

2025 Scholarships at Meriden

Applications for 2025 Scholarships are now open

Academic Scholarships

Academic Scholarships are offered to students entering Year 7 in 2025, either from the Meriden Junior School or from another school*. Applicants must be an Australian citizen or a permanent resident of Australia.

Academic Scholarships cover full or part tuition fees to Year 12. Other costs such as uniforms, textbooks, excursions, incursions, camps, etc, still need to be met at the full rate. Scholarships are awarded on the result of an examination, previous academic record and an interview with the Principal, Mrs Lisa Brown or her nominee.

All applicants will be required to sit the scholarship examination, which will take place at Meriden's Senior School campus on Saturday 10 February 2024.

Music Scholarships

Applications for Music Scholarships for voice, piano, band and orchestral instruments are open for students entering Year 7 in 2025. Music Scholarships cover full or part tuition fees for up to six years and are awarded based on an audition, the musical needs of the School, the student's academic record and an interview, at the discretion of the Principal.

Auditions for Music Scholarships are by invitation only and selection for an audition is based on the information supplied in the application and portfolio. Eligibility requirements are listed on the application form.

Auditions will be held on Tuesday 13 February, Wednesday 14 February and Thursday 15 February 2024.

Applicants will be advised by telephone by Wednesday 7 February 2024 if they have been selected for an audition.

**Scholarship Condition: Only Meriden students whose tuition fees are up-to-date can be considered for an Academic or Music Scholarship.*

The Betty Stephen Memorial Sport Scholarship

This scholarship is open to a student who is entering Year 9 or Year 10 in 2025 and is talented in sport. The scholarship may cover up to seventy-five per cent of the tuition fees to Year 12.

Applicants must submit the following:

- a copy of their latest school report;
- a copy of their Year 7 NAPLAN results;
- a personal letter from the applicant that outlines her sport and other experiences, interests and goals, including leadership achievements and community involvement;
- a portfolio of sporting achievements (including any newspaper articles);
- any references from coaches (if applicable).

Where to apply

Students can apply for 2025 Scholarships on the [Meriden website](#). Forms and supporting documentation must be submitted before **Friday 2 February 2024**.

If you are applying for both the Academic and Music Scholarships, separate applications must be made via the Meriden website.

Please note, students applying for a Music Scholarship only do not need to sit the Academic Scholarship examination.

The application fees listed below are both non-refundable and non-transferable:

- Academic Scholarship Fee: \$150
- Music Scholarship Fee: \$150
- Betty Stephen Memorial Sport Scholarship Fee: \$150
- Late Application Fee: \$175

If you require further information please contact the Registrar, Mrs Gina Malley, at (02) 9752 9444.