



Bayview College

Scholarship or Bursary Application Year 7 2025

Student Name: _____

Vision: *To Believe, To Think, To Achieve*

Mission: *As an independent Christian Community College, we journey towards this vision by delivering high quality teaching and learning through curriculum that consistently challenges our students.*

We believe that the partnership that exists between the parents, students, teachers and community is central in realising this vision.

Enquiries to:

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Checklist

- Application Form Completed
- School Report previous year
- NAPLAN Results if available
- Referees / References
- Evidence of Achievement

Applications Close Friday 15 March 2024

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Year 7 Scholarships and Bursaries

- Applications open Monday 5 February 2024
- Applications close 4.00pm Friday 15 March 2024

Bayview College awards Scholarships and Bursaries to young people who would benefit from, and contribute to, education at Bayview College.

Scholarships and Bursaries are awarded to young people who demonstrate potential for a commitment to the Vision and Mission of the College.

Scholarships and Bursaries are awarded annually to students entering Year 7 for up to four years, with the possibility of extension into the Senior Years. Scholarships and Bursaries will cover up to 50% of tuition fees.

Students awarded scholarships will be bound by the same rights and responsibilities as all students at Bayview College.

Criteria for Awarding Scholarships

Bayview fosters the expectation that each student will become the best person he or she can be. In making its decision, the Scholarship Selection Committee considers the following criteria: as well as impressions gained at interview, latest school reports and references:

Academic Excellence

- Evidence of academic excellence in any of the core subject areas
- Impressions gained at interview.

Applicants are required to sit a comprehensive academic test at Bayview. Parents/applicants are notified of the scholarship outcome by email or phone.

Creative, Visual & Performing Arts

Evidence of potential talent in any of the following areas:

- Art/Design
- Drama
- Music
- Design & Technology

Applicants are required to sit the academic test at Bayview. Applicants are also required to demonstrate ability via the submission of a folio or a performance audition. Parents/applicants will be notified of the scholarship outcome by email or phone.

Physical Education, Sport, and Outdoor Education

Evidence of potential talent in any of the following areas:

- Physical Education
- Sport
- Outdoor Education

Applicants are required to sit the academic test at Bayview. Applicants are asked to submit a portfolio of their sporting/recreational achievements with this application. Parents/applicants are notified of the scholarship outcome by email or phone.

School & Community Involvement

- Involvement in Primary School and Local Community
- Evidence of ongoing participation in extra-curricular activities and engagement with the local and wider community

Applicants are required to sit the academic test at Bayview. Applicants are asked to submit a portfolio of their achievements and evidence of involvement with this application. Parents/applicants are notified of the scholarship outcome by email or phone.

Criteria for Awarding Bursaries

Bayview fosters the expectation that each student will become the best person he or she can be. In making its decision, the Bursary Selection Committee considers the following criteria:

- Letter from Student providing a personal statement outlining how they believe they can contribute to and benefit from a Christian education at Bayview (200 words).
- Reports from current school
- 3 referees (ideally 1 from a Minister of Religion / School Chaplain)
- Confidential demonstration of need
- Completion of Creative Writing piece
- Impressions gained at interview.

Students applying for a Bursary are not required to complete the entire academic testing process. Parents/applicants are notified of the bursary outcome by email or phone.

Application Process and Timeline

Early February	Scholarship/Bursary advertised.
Late March	Applications close
May	Short listed applicants notified, and interviews arranged.
May	All applicants notified.

Scholarship and Bursary applications should include:

1. Applicant's School Report for the end of the previous academic year & latest NAPLAN results.
2. Names and contact details of 2 referees (3 for bursaries) and where possible, a letter of reference to validate and support the application. (Bear in mind teachers/coaches may have several requests, so just the contact details of these are enough.) Some suggestions are primary school principal or teacher, community leader, church minister, sporting coach or club leader.
3. Portfolio of achievements, certificates/examples of your work in your specialised area.

