



## Enrolling at Portland Bay School

Please contact our friendly front office staff on (03) 5523 2218 to organise a school tour prior to enrolment. They will also be able to supply you with an enrolment form and chat with you about the enrolment process and criteria.

Portland Bay School is not a designated neighbourhood school, and as such, enrolment is based on our Local Enrolment Policy. Students seeking to enrol out our school must have a diagnosis of Intellectual Disability from a registered psychologist evidence by:

- A. Sub-average general intellectual functioning which is demonstrated by a full-scale score of two standard deviations or more below the mean score on a standardised individual test of general intelligence, (for example a full scale score of 70 or below on one of the recommended standardised individual tests of intelligence); **and**
- B. Significant deficits in adaptive behaviour established by a composite score of two standard deviations or more below the mean on an approved standardised test of adaptive behaviour, (for example a Vineland Adaptive Behaviour Scales composite score of 70 or below); **and**
- C. A history and evidence of an ongoing problem with an expectation of continuation during the school years.

Applications from students who do not meet the above criteria will be considered on a case-by-case basis by the region, in consultation with the Principal, in consideration of the student's education and support needs. The Regional Director, South Western Victoria Region must approve enrolments for students who do not meet the eligibility criteria.