



STATEMENT OF FAITH BACKGROUND

The Statement of Faith Background is used to determine priority amongst applicants for places at St Joseph's Catholic College. Some Parishes might have their own Parish Priest's Reference form for the primary school; however this is the only form acceptable to this College. In this way similar information about each applicant will be available. This form is to be given to the Parish Priest for endorsement and returned to the College with the application for admission.

SECTION A (To be filled in by Parent)

FOR ENROLMENT INTO YEAR _____ FOR 20_____

FAMILY DETAILS

Student's Full Name: _____

Address: _____ Post Code: _____

Telephone Number (Home): _____ Religion: _____

Primary School(s) attended by applicant (K-Yr2) _____

(Yr3-Yr4) _____

(Yr5-Yr6) _____

Father's Name: _____ Religion: _____

Mother's Name: _____ Religion: _____

Parish of Worship: _____ Parish Priest: _____

SACRAMENTS RECEIVED BY STUDENT

Baptism Place & date _____

Confirmation Place & date _____

Reconciliation Place & date _____

First Eucharist Place & date _____

In what way were parents involved in preparing the candidate for sacraments of initiation?

CONTRIBUTION OF THE FAMILY TO PARISH LIFE

Families may contribute to parish life in many different ways. Please write down those areas in which some of your family contribute regularly.

1. Mass Attendance

Each week Once a month Few times a year Rarely

2. Liturgy Involvement

At Mass members of the family participate in the following ways:

Acolyte Altar server Offertory Gifts Eucharistic Minister Reader Warden Musician

Other (please specify.)

3. Other Parish Involvement

Members of the family are involved in parish life by participation in Prayer group Youth Group Bible Study Catholic Women’s League Parish Council Special Care Group Legion of Mary Family Group St.Vincent de Paul Altar Society Counters

Other (please specify.)

4. Financial Contribution to Parish

Does the family regularly contribute to the planned giving or weekly envelopes?

(Yes/No) _____

5. Contribution to Parish School or Primary School of the Applicant

How has the family been involved in the activities of the primary school [Support groups (reading, library, excursions etc), Canteen, Fete, P & F.]

Please feel free to attach any further information to this form, which you may wish the parish priest and the enrolment committee to consider.

REFEREES

The Parish Priest may not be aware of the family’s involvement in the life of the Parish. Applicants are invited to name referees, who can validate their contribution to parish life. Please provide contact numbers for referees as the Parish Priest or the enrolment committee may want to contact them.

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

SECTION B

(To be completed by Parish Priest)

PARISH PRIEST'S CONFIRMATION OF STATEMENT

Student Name: _____

Please tick **one** of the following

- I am able to verify as accurate the information contained in this Statement of Faith Background.
- I am unable to verify **some** of the information contained in this Statement of Faith Background.

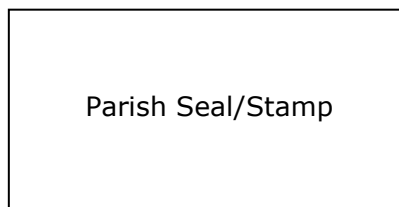
The Enrolment Committee should seek further confirmation in the following areas:

- I have **reservations** about some of the information contained in this Statement of Faith Background, in particular

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Signed: _____ Priest's Name: _____

Parish: _____



Please return completed document to:
The Secretary to the Principal
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