

Trident High School Special Education Centre Admission and Enrolment Guidelines 2022

Special Education Programme for Students with Ongoing Resource Scheme (ORS) funding

The Board of Trustees of Trident High School, in supporting the Special Programme for students with ORS funding, has resolved to adopt the following:

Special Education Centre will be unable to accept Out of Zone enrolments for 2022 if there are 25 students enrolled in the Special Programme. If places become available the Board may conduct a ballot in 2022 for students who are outside the zone and wishing to enrol in the Special Programme.

The maximum number of students that can be accommodated in the programme at any one time is 25, which has been approved by the Ministry.

Eligibility

Students must be verified ORS. Students require individualised attention because:

- They have an intellectual, physical or sensory disability;
- They require an adapted educational programme to best meet their needs.

An interview will be necessary for all applicants.

Enrolment

All enrolments must be approved by the SENCo, Learning Support Coordinators and the HOD Special Education.

Procedures for enrolment in case of more applications than places available:

- Students with Very High ORS verification will be prioritised over students with High ORS verification. If enrolment numbers exceed the 25 cap students will have to be accommodated in the mainstream classes.
- If places become available the Board may conduct a ballot in 2022 for students who meet the criteria for enrolment and who live out of zone.
- The ballot will conform to the balloting procedures as set out in the Ministry of Education instructions August 2000.

Enrolment application packs are available from 16th August from the school office. Enrolments close Friday 10th September. Please contact the school office on office@trident.school.nz for an enrolment pack or call 07 3088159 and leave a message.