

Tarneit West Primary School Enrolment Fact Sheet

If you have a question about enrolment at Tarneit West Primary School, the answer could be here

WHERE IS TARNEIT WEST PRIMARY SCHOOL?

Tarneit West Primary School (interim name) is a new school located at Hummingbird Boulevard, Tarneit West.

WHAT IS THE GOVERNMENT'S POLICY ON SCHOOL ENROLMENTS?

The *Education and Training Reform Act 2006* states that all students are entitled to enrol at their designated neighbourhood government school. It underpins the Department of Education and Training (DET) enrolment policy which can be found at:

<http://www.education.vic.gov.au/school/principals/spag/Pages/azindexe.aspx>

Tarneit West Primary School will follow the Priority Order of Placement clause in the Policy when enrolling students:

1. *Students for whom the school is the designated neighbourhood school.*
2. *Students with a sibling at the same permanent address who are attending the school at the same time.*
3. *Where the regional director has restricted the enrolment, students who reside nearest to the school.*
4. *Students seeking enrolment on specific curriculum grounds.*
5. *All other students in order of closeness of their home to the school.*
6. *In exceptional circumstances, compassionate grounds.*

HOW IS THE DESIGNATED NEIGHBOURHOOD SCHOOL DEFINED?

DET produces maps that show the designated neighbourhood area for each school and the addresses for

which that school is the nearest, measured by direct distance.

Please refer to the Tarneit West Primary School designated neighbourhood boundary map on the Victorian School Building Authority (VSBA) website <http://www.schoolbuildings.vic.gov.au/Pages/Schools/Tarneit-West-Primary-School.aspx>

HOW DO I APPLY FOR ENROLMENT AT TARNEIT WEST PRIMARY SCHOOL?

Prior to the appointment of a principal, please contact the Department of Education and Training South Western Victoria Region office.

HOW IS PERMANENT PLACE OF ADDRESS DEFINED FOR ENROLMENT AT TARNEIT WEST PRIMARY SCHOOL?

Permanent place of address is the address a child permanently resides at with a custodial parent or legal guardian at the time of enrolment. Proof of permanent place of address will require a family to supply appropriate evidence.

I LIVE OUTSIDE OF TARNEIT WEST PRIMARY SCHOOL'S ENROLMENT BOUNDARY. CAN I STILL APPLY FOR ENTRY INTO TARNEIT WEST PRIMARY SCHOOL?

Yes, you may apply for entry to the school. The above criteria will determine acceptance of your enrolment application.

WHO CAN I CONTACT FOR FURTHER INFORMATION?

You can contact the Department of Education and Training South Western Victoria Region office on 03 5225 1000, or via email at swvr@edumail.vic.gov.au if you have questions about applying for a place in 2018.

