

## **St Andrew's School 2022 Academic Scholarship Information**

Thank you for your interest in a Scholarship at St Andrew's School.

The Academic Scholarship is available to students who will be in Years 4, 5 or 6 in 2022.

Students who will be in Years 3, 4 or 5 in 2021 are eligible to apply.

Candidates may register, download information, purchase sample questions and access a username and password to make allowed changes to registration details by logging onto <http://scholarships.acer.edu.au/intro/1993>. A registration fee of \$110 will need to be paid to ACER at the time of registration.

**Closing date and time for registering is no later than 5.00pm on Thursday 21 January 2021.** Late applications will not be accepted.

### **Supporting documents for the Scholarship Application**

Please forward the following information to St Andrew's School via email [registrar@standrews.sa.edu.au](mailto:registrar@standrews.sa.edu.au) before 21 January 2021:

- copy of latest school report \*
- copy of the results of the most recent National Assessment Program Literacy & Numeracy (NAPLAN) Test (previously known as Basic Skills Test) \*
- accompanying letter to support your child's application that outlines your reasons for wishing to join the St Andrew's School community. \*

\*Not relevant for current St Andrew's School students

### **Examination**

Applicants are required to attend an examination to progress to the next stage of the selection process.

The scholarship examination will be held at St Andrew's School, 22 Smith Street, Walkerville on **Saturday 6 February 2021**. Parking is available on Smith Street or Church Terrace.

**You must arrive no later than 8.40am and staff will be present to assist with direction. Candidates will not be admitted after 8.45am.**

### **Procedure on examination day**

When you report to the examination centre, bring two HB or B pencils, a pencil eraser, and two blue or black pens. Use a pen for the written expression section, for the other tests you must use an HB or B pencil. Do not bring rulers, mathematical instruments of any kind, programmable watches, mobile phones, photographic or other image/data capturing devices, books or notepaper. All the materials you will need, other than pencils, erasers and pens, are provided at the examination room. You may like to bring something to eat or drink during the breaks.

All students sit the same test and scholarships are based on external rankings. Candidates will be considered for scholarships if their results sit in the 90–100 percentile. Examination results will not be published.

Parents are invited to meet the Principal to learn more about the history, philosophy and programme at St Andrew's School. Opportunity will be given for questions and, weather permitting, a tour of the School grounds.

### **The Scholarship selection process**

After a review of the information provided and the results of the examination, a shortlist of candidates will be invited for an interview with the Principal. Candidates may be asked to undertake further relevant activities at this time. Candidates will be notified within six weeks about the outcome of the scholarship application.

### **Awarding of the Scholarship**

The School Board shall award the Scholarships offered in its absolute discretion.

Successful candidates may receive a remission of up to half of the base tuition fees each year to the conclusion of Year 6 at St Andrew's School. Only one form of discount applies. A student in receipt of a scholarship is not also eligible for any other discounts.

For successful external candidates, a refundable Tuition Bond of \$1700 will be required to proceed with application. A copy of the child's birth certificate will be required, in accordance with established enrolment procedure, as proof of age.