Dear Prospective Parents

APPLYING FOR ENROLMENT
YEARS 5 & 7, 2017

St Augustine’s College – Sydney is a congregational Catholic boys College governed and administered in accordance with the traditions of the Order of St Augustine. The College recognizes that the time of enrolment is of great significance in the lives of families and in the wellbeing of the College. Parents who are willing to support the life, nature and identity of St Augustine’s College and the Catholic Church are eligible to apply to enrol their sons at St Augustine’s College.

St Augustine’s College does not require an application fee to lodge an application. However, if after being interviewed and a position is offered at the College, a non-refundable and non-transferrable Acceptance Fee ($1,800.00 OR $1,200.00 for Siblings) will be charged.

Year 5, 2017
The College will have an intake of approximately 80 students into Year 5, 2017. Of these places, around 50 are allocated to Catholic boys who are attending a local Catholic systemic primary school and about 30 places are allocated to boys who are attending public or other local schools.

Year 7, 2017
The College will have an intake of approximately 150 students into Year 7, 2017 to complement the 80 students from Year 6, 2016.

The enrolment deadline for applications for Year 5 and Year 7, 2017 is Friday 27 March 2015. All documentation in support of an enrolment application must be received by this date.

To assist us in assessing an enrolment application, the following supporting documentation should be included with the application, IF NOT PREVIOUSLY PROVIDED:

1. Copy of most recent School Report (Semester 1 and 2, 2014)
2. Basic Skills Test results or NAPLAN results if completed
3. Copy of full Birth Certificate
4. Copy of Baptismal Certificate and other Sacramental Certificates (if completed)
5. Faith Commitment Statement
6. Reference from Parish Priest
7. Copy of reports regarding special education needs
8. Copy of Legal Documentation or Family Court Orders (if applicable)
9. Any other documents or certificates you see relevant to support your son’s application
Unfortunately, due to the overwhelming number of applications received, not all applicants will be offered an interview. In this case, you will be notified in writing by mid June 2015 and your son’s name will remain on our database. To be eligible for enrolment, your son is required to attend a 30 minute interview with the Principal or his delegate.

Interviews are offered to boys based on the availability of places, the information provided on the application form and the additional documentation provided to support the application. Consideration is given to the faith of the applicant and his family, previous ties with the College and the Order of St Augustine, family relationship with the Catholic Church and the particular needs of the family, the applicant and the College.

An offer of enrolment may not be made at the time of the interview. All applicants will be notified in writing of the outcome of their application by mid June 2015. Siblings of current students who attend an interview may receive an offer of enrolment before this date, at the Principal’s discretion.

If an offer of enrolment is made for placement in Year 5 or Year 7, 2017 payment of a non-refundable and non-transferrable Acceptance Fee is required within fourteen (14 days) to confirm your son’s position. New students offered a place for 2017 are required to pay an Acceptance Fee of $1,800.00. Siblings who are offered a place for 2017 are required to pay an Acceptance Fee of $1,200.00.

IMPORTANT DATES:
Friday 13 March 2015 OPEN DAY 4:30pm to 7:00pm
Friday 27 March 2015 ENROLMENT DEADLINE for YEAR 5 & YEAR 7 2017

Our 2015 Open Day will be held on Friday 13 March from 4:30pm to 7:00pm. This is a wonderful opportunity for you to meet our Principal, Tim Cleary and Head of School, Matthew Hutchison and members of staff. Tours will be conducted during the Open Day – bookings are not necessary.

Thank you for your commitment to St Augustine’s College – Sydney. If you have any questions regarding the enrolment process or would like to make any changes to your son’s application, please contact me directly on 9938 8223 or email registrar@saintaug.nsw.edu.au

Yours sincerely

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