

Enrolments Office

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Overseas Student Enrolment Pack

Minimum Academic and English Language Requirements: Overseas Students Policy and Procedures

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Academic Requirements

1. Students must provide evidence of satisfactory academic performance appropriate to entry to the Year level requested on the Application for Enrolment or offered as an alternative point of entry by the school in a Letter of Offer.
 - i) For Primary School: Evidence of application to school work and age-appropriate achievement in literacy and numeracy areas of the curriculum.
 - ii) For Year 7 – 12 students: A pass level or “C” grade or better for the majority of core subjects.

English Language Proficiency Requirements

1. Northside Christian College requires evidence of sufficient proficiency in English to successfully meet the curriculum demands of the enrolled course. This is a requirement under the 2007 National Code of Practice, Section D Standard 2.
2. If applicable, the school can assess evidence of English language proficiency presented by a student at the time of application.

Alternatively, Northside Christian College accepts results from the following test instruments:

Acceptable Test	Minimum Test Result	For Entry to Year
NILLIA (National Languages & Literacy Institute of Australia) from their IELTS Test	Level 4	Year 7
NILLIA from their IELTS Test	Level 4	Year 8
NILLIA from their IELTS Test	Level 5	Year 9
NILLIA from their IELTS Test	Level 5	Year 10
NILLIA from their IELTS Test	Level 6	Year 11

3. Students should note that if their language proficiency is below that outlined above, they may be required to undertake an intensive English language course before beginning mainstream studies.
4. Prior to starting, students enrolled in Year 7-12 may be requested at the College’s discretion to re-sit an IELTS Test or another diagnostic test approved by the College to ascertain that they are at a minimum level of competency – especially for Year 11. All students must be at a minimum level 6 of the NILLIA Band Scale to progress onto an OP course in the College.
5. Students wishing to enter the school below year 7 level are assessed individually based on the contents of their report cards and personal references, and may also be required to undertake a language proficiency test set by the school.

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