A guide to support class registrations for Learning and Wellbeing personnel

Introduction

The term **registration** is used to describe the process of initial student application at a school through to the student being accepted (or otherwise) for enrolment at a school.

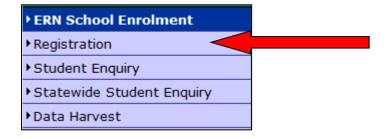
For students enrolling into a regular class, the registration process is carried out by school personnel. Students enrolling in a support class in a regular or special school are identified as part of a panel process and their initial registration into the support classes is managed by Learning and Wellbeing personnel. The student will automatically appear as *registered offered* in the correct support class. From this point, schools follow the standard *Application to enrol in a NSW Government school* process with parents/carers to progress a student's admission to the school.

The Support Class Administration System (SCAS), a component of ERN, contains information about:

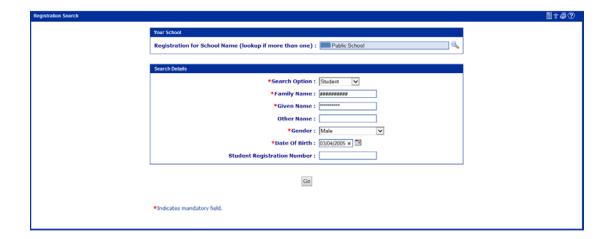
- number and type of support classes in schools
- enrolment capacity of specific support classes
- status of enrolments in support classes e.g. registered offered, enrolled in attendance etc.
- number of enrolments based upon factor of need
- available places based on factor of need

Managing registrations into Support Classes

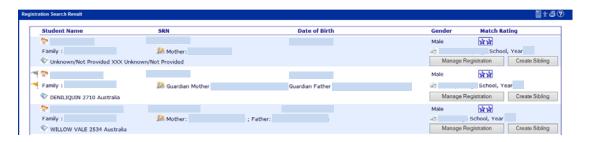
For a student identified for placement into a support class, you will be required to search for the student using the *Registration* function and create a new registration into the identified support class.



 select the school at which the support class is offered, enter the student details and press Go



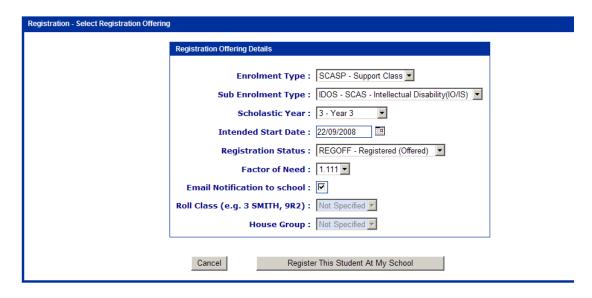
• click Manage Registration corresponding to the matched student



An alert will display letting you know the student's current enrolment.



- enter the registration details including sub enrolment type, scholastic year, intended start date, factor of need and registration status typically you would set the registration status to *Registered Offered*, meaning a place has been offered to the student with the intention of transitioning to an enrolment
- the intended start date for the registration should allow enough time for the school to progress the enrolment (typically 2 to 3 weeks) – once the registration is progressed to *Enrolled (in Attendance)* by the school the actual start date will be entered in ERN
- tick the Email Notification to school checkbox and a system generated email will be automatically sent to the school of registration
- click Register This Student At My School to create the registration



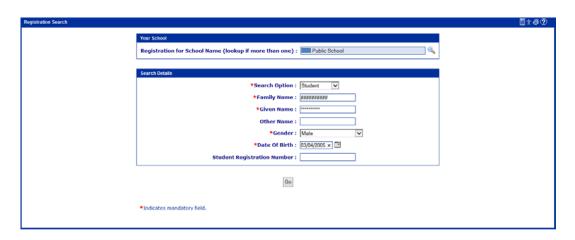
A separate letter will need to be sent to the parent/carer advising them to contact the school and start the *Application to enrol in a NSW Government school* process.

Internal Registrations

An internal registration is where a student has an existing registration in a mainstream class or a support class at a school and a new registration is required into an offering within the same school but of a different enrolment type.

For example if a school runs both a support class IO and a support class IM, and a student has an existing enrolment in the IO support class, then the student can be placed into the IM support class through the internal registration process.

- click Registration in the ERN School Enrolment menu to bring up the registration screen
- select the school at which the support class is offered, enter the student details and press Go



- identify the student you wish to register
- click Manage Registration



An alert will display informing you that the student is currently registered in an existing enrolment type i.e. support class IO



- click Create New Registration to create an internal registration
- enter Registration Details



• click Register This Student At My School to register the student

Internal Transfers - scholastic year only

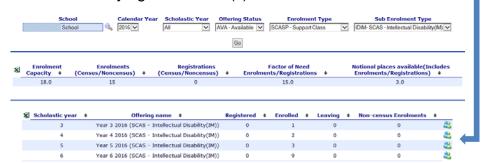
You may be required to transfer a student into a different scholastic year. For example if a student has been placed in the incorrect scholastic year, you can transfer them to the correct scholastic year.

