

The following Questions have been raised during the Avonside Girl's and Shirley Boy's High School's proposed home zone consultation process. Following are the clarified responses.

Question. What is Grand-parenting and how does it work?

Answer. Grand parenting of entitlement to enrol at a school means the siblings of current pupils will be able to enrol at the same school in the future while the prospective student continues to live at the same address that was previously in the school's zone. The school identifies the addresses to which this applies and holds a list.

This grand parenting entitlement does not apply to (a) children of families that move into any discarded area after the adoption of the new enrolment scheme boundary amendment, or (b) children of families currently living in any discarded area and who move out of the area after the adoption of the enrolment scheme amendment.

Question. When would a new zone start and what does that mean for a student starting year 9 in Term 1 of 2019?

Answer. The current school zones will expire upon the close of the 2018 school year. The new zones will be effective for new enrolments from the start of the 2019 school year.

All pre-enrolment processes for prospective enrolments in the 2019 school year will be based on the new zone unless a grand parenting entitlement exists (see above).

Enrolment status is determined upon a student's enrolment (their first day of attendance at the school). A student with in-zone status retains this status regardless of future changes to address or school zone.

Examples:

- (a) Student A, a Year 10 student at another school, moves into a house in the current zone late in 2018. Student A can enrol at the school until the close of the 2018 school year. If Student A does not enrol before the end of the school year, they will not be able to enrol as of right in 2019, as at that time their address will no longer be in-zone. In this instance student A may apply for an out of zone enrolment for which a ballot may be held.
- (b) Student B is a Year 8 student living in the current zone area. Student B is not able to enrol as of right, as their first day of attendance will be in the 2019 school year, at which time their address will no longer be in-zone. Student B may apply for an out of zone enrolment for which a ballot may be held.
- (c) Student C, a Year 9 student of another school, moves into the new zone area late in 2018. Student C cannot enrol at the school as of right, as the zone effective at that time does not include their address. This student will have to attend another education provider until the start of the 2019 school year, when their address will become in-zone or apply for an out of zone enrolment.