

Scholarship information

Applications

Existing and prospective students may apply for POWIIS scholarships, by completing a Scholarship application form and submitting this, together with any supporting documentation, to the school Registrar, who will liaise with the Principal. Applications may be made at any time, and Scholarships will be awarded from the start of the following term; they will not be applied retrospectively.

At POWIIS we offer 5 types of scholarships:

- General Academic
- Subject Specific
- Arts
- Global Citizenship
- Sports

General Academic Scholarships are awarded based on:

- CAT scores (in top 5% of cohort) and, for Year 12 scholars, performance in (I)GCSE examinations
- Attainment and effort grades on recent reports/grade cards
- A recommendation from a teacher/tutor (new students)
- Name of teacher/tutor for reference (existing students)

Subject Specific Scholarships are awarded based on:

- Exceptional ability in an academic subject studied at school, not covered by the Arts/SportsScholarships
- Evidence of success in competitions or events
- Attainment and effort grades on recent reports/grade cards
- A recommendation from the subject teacher/tutor (new students)
- Name of teacher for reference (existing students)

Arts Scholarships (for drama, music, design technology and visual arts) are awarded based on:

- Success in externally validated examinations or competitions
- A performance or portfolio of evidence
- A recommendation from a teacher/tutor (new students)
- Name of teacher for reference (existing students)

Global Citizenship Scholarship are awarded based on:

- Certified participation in regional or international events (eg MUN, GIN, WSC, Leo Club)
- A portfolio of evidence of involvement in suitable projects
- A recommendation from a teacher or event/project leader (new students)
- Name of teacher for reference (existing students)

Sports Scholarships are awarded based on:

- Ability in at least one of the school's major sports
- Certified participation in a team/events at school representative level or above
- Attending an evaluatory trial (for a maximum of 2 sports)
- A recommendation from a teacher/coach (new students)
- Name of teacher for reference (existing students)

All scholarship students must have and maintain an exemplary record in terms of attendance and behaviour.

Decisions

The final decision regarding the award of any scholarship rests with the Principal. The school's decision regarding Scholarships is final and non-negotiable. All details relating to Scholarships will remain totally confidential at all times and any disclosure of details to a third party may result in the Scholarship being removed.

Further information

Scholarships are awarded against tuition fees only, the scholarship discount does not apply to examination fees and related administrative costs, boarding fees, trip costs and other financial considerations, and replaces any other discount already applied. Only one scholarship application will be accepted for consideration per year.

Scholars are expected to make a significant and ongoing contribution to POWIIS in their area of talent.

Scholarships are reviewed regularly and will be withdrawn with one term's notice in writing if students do not continue to meet the criteria stated above.