Note:

Internal transfers will by-pass the risk assessment. This process should NOT be used to transfer students across enrolment types. An internal registration (see page 3) MUST be used if the student is required to go through the risk assessment process.

You can perform an internal transfer through the *Place Management* function using the following steps to change the scholastic year

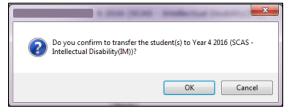
 select the student(s) using Place Management by selecting a cohort and then identifying the student(s) to transfer



- click Transfer
- it is not recommended that you change the enrolment type
- click Get Offers and select the target grade
- select a Factor of Need value



click Transfer and Exit and click OK



Modifying the Factor of Need

You may be required to change the Factor of Need value of a student registration – for example if it was incorrectly entered or it needs to be updated. Only change a factor of need following advice from the Learning and Wellbeing Coordinator or nominee. You can modify / view the factor of need value on a registration through the *Place Management* function using the following steps:

- select the student(s) using Place Management by selecting a cohort and then identifying the student(s)
- click Factor of Need
- select the Factor of Need value from the list of valid values in the pull down menu
- click Save and Exit



Sharing a student



You may be required to share students into another school for example if a student is being shared into a behaviour school. See *Procedures for shared enrolment status of students accessing specialist educational settings*.

You can share a student using the following steps:

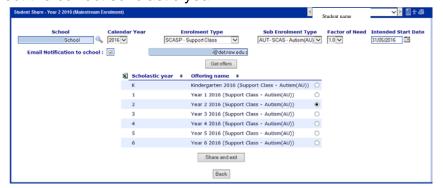
- select the student(s) using Place Management by selecting a cohort and then identifying the student(s) to be shared
- select the student and click the Share button



- select School, Enrolment Type and Sub Enrolment Type
- select the Factor of Need value
- enter the Intended Start Date
- tick Email Notification to school



- click Get offers
- select the correct scholastic year



click Share and exit

Student Enquiry

This search function provides access to students in a particular school using a range of filters. For students in SCAS classes, *Factor of Need* is displayed.

Where the graphic **ા** is displayed in any report, the data can be downloaded as a CSV (Comma Separated Values) file which will display the data in Excel format.





Statewide Student Enquiry

The *Statewide Student Enquiry* function is not available to schools (schools use a school registration search).

The search function involves a state-wide search of students who match the identity criteria for the student. The SRN and the student's details are stored in a common database accessible by all schools during the registration process.

If a student leaves the NSW public school system, their information is stored so that it is available again if the student re-registers at either the same or a different school. If a sibling of a current student wishes to register, specific information that is common to both students (e.g. family details) is made available to the new student's record to simplify the registration process.

To complete a *Registration Search* for a new student who has attended a DoE public school in NSW at either primary or secondary level:

- access the State Wide Student Search screen from the Statewide Student Enquiry tab
- enter the family name, given name, gender and date of birth (this can be approximate)
- to search, click Go
- if there are no matching records you can refine the data (check names e.g. Bob may be Robert) and ensure the date of birth is correct alternatively, click *Deep Search* to have a wider search against the student name
- if more than one record is matching, click *Filter Search* to input additional information to narrow down the records
- click the *View Registration* button to view the student information
- click to view the Registration History
- if a student does have duplicate records, i.e. more than one SRN, check by viewing the *Registration History* and select the active record for the student
- if the student record does not have the *View Registration* button, it means the student is from a non government school and has not been registered into a DoE school

Email Notifications

An automated email will be sent to the school email address with details of the student who will be arriving at the school if the:

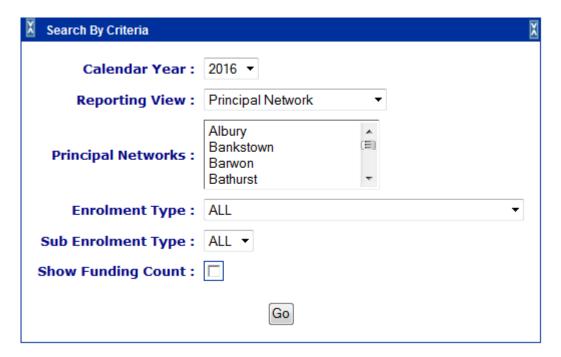
- student has been offered a registration into a support class
- o student has been shared into a support class

SCAS Registration Enquiry

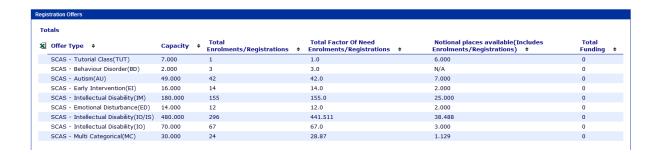
The SCAS Registration Enquiry allows you to view summary principal network/s enrolment numbers and drill down into schools and view enrolment data.

