



CHANGE OF STATUS FROM INTERNATIONAL STUDENT VISA TO DOMESTIC STUDENT VISA

An International Student who changes visa status from an international student visa to a domestic student visa does not automatically have the right to a place at Carmel College.

Carmel College is an Integrated School which must give priority to Catholic students. Catholic students are given preference over non-preference students. At present there are waiting lists at most year levels for both preference and non preference students.

Under current laws, New Zealand domestic students have the right to enrol at the school for which their home address is zoned but, as a Catholic School, Carmel College is not part of the Ministry of Education's zoning system. Carmel College has an Enrolment Policy implemented by the Board of Trustees and governed by the Preference of Enrolment criteria of the New Zealand Catholic Bishops' Conference.

If the student is in a Carmel homestay, the payments will continue until the Director of International Students is notified in writing by the student's parents or agent. The homestay host will then be given two week's notice.