Dear Parents

Thank you for your enquiry about enrolment at St Joseph’s College.

The St Joseph’s Parish community initiated the development of St Joseph’s College which first opened its doors to students in February 1993 with 115 Year 7 and 8 students. The College currently has 730 students in Years 7 to 12.

The College Mission Statement emphasizes the value that the College community places on the pursuit of excellence and the development of students in their academic, spiritual, social, sporting and cultural endeavours. The distinctiveness of the College can be found in the ways that each individual is encouraged to develop to his or her full potential, and be a participating member of the College community.

Within this community the aims are to:
- Develop an understanding of what it is to be Catholic.
- Develop in students a better understanding of their personal worth and an appreciation of others.
- Encourage each person’s contribution to the development of our community.
- Maintain and develop an environment where all individuals are valued, cared for and respected.
- Ensure that a Christian perspective permeates all areas of the school curriculum and structure.

Should you wish to proceed with this enrolment application please forward the completed application form to the College by June, the year prior to enrolment, along with a copy of your son’s/daughter’s Baptism, Confirmation, Reconciliation and Eucharist Certificates (if applicable), copies of his/her two most recent school reports and the $35.00 application fee. (This application fee is not refundable.) Please note that if your application is for Year 7 in 2008 enrolments will close on 21 June 2007. The next stage in the enrolment process will be the interview which will be held in August the year prior to enrolment.

Should your enrolment enquiry be for the current school year you will be advised if there are any vacancies. An interview will be arranged if there is the possibility of a place at the College. If the particular year level is full you may wish to put your son’s/daughter’s name on the waiting list but places cannot be guaranteed.

Information on the College, along with the enrolment policy, has been enclosed. Please note that any questions regarding school fees should be directed to Mr John Klein at the Parish office: (07) 5536 8701. Should you have any further enquiries please feel free to contact the College office at any time.

Yours sincerely

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PRINCIPAL