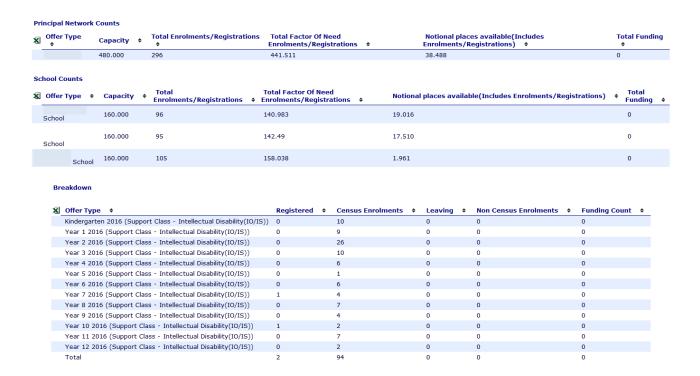
The criteria view allows you to select criteria from drop down lists and will display enrolment data corresponding to your selection.

If you have access to more than one principal network, you can select multiple principal networks.

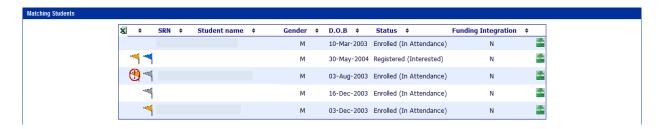


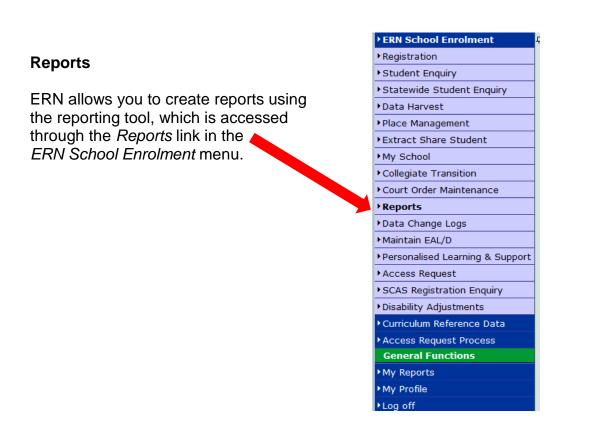
- click Show Funding Count to display the number of students receiving Integration, Funding Support (given that schools tend not to enter this data, this information is inaccurate)
- once you have selected your criteria, press Go to display the enrolment numbers
- you will only be able to view the data to which you have access
- drill down further by clicking on any summary line item





The final match will be the names of the students in a particular class





Reports are split into focus areas. You can access a particular focus area by clicking on a specific reporting tab. The reporting focus areas that will be most relevant to you will be the *Student Details Report*, *Principal Network Report* and *Suspension Summary Report* under *Formatted Reports* tab.

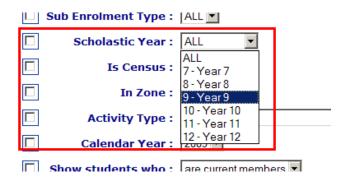
• Student Details Report

The Student Details Report allows you to display details relating to a cohort of students within a particular school, such as all the enrolled students in the support class at a particular High School who are non-census and in year 7. It is important to change the Reporting Focus field to Registration Offering to capture all students.

Reporting Focus: Registration Offering ▼

Principal Network Report

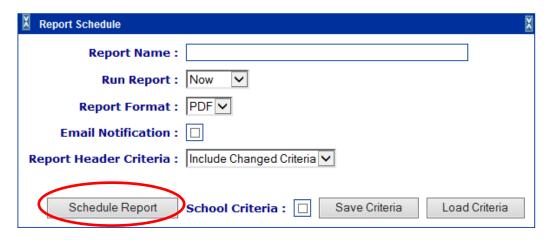
The *Principal Network Report* allows you to display enrolment counts across a particular network or multiple networks such as the number of non-census students. The reporting tool allows you to build your reports based on the selection of reporting criteria. The reporting criteria act as a filter of data and are used to control what information is provided on your report. An example of reporting criteria is *Scholastic Year*. If you are required to display all the students from year 9 then you select *9 - Year 9* from the *Scholastic Year* drop down menu.



By clicking on the checkbox, the data will be displayed as a column on the report. To display all the students and their respective scholastic years, you would check the *Scholastic Year* checkbox, while leaving the criteria set to *ALL*.



To run a report click *Schedule Report* and be sure to select the *Report Format* you require, i.e. PDF or CSV format.

