Religious instruction

Under the *Education (General Provisions) Act 2006* any Minister of a religious denomination or society, or an accredited representative who has been approved by the Minister for Education and Training, can provide religious instruction for up to one hour per week to enrolled students who are members of the religious denomination or society.

In line with this:

All Year 1 students and new enrolments are to be placed in religious instruction classes according to the religion identified on their enrolment form.

Students in Prep are not to participate in religious instruction.

Parents should be provided with either a RIS-C1 or a RIS-C2 form that notifies them of their child's placement.

All parents are to be reminded, through the school newsletter and/or the school website, of their right to withdraw their child or change their child's placement for religious instruction 2010.

Continuing students should remain in the class based on the information for 2010 unless the school is notified by parents of changed conditions.

Students who do not have a religion identified on their enrolment form must be provided with alternative activities in a separate physical space.

Only instructors of faith groups with students in attendance at the school retain approval to deliver religious instruction.

It is necessary to inform all parents at enrolment, and on request, of the details of any programs of religious instruction provided at school.