoming children.

1.3 Children starting school in Pre Primary should apply for enrolment 18 months ahead.

1.4 Children starting school in Year One should apply for enrolment at least 2 years ahead.

1.5 No applicant will be excluded because of financial difficulties, whether Catholic or otherwise.

1.6 Parents wishing to enrol their child(ren) at St Vincent’s are expected to support the philosophy and policies of the School.

1.7 The minimum age requirement for enrolment into Kindergarten will be that the child turns 4 years of age by 30 June in the year of commencing Kindy. Children enrolling in Kindy will be enrolling in the School, i.e there will be no re-enrolment for Pre Primary.

1.8 The administration retains the right to reconsider these guidelines, should it feel that it is warranted.

2.0 ENROLMENT PRIORITY

2.1 Children from Catholic families actively involved in the life of St Vincent’s Parish. Refer to NOTE below.

2.2 Catholic children with brothers or sisters already attending St Vincent’s.

2.3 Children from other practising Catholic families outside of St Vincent’s Parish. Refer to NOTE below.

2.4 Children with brothers or sisters already attending St Vincent’s, whose parents have been supportive of the School.

2.5 Children from other Christian families, supportive of the ideals and philosophy of St Vincent’s School.

2.6 Children from non-Catholic families, supportive of the ideals and philosophy of St. Vincent’s School

NOTE: The reference of the Parish Priest of St Vincent’s should be the deciding factor with regard to (2.1) or a Priest from a parish other than St Vincent’s, in the case of (2.3).

3.0 INTERPRETATION OF THE POLICY

3.1 The Principal is responsible for the interpretation of the Enrolment Policy.