



GIRRAWHEEN  
SENIOR  
HIGH SCHOOL

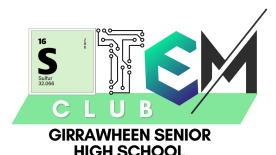


# EXPAND YOUR HORIZONS

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Scholarship Pack for  
Year 6 students enrolling in Year 7

*Providing a financial benefit to the value of \$760  
to scholarship recipients.*



# Endless opportunities

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## Explore All Your Options

Students in Year 6 entering high school the following year, are encouraged to apply for as many scholarships as they wish to, provided that they meet the eligibility criteria.

Please note that if successful, a maximum of one scholarship can be awarded per student.

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## Scholarships available:



STEM SCHOLARSHIP



ELITE SPORTS SCHOLARSHIP



PERFORMING ARTS SCHOLARSHIP



LEADERSHIP AND CITIZENSHIP SCHOLARSHIP



## A Girrawheen Senior High School Scholarship

provides an extension of learning to foster and develop gifted and creative minds, promoting excellence in STEM, Performing Arts, Elite Sports and Leadership.

Students are provided with support throughout their schooling, opening the door to endless opportunities and developing skills for a successful future.

## Affiliated Programs:

### STEM Club:

This extra-curricular academic extension runs once a week after-school. It is coordinated by the WA 2021 Premier's Secondary Teacher of the Year. The program partners with industry specialists, where students learn to use STEM technology to devise solutions to real-world problems and compete at State and National levels.

### Performing Arts Academy:

Our highly successful, award-winning academy for Performing Arts, has classes run by industry experts in both Dance and Drama. The Academy regularly achieves success competing at both State-wide and National competitions. The program aims to improve confidence, creativity, friendship, and team building skills among students.

### Elite Sports Program:

The Elite Sports Program is the first of its type in Perth public education. The program is run in partnership with, and coached by, industry professionals from Curtin University Athletics Club, Warwick Senators Basketball and Badminton WA. Built on the pillars of Fitness & Training, Growth Mindset and Personal Best, students have the opportunity to receive valuable advice from program patron, Duop Reath, who plays in the NBA for the Portland Trail Blazers, and is also a graduate of Girrawheen Senior High School.

### Leadership & Citizenship:

Scholarship recipients will be given the opportunity to run for Student Council in Year 7. If successful, they join the Student Council Form class and become part of an intensive leadership development program. The Student Council a platform for a strong student voice, leading to improvements and activities for students. This is a SCSA endorsed program in Years 10-12.



## STEM SCHOLARSHIP

### Student criteria:

- Interest in STEM subjects
- Outstanding work ethic and commitment to meet deadlines
- Engages in additional learning opportunities
- Focused on goals - strives for improvement at all times

### Benefits for Student

- School Fees to Year 7 to the value of **\$235**.
- School uniform to Year 7 to the value of **\$325**.
- Plus an extra **\$200** to spend on additional educational expenses.

**TOTAL VALUE \$760**



## PERFORMING ARTS SCHOLARSHIP

### Student criteria:

- Talent/ interest in Performing Arts
- Team player - able to work with others
- Commitment to attending rehearsals out of regular school hours
- Display exemplary standard of attendance and behaviour across all learning areas

### Benefits for Student

- School Fees to Year 7 to the value of **\$235**.
- School uniform to Year 7 to the value of **\$325**.
- Plus an extra **\$200** to spend on additional educational expenses.

**TOTAL VALUE \$760**



## ELITE SPORTS SCHOLARSHIP

### Student criteria:

- Interest in sport
- Sets goals and strives for personal improvement
- Commitment to attending practical sessions out of regular school hours
- Display exemplary standard of attendance and behaviour across all learning areas

### Benefits for Student

- School Fees to Year 7 to the value of **\$235**.
- School uniform to Year 7 to the value of **\$325**.
- Plus an extra **\$200** to spend on additional educational expenses.

