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## **'Intention to apply for Year 5 entry to an opportunity class in 2025' For metropolitan/regional applicants**

Dear parent/carer

Opportunity classes are just one of the ways that we support our high potential and gifted students. The classes are offered in Years 5 and 6, with parents/carers applying when their child is in Year 4.

Opportunity classes provide an environment where students can learn and make friends with classmates of similar ability. This can benefit students' academic progress and wellbeing. Opportunity classes are not zoned.

### **Opportunity Class Placement Test**

Applications for opportunity class placement are considered on the results of the Opportunity Class Placement Test.

Students who wish to be considered for placement are required to sit the Opportunity Class Placement Test on **Thursday 1 August 2024**.

### **How to apply**

- Parents/carers apply online between Thursday 4 April and Monday 20 May 2024 at: [education.nsw.gov.au/oc](https://education.nsw.gov.au/oc)
- You must use your own email address and not one belonging to your child.
- You must submit only one application for each child.
- Late applications are not usually accepted.

If you do not have internet access, you can apply at a public library or at your child's school. If you have a disability that prevents you from using a computer, you can contact the Selective Education Unit for assistance after 4 April 2024.

**The tear-off slip below is NOT an application and the school cannot apply on your behalf.**

Yours sincerely

Kayla Edwards  
**Stage 2 Assistant Principal**

Vanessa Cavanagh  
**Principal**

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Cut along the dotted line and return the completed slip below by **Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May 2024**.

### **THIS IS NOT AN APPLICATION FOR ENTRY TO AN OPPORTUNITY CLASS**

This is a notice to your primary school only that you intend to apply.

**To apply you will need to register your email and then submit an application through the Department's website at:**

<https://education.nsw.gov.au/public-schools/selective-high-schools-and-opportunity-classes/year-5>

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Student's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

I intend to apply for opportunity class placement entry in 2025 for my child through the Department's website between Thursday 4 April and Monday 20 May 2024.

Name of parent/carer: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of parent/carer: \_\_\_\_\_

*Making learning meaningful, relationships positive and individuals successful.*