Conditions of Acceptance

Students who accept a scholarship or a bursary agree to be committed to their personal educational progress consistent with the Bayview College Vision and Mission Statement and take personal responsibility to accept and live our standards and expectations.

Scholarship Application

- Scholarships of up to 50% of tuition fees are awarded to young people who demonstrate potential for a commitment to the Vision and Mission of Bayview College.
- They are awarded based on a range of criteria that consider the merit of eligible students.
- Scholarships are awarded annually for students entering Year 7 for up to four years – dependent upon an annual review of performance. Students may re-apply in Year 10 for VCE/VCAL Scholarships.
- Students awarded scholarships are bound by the same rights and responsibilities as all students at Bayview College.

Bursary Application

- Financial bursaries are granted to young people who demonstrate potential for a commitment to the Vision and Mission of Bayview College; whose families wish for a Christian education for their son/daughter, but whose financial position may make this difficult to achieve.
- Students who apply for a bursary will not be required to sit an academic test but will participate in the interview process.

SCHOLARSHIP / BURSARY APPLICATION

Scholarship Application

Bursary Application

Student Details

Surname _____ First Name _____ M / F

Postal Address _____

_____ Postcode _____

Main Contact Email _____

Telephone (H) _____ Mobile _____

Present School _____ D.O.B. _____

Church affiliation (if applicable) _____

Is either parent a previous Bayview College Scholar Y / N

Parent Name _____ Lives with student? Y / N

Parent Name _____ Lives with student? Y / N

Initial interview for introduction to the Scholarship & Bursary Process are offered on afternoons between 3pm – 4:30pm. Please indicate days you are available for booking.

This appointment may be booked with office staff when the application is lodged.

Mon

Tues

Wed

Thurs

Fri

Scholarship Testing will be offered on 2 occasions. Please indicate your preferred day:

Saturday 20 April 9:00 – 11:30am

Tuesday 23 April 3:40 – 6:00pm

Please indicate the main emphasis/specialised area of your application

Tick one (or two) of the following emphasis/specialised area of your application:

- Academic Excellence
- Creative, Visual & Performing Arts
- Physical Education, Sport, and Outdoor Education
- School & Community Involvement

Privacy Policy

This statement is taken from the Bayview policy on how the College uses and manages personal information provided to or collected by it. The College is bound by the National Privacy Principles contained in the Commonwealth Privacy Act. The College will, from time to time, review and update this Privacy Policy to take account of new laws and technology, changes to College operations and practices, and to make sure that it remains appropriate to the changing legal environment.

The type of information that the College collects and holds includes (but is not limited to) personal information, including sensitive information, about:

- students and parents and/or guardians ('parents') before, during and after a student's enrolment at Bayview.
- job applicants, staff members, volunteers, and contractors; and
- other persons who associate with Bayview

Information provided to Bayview.

The College generally collects personal information held about an individual by way of forms filled out by parents or students, face-to-face meetings and interviews, and telephone calls. On occasions persons other than parents and students provide personal information.

In some circumstances the College may be provided with personal information about an individual from a third party, for example a report provided by a medical professional or a reference from another school.

Use of Information Provided

The College uses personal information it collects for the primary purpose of providing an education and appropriate program of instruction according to its Vision and Mission. The purposes for which the College uses personal information on students and parents include:

- to keep parents informed about matters related to their child's schooling, through correspondence, newsletters, and magazines.
- day-to-day administration.
- looking after students' educational, social and medical wellbeing.
- seeking donations and marketing for the College.
- to satisfy legal obligations and allow the College to discharge its duty of care.

In some cases where the College requests personal information about a student or parent, if the information requested is not obtained, the College may not be able to enrol or continue the enrolment of the student.

If you have any concerns about our privacy policy or the way the College is dealing with your information, you are invited to visit our website, where the complete Privacy Policy for Bayview College is located.

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