

ST. LEONARD'S CATHOLIC PARISH PRIMARY SCHOOL

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APPLICATION FOR SCHOOL ENROLMENT FORM

CHILD'S NAME Surname......First Name..... Address......Post Code..... Date of BirthReligion.... Sex (Please provide a copy of Baptismal Certificate if your child is a baptised Catholic.) Country of Birth Nationality..... Surname First Name..... FATHER Address......Tel no..... Mobile..... RELIGIONOCCUPATION MOTHER Miss/Mrs/Ms Surname First Name..... Address......Tel no..... Mobile..... RELIGION Mailing Email address..... Other members of the family at school/kindergarten: Name School Grade

Family has lived in St. Leonard's Parish for Do you contribute to St. Leonard's Parish through Thanksgiving Offering envelopes **Yes /No** (Please circle)

Has a completed Census Card been returned to the Parish? Yes/No (Please circle)

A MESSAGE FROM ST LEONARD'S PARISH

Thank you for considering St Leonard's Catholic Primary School as a future school for your child. It is important from our perspective that all applicants understand the significant nature of Catholic Education in contemporary Australia.

St Leonard's Parish is extremely proud of the facilities we have been able to construct to enable our talented teachers to get the best out of all students in their care. While we most certainly celebrate the education achievements that our school continues to deliver for those children, we ask you to not forget that first and foremost this is a Catholic School with the gospel values at its core.

As such we would ask all applicants to understand that the school is only one arm of the Parish.

The 'Living Parish' also involves the following:

Personal & Education in Faith (daily & weekly Masses)

Sacramental Programs (Baptisms, Eucharist, Confirmation, Weddings & Funerals)

St Vincent de Paul Society (looking after the needy)

Bereavement Support (looking after those in need of support after a death in the family)

Family Ministry (assisting families to connect to the church)

Recreation Ministry (the very successful social arm of the church). Some of these groups include:

Boys' Club Friendship Club Men's Club Netball Club

It is important that all members of our Parish (including those who use the school facility) make a conscious effort to financially support the Parish who support so many. The school principal will no doubt have a conversation with you about this before enrolment.

It is also our hope that as you are considering a Catholic School for your child's education, that you also consider the example you set for your children in regard to attending Mass. Sending your child to a Catholic school could well be the perfect opportunity for you to reflect upon your own commitment to the faith and develop a connection to the Parish family.

We certainly look forward to seeing new families to our school making the most of what our Parish offers.

Fr John Dowling Parish Priest Mr Rob Horwood Principal St Leonard's Education Board