

Special Religious Education and Special Education in Ethics Participation Letter

A feature of the public education system in NSW is the opportunity to provide time in class for education in ethics, faith and morality from a religious or non-religious perspective at the choice of parents.

The school website www.stivesnth-p.schools.nsw.edu.au provides information on these options to support parent/carers choice.

Students will continue the same arrangement as the previous year, unless a parent/carers has requested a change in writing. There will be no changes for SRE/SEE after Term 1.

For more information about Special Religious Education (SRE) and Special Education in Ethics (SEE), including the list of approved providers, please visit: <https://education.nsw.gov.au/teaching-and-learning/curriculum/learning-across-the-curriculum/religion-and-ethics>

If your preferred SRE or SEE option is not available please contact the approved provider. Students not attending SRE or SEE are given supervised alternative meaningful activities.

The following options are available at St Ives North Public School. Please choose one.

**Please note that we cannot guarantee that all options will be available for every grade. This will be dependent upon volunteers and numbers.*

SRE Options

- ☐ Option 1: Christian (formerly Protestant)
- ☐ Option 2: Catholic
- ☐ Option 3: Jewish
- ☐ Option 4: Greek Orthodox
- ☐ Option 5: Special Education in Ethics
- ☐ Option 6: Non Scripture. Please check this box if you **do not wish for your child to attend SRE**. Your child will participate in alternative meaningful activities.

Student name: _____ Year: _____

Signature of parent/carers: _____ Date: _____