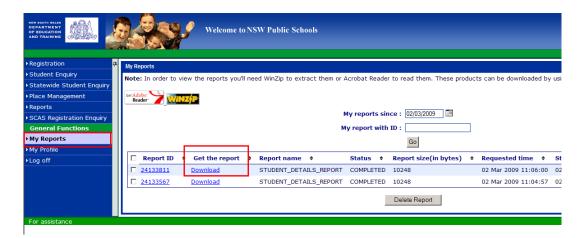


My Reports

Once a report is run, it can be opened from the *My Reports* page which is accessed by clicking on *My Reports* in the ERN School Enrolment menu.

Select your report and click Download.

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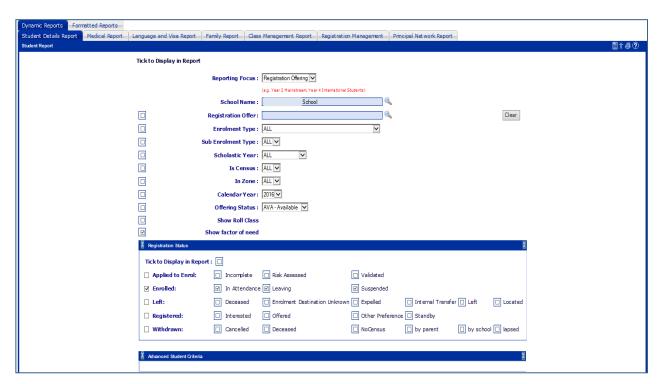


Factor of Need Report for individual schools

You can display factor of need information through the manual selection of criteria on the *Student Details Report*. Alternatively you can also open a preloaded *Factor of Need Report Template*.

The following steps can be used to manually create a *Factor of Need Report* for a particular school:

- click on the Student Details Report
- change the Reporting Focus to Registration Offering
- select the school for the report
- select the enrolment type to be SCAS (you can also select the subenrolment type if required e.g. IO/IS)
- tick the Show Factor of Need check box
- select any of the other criteria to display on the report such as Scholastic Year, Calendar Year, and Registration Status etc. as required
- click Schedule Report
- once a report is run, it can be opened from the My Reports page which is accessed by clicking on My Reports in the ERN School Enrolment menu
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Factor of Need Report for Principal Network/s

The principal network/s report allows you to display enrolment count data relating to your principal network/s. It is a very useful tool to assist with planning.

There are two different principal network reporting focuses which are selected from the *Reporting Focus* drop down menu: *Factor of Need – Statistical* and *Factor of Need – Detailed*.

Factor of Need Statistical

The statistical focus gives you the head enrolment count by *Factor of Need*. This report has been predetermined for you – if you want to change the fields, click into it and make the changes. It also provides a summary of support classes with a breakdown by scholastic year. The predetermined report counts the number of students who are *Applied to Enrol*, *Enrolled* or *Registered Offered*.

Detailed

The detailed focus gives you the list including student details with or without the *Factor of Need*.

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There are different breakdowns available for enrolment counts, for example using Registration Status.

# **Registration Status**

This report gives a count of students based on the registration selected and the reporting focus selected – detailed or statistical.

For example, you can use the following steps to run a report to display the number of students in a principal network in support classes IO/IS who are enrolled but leaving:

- use the reporting focus Detailed
- select a principal network to select more than one principal network, hold down the Ctrl key (on keyboard) and select another principal network
- change the Enrolment Type to SCASP
- change the Sub Enrolment Type to IO/IS
- change the Registration Status to tick only Leaving (remove tick from the other registration statuses)
- change the Report Format to CSV
- click Schedule Report.
- once a report is run, it can be opened from the My Reports page which is accessed by clicking on My Reports in the ERN School Enrolment menu
- select your report and click Download

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#### In Summary

Learning & Wellbeing personnel are responsible for the registration of ALL students into SCAS placements.

School ERN users are not able to register a student into a SCAS Enrolment Type.

- Learning & Wellbeing personnel register a student into a SCAS place, either as a new student or as a shared enrolment (depending on scenario)
- · Schools are notified of this by automated email:

# yourschool.school@det.nsw.edu.au

- Following completion of the Application to enrol in a NSW Government school and acceptance by principal, SAMs/SAOs progress the student's status to Enrolled (In Attendance)
- SAMs/SAOs now have responsibility of class and registration status for the students in SCAS. This includes changing or correcting information on the enrolment form, progressing the enrolment to *Enrolled (In Attendance)* and changing the status to *Leaving* or *Left*.

The only functions that a school does not have in relation to students in a support class placement are:

- registration of a student into the support class
- changing the grades of a student (note: automatic rollover of all grades at end of calendar year)
- entering or changing factor of need
- repetition of a student's grade