**TOTAL VALUE \$760**



## LEADERSHIP & CITIZENSHIP SCHOLARSHIP

### Student criteria:

- Demonstrated ability in a leadership role in primary school
- Made outstanding contribution to the life of the school
- Demonstrates school values
- Volunteered time to assist school and/ or community

### Benefits for Student

- School Fees to Year 7 to the value of **\$235**.
- School uniform to Year 7 to the value of **\$325**.
- Plus an extra **\$200** to spend on additional educational expenses.

**TOTAL VALUE \$760**



## Who is eligible to receive a scholarship?

Any Year 6 student enrolling in Year 7 at Girrawheen Senior High School is eligible to apply.

There are a minimum of four scholarships on offer. Additional scholarships may be offered at the School's discretion.



## How to Apply:

**1. Scholarship Packs are available** from the reception at Girrawheen Senior High School.

**2. Complete** the form for the scholarship(s) you wish to apply for, ensuring you have met the necessary requirements.

**3. Return** the completed scholarship form(s) to Girrawheen Senior High School's Reception, along with your enrolment application.

**by Week 8, Term 3.**

## Application Requirements:

- Complete the application form for each scholarship you are applying for
- This includes a statement of support from Primary School (Principal or Teacher)
- Attach copy of most recent school report

**Performing Arts applicants** will be required to successfully audition into the Performing Arts Academy. Auditions for Year 6 students are held in Term 4.

**Elite Sports applicants** are required to successfully apply for the Elite Sports Program to be considered.

## For more information:

contact

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# FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

## 1. How are scholarships selected?

Through a grading by panel selection process:

1. Applications are graded against selection criteria.
2. Shortlisted applicants may be contacted by a panel or more information.
3. Discussion and deliberation by the Panel.

## 2. When do applications have to be submitted?

Applications must be submitted by Week 8 of Term 3.

## 3. Can I submit my application after the cut-off date?

We cannot guarantee late applications will be accepted.

Please contact Girrawheen Senior High School for more information.

## 4. What information needs to be included in the application?

Student details, Parent/Carer details, Personal Statement in response to question on Application Form, Statement of Support from Primary School Teacher or Principal, and copy of most recent report.

## 5. What is the next stage of the selection process?

Usually the application submission is all that is required, (Performing Arts Scholarship requires audition into Performing Arts Academy also) however shortlisted applicants may be contacted for more information.

## 6. What can I spend the \$760 scholarship money on?

**\$235** is used to cover the cost of school fees in Year 7.

**\$325** is used to cover the cost of school uniform in Year 7.

(2x navy blue polo shirts, 1 x orange Phys Ed. shirt, 1 x navy blue sweatshirt, 1 x black puffer jacket, 1 x long pants, 1 x shorts, and 1 x shorts or skirt)

**\$200** can be spent towards additional educational expenses throughout the Year 7 school year, such as excursions, calculator, PAA or ESP uniform etc. If the educational item is an external purchase (such as school bag, sneakers, stationery etc.) the item must be approved prior to purchase by Lower School Deputy or School Principal. You will then need to purchase the item and bring in the receipt to be reimbursed to the value of \$200. It cannot be refunded for cash.

## 7. Does the student have to be an Australian Citizen to apply?

No, any student who is attending Girrawheen Senior High School in Year 7 will be considered for this scholarship.

## 8. Can Primary Schools apply on behalf of a student?

Yes, Primary Schools may submit applications on behalf of a student, however the student is still required to complete the Personal Statement in response to the question on the Application Form.

## 9. How will I know if my child is successful?

Successful applicants will be contacted by the school in writing. They may also be presented at Year 6 Graduation or school assembly.

## 10. Does the STEM Scholarship recipient have to join STEM Club?

Attendance is highly encouraged to enrich the recipients area of interest.

