# **Preference of Enrolment Categories:**

- <u>5.1</u> The child has been baptised or is being prepared for baptism in the Catholic Church. (You will need to supply the Baptism Certificate of the student applying or a letter from you Parish that they are attending the Sacramental Programme)
- <u>5.2</u> The child's parents/guardians have already allowed one or more of its siblings to be baptised in the Catholic Faith. (You will need to supply the Baptism Certificate for the sibling)
- <u>5.3</u> At least one parent/guardian is a Catholic and although their child has not yet been baptised, the child's participation in the life of the school could lead to the child being baptised.
- 5.4 With the agreement of the child's parent/guardian a significant familial adult undertakes to support the child's formation in the faith and practices of the Catholic Church. The significant familial adult is expected to be practising in their faith in their own local parish. They may be a grandparent, aunt or uncle who is actively involved in the child's upbringing. The Supporting Evidence Form will need to be completed and submitted with the Preference Card to the Parish Priest.
- <u>5.5</u> One or both of a child's non-Catholic parents/guardians is preparing to become Catholic. (you will need a letter from the Parish to confirm)

### **Non-Preference Information:**

The school roll is now at 98% of its maximum with no non-preference places available.

# Non-Preference places criteria:

- The applicants accept that they will be attending a school of Special Character and that their place in the school is conditional on their full participation in the programme.
- The applicants accept that they will be required to pay
   Attendance Dues as set by the Proprietor and these are not voluntary.

# Non-Preference priority criteria that apply to this school.

- 1. The siblings of non-preference students already in the school.
- 2. Sons of current Staff members or current Board of Trustee members
- 3. Sons of Old Boys of the College
- 4. Non-preference students may be placed on a waiting list. Students on this list are wait listed by date and number and will be contacted if places become available.

If there are more applicants than places available, places will be allocated in the order of criteria.

#### Notes

Preference applications will be interviewed first, if there is space left then non-preference applications will be offered interviews.

If there are more applications than places available, unsuccessful applicants will be placed onto a waiting list, in their priority category. Students may be contacted for an interview at a later date, only if space is available. The waiting list will remain current until the beginning of the following school year.