



# WARRINGIA PARK SCHOOL

## Enrolment Procedures

## Criteria for entry

Warringa Park School is a State Government school for students with Intellectual Disabilities. For a student to be eligible to come to Warringa Park School they need to have a diagnosed Intellectual Disability. This does not preclude other disabilities and disorders such as Autism Spectrum, but they have to be assessed as having a full scale IQ of below 70. Students also need to be able to show a prior history of needing ongoing curriculum support.

Students must be between the ages of 5 & 18 to attend Warringa Park School.

## Assessment

The assessment must include a Vineland II as well as a cognitive assessment such as the WISC IV. All assessments must be current. For cognitive assessments this means they must be no more than 2 years old as of their enrolment date. For Vineland's this means they must be no more than 1 year old. Assessments must indicate that the student meets the Department of Education and Early Childhood's (DEECD) criteria for support under the Program for Students with Disabilities (PSD).

For students wishing to enter from a mainstream school, the referring school is responsible for having assessments done if they are required.

Students new to the system, such as a prep or student from interstate or from the Catholic or Independent School system will also require an Educational Needs Questionnaire (ENQ) to be completed. Copies of letters from doctors, paediatricians, occupational, speech or physiotherapists, relating to the student's disability or medical condition are also of assistance in completing assessments and applications.

If all criteria are met then the school will send a Request for Entry to Special School to DEECD on behalf of the student.

## Enrolment Requirements

- Enrolment forms - these can be obtained from the enrolment coordinator
- A copy of the student's birth certificate or passport
- Visa or letter of confirmation of residency in Australia (except for New Zealand nationals)
- A copy of the student's immunisation records
- Copies of any special medical plans, i.e. asthma, epilepsy, and a list of any medication the student takes.

## Transport

Students may attend Warringa Park School from anywhere in the state. However they can only access the bus transport provided by DEECD if they live within our catchment area.

If a student is attending part time, they need to be attending Warringa Park School 3 days a week at least to access the bus transport.

## Uniform

School uniform is compulsory at Warringa Park School for all students. We have a school uniform shop that operates at the school on Thursday mornings between 9 – 11 am. An order form can be obtained from the Office.

## Tours of the School

Staff at the school are always happy to give prospective parents and students a tour of the school, and to discuss all aspects of enrolment at Warringa Park School.

If you would like a tour of the school please contact the enrolment coordinator at the school.

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