## 11. Does the Performing Arts Scholarship recipient have to be part of the Performing Arts Academy?

Yes, only applicants who have successfully auditioned into Performing Arts Academy will be considered for this scholarship.

## 12. Does the Elite Sports Scholarship recipient have to be part of the Elite Sports Program?

Yes, only applicants who have applied and been accepted into the Elite Sports Program will be considered for this scholarship.

## 13. Can a student receive more than one scholarship?

No. Whilst students are encouraged to apply for multiple scholarships, if successful, they can only receive one.



**SCHOLARSHIP IN STEM**

**STUDENT DETAILS**

First Name:	
Surname:	
Year when beginning Year 7:	DOB:
Primary School:	Gender: Male Female X
Residential Address:	
Suburb:	Postcode:
Mobile Number:	
Email:	

**PARENT DETAILS**

First Name:	
Surname:	
Residential Address (if different to above):	
Suburb:	Postcode:
Mobile Number:	Home:
Email:	

**PLEASE PROVIDE A BRIEF OUTLINE OF YOUR INTEREST IN STEM INCLUDING ANY STEM GOALS:**


**PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF:**      Your most recent Report       Year 5 NAPLAN Results

**PLEASE PROVIDE A STATEMENT OF SUPPORT FROM YOUR TEACHER/PRINCIPAL:**

Teacher/Principal Signature:	Date:



SCHOLARSHIP IN PERFORMING ARTS

STUDENT DETAILS

Form fields for Student Details: First Name, Surname, Year when beginning Year 7, Primary School, Residential Address, Suburb, Mobile Number, Email, DOB, Gender, Postcode.

PARENT DETAILS

Form fields for Parent Details: First Name, Surname, Residential Address, Suburb, Mobile Number, Email, Postcode, Home.

PLEASE BRIEFLY DESCRIBE YOUR STRENGTHS IN RELATION TO PERFORMING ARTS:

Multiple empty lines for describing strengths in relation to performing arts.

PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF: Your most recent Report [ ] Year 5 NAPLAN Results [ ]

PLEASE PROVIDE A STATEMENT OF SUPPORT FROM YOUR TEACHER/PRINCIPAL:

Form fields for Statement of Support: Multiple empty lines for text, and fields for Teacher/Principal Signature and Date.



**SCHOLARSHIP IN ELITE SPORTS**

**STUDENT DETAILS**

First Name:	
Surname:	
Year when beginning Year 7:	DOB:
Primary School:	Gender: Male Female X
Residential Address:	
Suburb:	Postcode:
Mobile Number:	
Email:	

**PARENT DETAILS**

First Name:	
Surname:	
Residential Address (if different to above):	
Suburb:	Postcode:
Mobile Number:	Home:
Email:	

**PLEASE BRIEFLY DESCRIBE YOUR INTEREST IN SPORT AND YOUR REASONS FOR APPLYING:**


**PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF:**      Your most recent Report       Year 5 NAPLAN Results

**PLEASE PROVIDE A STATEMENT OF SUPPORT FROM YOUR TEACHER/PRINCIPAL:**

Teacher/Principal Signature:	Date:



**SCHOLARSHIP IN LEADERSHIP & CITIZENSHIP**

**STUDENT DETAILS**

First Name:	
Surname:	
Year when beginning Year 7:	DOB:
Primary School:	Gender: Male Female X
Residential Address:	
Suburb:	Postcode:
Mobile Number:	
Email:	

**PARENT DETAILS**

First Name:	
Surname:	
Residential Address (if different to above):	
Suburb:	Postcode:
Mobile Number:	Home:
Email:	

**PLEASE PROVIDE EXAMPLES OF WHEN YOU HAVE DEMONSTRATED LEADERSHIP:**


**PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF:**      Your most recent Report       Year 5 NAPLAN Results

**PLEASE PROVIDE A STATEMENT OF SUPPORT FROM YOUR TEACHER/PRINCIPAL:**

Teacher/Principal Signature:	Date: