MORETON BAY BOYS' COLLEGE
Faith and Integrity.

# Gifted & Talented Scholarship 2027

# Application and Guidelines

## SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES

- Limited scholarships are available and applications will be considered on a case by case basis.
- An interview will be arranged with the Scholarship Panel for shortlisted applicants only.
- A family may be asked to provide details of a referee, which may be a coach or a teacher or tutor who would be able to endorse the applicant's diligence, ability and endorse the Scholarship application.
- Scholarship Applications for students who excel in Music or the Arts may be required to submit a recording/portfolio of their work or may be required to attend an audition.
- Scholarships may be offered to current students at the discretion of the Principal. If applying for a Scholarship based on financial needs, a Financial Assistance Application Form must accompany the Scholarship Application.
- Scholarships are offered to students entering Year 5 and Year 7 to 11.
- Scholarship applications should be submitted by Friday 23 October 2026, for a 2027 commencement. Offers will be made by 6 November 2026, after shortlisting and interviews have been conducted.

## THE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PROCESS AND CONFIDENTIALITY

The Scholarship application process, the interview and the outcome is a highly confidential matter between the family and the College.

The applicant's family is required to complete an online Enrolment Application and submit the Scholarship

Application and supporting documents to: registrar@mbbc.qld.edu.au

### All successful applicants:

- Must live our College values of Care, Character, Engagement, and Teamwork in word and indeed.
- Must comply with the Colleges' Positive Behaviour Policy and comply with the Colleges' expectations in terms of attitude, behaviour, uniform, and digital citizenship

### Annual Scholarship Review:

For a student to maintain a scholarship, a student must uphold the conditions as specified and agreed on in their Letter of Agreement, signed at the time of acceptance. These will include:

- Maintain consistently high level of academic achievement (as prescribed by the scholarship), or
- Maintain consistent and sound academic performance (as prescribed by the scholarship), or
- Demonstrate a willingness to engage with and contribute to the co-curricular life of the Colleges as specified in the Special Ability Scholarship, and
- Comply with the Colleges' high expectations as detailed in the Positive Behaviours Policy, and
- At the end of each academic year, the Head of College will undertake a review of the student's compliance with each of the specified scholarship conditions, and
- Following the review process, the family will receive a letter from the Principal to confirm the continuation of the scholarship for the following year, and
- If there is a concern regarding a student on a Scholarship, this would be noted in this communication, and a follow-up interview may be arranged with the scholarship holder and parents at the start of the next academic year.

## CONDITIONS OF SCHOLARSHIP

- Scholarship Eligibility does not automatically mean that a Scholarship will be offered.
- Scholarship recipients will be offered a percentage discount of the tuition fees.
- Families must pay the balance of any account by the due date. Failure to do so may results in a scholarship or bursary being withdrawn immediately.
- Each Scholarship is granted on the understanding that the Principal has the right to withdraw the Scholarship if any of the Scholarship conditions are not met.
- Scholarships are contingent on the full disclosure of all information pertinent to a student's education and family situation. Withholding information may compromise the Scholarship.
- Potential withdrawal of a Scholarship for reasons relating to confidentiality breaches or dishonouring the Code of Conduct, will be discussed with the family prior to the end of a school term.
- Moreton Bay Boys' College has excellent pastoral care, counselling, learning support and learning enhancement and resources in place to assist students to reach their potential. Withdrawal of a Scholarship is not executed without due consideration of any mitigating circumstances, should any of the above conditions provide cause for concern. A Scholarship recipient would not ordinarily be withdrawn if the child becomes unwell or injured.
- In circumstances where a family withdraw the student from the College for reasons other than ill health, employment transfer, family relocation or other reasons as negotiated with the Principal or his delegate, the family will be required to repay the financial benefit of the Scholarship percentage received from commencement to the conclusion of the student's enrolment. One terms fees in lieu of insufficient notice may also be imposed, if a family does not honour the notice period. A family should communicate this as soon as possible with the College.
- Following the annual review of a Scholarship, the family will receive a letter from the College to confirm the continuation of the Scholarship for the following year. If there is a concern regarding a student on a Scholarship, this would be noted in this communication.
- All Scholarships are granted or withdrawn at the discretion of the Principal.
- No further correspondence will be entered into with regard to the process or the outcome of an application.
- The Colleges reserve the right to make changes to this policy at any time.
- Siblings of a Scholarship Recipient at the reciprocal College are entitled to the relevant sibling discount.

## SECTION 1 SCHOLARSHIP CATEGORY

Applying for:

- ☐ Intellectual/Academic Scholarship
- ☐ Creative (The ARTS) Scholarship
- ☐ Physical (Sports) Scholarship
- ☐ General Excellence Scholarship

## SECTION 2 STUDENT DETAILS

Given Names _____ Surname _____

Preferred Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Current School _____ Country of Birth _____

Year Level in 2027 _____

## SECTION 3 ATTRIBUTES / ACHIEVEMENTS

Please outline attributes and achievements below. Please also attach any additional supporting material relevant to this application.

## SECTION 4 SUPPORTING RECORDS/DOCUMENTS

Please include copies of the following with your application:

- Scholarship Application form
- A cover letter outlining the reasons for applying for a scholarship
- Complete an online Enrolment Application
- Copies of two most recent school reports
- Copies of the student's NAPLAN results
- Resume of abilities; including detailed records of student involvement and achievement in their area/s of excellence. This would include qualified performance, level, placement at competitions, State, National and/or International representation. It may also include documentation to demonstrate the students' service to the community or leadership position at their current school.
- A letter of support from a referee, which may be a coach or teacher who endorses the applicant's diligence, ability and the scholarship application. (Optional)
- Creative Scholarship Applicants, who excel in Music or the Arts may be required to submit a recording and/or portfolio of their work and/or may be required to attend an audition. relevant)
- A passport style photograph of the applicant

## SECTION 5 FAMILY DECLARATION

We, the Parents/Guardians, declare as follows:

1. We agree that the above information is accurate and true at the time of application.
2. We have read the College Prospectus and Code of Conduct (MBBC Positive Behaviours Policy) and accept the conditions stated therein and are prepared to cooperate with the College in all matters of discipline.
3. We understand that submission of this Application Form does not automatically constitute an enrolment, nor does it imply automatic right of acceptance.
4. We give our consent for the College to make enquiries at any previous schools attended by our son.
5. We agree to keep the College informed if our family experiences any difficulties which could impact on our son's performance and attendance at College (such as divorce, separation, ill

health, death in family etc). All personal details are kept confidential.

6. The College reserves the right to vary the Enrolment procedures as circumstances may warrant from time to time, and upon notice of such change to the Parents.
7. We consent to the collection, use, disclosure and retention of personal information about us and the applicant from time to time in accordance with the College's Privacy Policy, a copy of which can be obtained from the College website.
8. We understand that we will be requested to sign a formal Enrolment Contract, prior to our son's commencement, should our son be offered a position at the College.
9. We hereby submit this scholarship application for the student named in Section 2 at Moreton Bay Boys' College (MBBC).
10. We understand and acknowledge this application does not guarantee a scholarship at Moreton Bay Boys' College.
11. We have provided to the best of our knowledge the information required in the following sections. We understand that the offer of scholarship and establishment of relevant programs related to the student at MBBC depend upon open and honest disclosure of information relating to the health and wellbeing and academic progression of the student.
12. I confirm I have read and understood the Scholarships Guidelines and have attached all relevant information as requested.
13. I confirm that I have completed an online Enrolment Application (not required for students already attending the College).
14. I understand that a scholarship awarded by Moreton Bay Boys' College forms a confidential arrangement between the College and the family, and must not be discussed with other parties.

Parent/Guardian 1 Print Name Signature

Parent/Guardian 2 Print Name Signature

Date

| **OFFICE USE ONLY** | |
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| Date application received: | |
| • Cover letter<br>• Reports and NAPLAN received<br>• Supporting documentation received e.g. portfolio<br>• Audition required? (For music, dance and drama)<br>• Interview details | • Copy of Birth Certificate or copy of Passport<br>• Specialist reports<br>• Online Enrolment Application (not required for current MBBC students)<br>• Applicant photograph |

| Outcome: |
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| • Application to be progressed – offer to be prepared<br>• Application declined – letter to be prepared |

Signed Date

Principal

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