

ENROLMENT POLICY

ALBANY RESIDENTIAL COLLEGE

All enrolments are at the discretion of the Board of Management and subject to a satisfactory interview. A list of priorities are outlined should competition for places remain competitive.

Priorities of enrolment -

- Current Enrolments
- Isolated Children – Great Southern
- Siblings – current enrolments
- St Joseph’s College – 24 places
- Kimberley Region Students – 24 places
- Non-Isolated – Great Southern
- Non-Isolated – City
- Primary School
- Great Southern Institute of Technology
- Overseas

1. **CURRENT ENROLMENTS** - All of the above to be in order of date of registration up to the 30th April prior to year of entrance into the College.
2. **ISOLATED CHILDREN – GREAT SOUTHERN**
 - **SIBLINGS – CURRENT ENROLMENS** - Siblings will be given priority in all cases except when a non-isolated child is vying for a position with an isolated child.
 - The isolated child must always have preference.
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3. **ST JOSEPH’S COLLEGE – 24 PLACES** (As per agreement country High School Hostels Authority and Catholic Education Office)
4. **KIMBERLEY REGION STUDENTS – 24 PLACES**
5. **NON ISOLATED – GREAT SOUTHERN**
6. **NON ISOLATED – CITY**
7. **PRIMARY SCHOOL** - These students will be considered on Individual case and merit and availability of position
8. **GREAT SOUTHERN INISTITUE OF TECHNOLOGY** - As primary school and providing they are of High School age.

10. OVERSEAS - Overseas students will be accepted providing they are enrolled at a Local School in which case all the above criteria will apply. It is particularly desirable that overseas students accept the customs and guidelines in place at the College

8. EXIT POLICY – If a student displays an inability to live within the guidelines of the College and brings themselves or the College into disrepute their position at the College will be terminated in accordance with College and CHSHA policy.

NB: This is subject to St Joseph's College and the Catholic Education Office along with the Country High School Hostels Authority have a written agreement:

1. That the 12 bed transportable unit owned by St Joseph's College will remain at the College and that the College has full use of the transportable.

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The Albany Residential College can accommodate 130 students. Vacancies arise each year and you are invited to apply.

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Priority is given to isolated students who enrol at either Albany or North Albany Senior High School. A minimum of 24 places are reserved for students enrolled at St Joseph's College.

How Vacancies are Filled.

Subject to registration of your formal application by 31 January in the preceding year, (that is, 12 months in advance of the year of entry) vacancies will be filled in the following order of priority and within each category according to date of registration.

1. Isolated students who have siblings at the Residential College and who are enrolled at Albany or North Albany Senior High School.

2. Isolated students who are enrolled at Albany or North Albany Senior High School.

3. Isolated children who have siblings at the Residential College and who are enrolled at St Joseph's College.

4. Isolated children who are enrolled at St Joseph's College.

Following the 31 January in the preceding year, any vacancies will be allocated to other applicants according to date of registration.

The Residential College welcomes applications from non-isolated secondary school students, primary school students, and TAFE students of secondary school age. Overseas students who gain admission to a local secondary school are welcome to apply for vacancies not taken up by Australian residents.

Please note: an “isolated” student is one who has deemed eligible to receive a boarding allowance under the *Assistance for Isolated Children Scheme, Youth Allowance* or *ABSTUDY*.