

Selection Committee

A selection committee will decide on the students to be offered places in each academic Year and will also establish a reserve list in priority order. The selection committee comprises at least three people including the School Education Director as chairperson, the Selective High School Principal and a parent representative.

It is helpful for the school's selection committee, if applicants include documents that can demonstrate their academic ability, learning attributes and commitment to school life.

Additional documents could include:

- external test results
- competition results - for example, Australian Mathematics or Science competitions
- school and external awards
- merit certificates
- documents relating to extra-curricular activities, school service and citizenship
- certificates relating to hobbies or outside interests

The selection committee arranges the applications in order of academic merit based upon the evidence submitted. The committee considers material that provides evidence of high academic achievement and participation in extra curricula activities.

In order to help differentiate the students, applicants to Karabar High School will also be asked to sit an examination. This will provide an objective measurement of a student's proficiency across the core skills of Reading and Language, Mathematics and Writing.

This examination will occur on 4 August 2010

If required, applicants may be asked to attend an interview with the Stage Deputy and two members of the Gifted and Talented Committee