

APPLICATION FOR 2020 EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP

FOR STUDENTS ENTERING YEAR 7 IN 2020



MACQUARIE COLLEGE

Excellence Category: (Please circle one) 1. Music & Performing Arts or 2. Sport
NB: Separate Applications must be submitted if an applicant is seeking consideration under both Categories.

Family Name Given Name Male / Female

Current School Current Year Group DOB

Parent Names (Dr/ Mr/Mrs)

Address

..... Postcode

Mob 1: (parent name)

Mob 2: (parent name)

What is the applicant's overall position in their current class? (if known)

Does the applicant have a confirmed enrolment application on file at Macquarie College? YES / NO

Does the applicant currently have any siblings at Macquarie College? YES / NO

Details:

Excellence Scholarship Application Checklist

I have completed the Excellence Scholarship Application Form (*one application per Category*) YES / NO

I have read, understood, and agree to the information provided in the 2020 College Scholarship Program YES / NO

I have provided a resume containing all the information required (See list below) YES / NO

I have attached all the documentation required to support my Scholarship application (See list below) YES / NO

I have read, understood and agree to the criteria on which my application will be assessed (See Criteria below) YES / NO

I have attached a cheque for \$120 payable to Macquarie College to this application (*one fee per Category*) YES / NO

Applicant Signature _____

**Please return your Application materials to
The Registrar, Macquarie College, PO Box 517, Wallsend, NSW, 2287
APPLICATIONS CLOSE MONDAY 11TH MARCH 2019**

Note: Current Macquarie College Students (Year 10 entering Years 11-12) wishing to be considered for an Academic Scholarship do not use this Application Form.

Requirements for Excellence Scholarship Application

- **Application Form –Excellence Scholarship for Entry into Year 7 in 2020**
- **A brief hand written note to the Scholarship Panel** from the applicant telling them why they wish to be considered for this scholarship (1-2 paragraphs will be sufficient).
- **Resume /CV - 1-2 pages with the following information:**

Music & Performing Arts	Sport
Any leadership positions held in activities undertaken at school or externally i.e. Music, Performing, Drama, Art, Debating, and Cultural Activities.	Any leadership positions held in activities undertaken at school or externally in Sport.
Involvement in in-school/out-of-school applied and performing arts activities.	Involvement in in-school and out-of-school sports and availability for selection to Macquarie College teams, including and outside their nominated sport.
Instrument(s) played and grade (AMEB/Trinity etc.) or level achieved - Grade 3 minimum AMEB, Trinity or its equivalent in performance experience. Include results in most recent music examinations where applicable.	History of sport representation beyond first zone level in Primary school (e.g. representing at CIS, one step up from HRIS).
Any other relevant information for the Panel.	Any other relevant information for the Panel.

- **Other documentation to attach to support the Scholarship application:**
 - Copies of School Reports for the last two years;
 - Copies of NAPLAN Results for Years 3 & 5.
 - Copies of any academic achievements and awards received e.g. ICAS
 - Any references from a current teacher, tutor, or coach related to your discipline - school based or external. For new Year 7's applying for an Excellence Scholarship in Sport – a letter of recommendation from the previous school highlighting the applicant's sportsmanship qualities, including:
 - a. Ability to display leadership
 - b. Demonstration of a strong team ethos
 - c. Ability to positively influence others
 - d. Adaptability to new skills and game situations.
 - If applicable, a copy of any other Scholarship Letter of Offer received from another School or Application/Letter of Offer for entry into a Selective Public School (Note: The benefits of any such offer may be transferable to Macquarie College).

Criteria for Excellence Scholarships

	Year 7-10 Excellence (Music & Performing Arts)	Year 7-10 Excellence (Sport)
Skill Level	<p>Displays an Outstanding level of skill in their chosen instrument / voice area</p> <p>Has received tuition outside the music classroom in chosen instrument/voice for a minimum of 4 years (or be able to demonstrate rapid progress in a shorter time frame)</p> <p>Is able to demonstrate an Outstanding level of understanding in Musical Theory and Aural</p>	<p>Displays an Outstanding level of skill in classroom based PDHPE activities, which includes both practical and theoretical components.</p>
Participation Level ~ Quantity	<p>Displays an Outstanding level of involvement in a variety of ensembles in their current school where applicable</p>	<p>Participates in representative sport both for the College and outside of school.</p> <p>Receives external coaching.</p> <p>Demonstrates a strong team ethos and positively influences teammates.</p> <p>High levels of participation in school-based carnivals and competitions – that includes attempts in all major MC carnivals including Swimming, Cross-country and Athletics.</p>
Competence Curriculum	<p>Reports from their Junior Schooling indicates that the student has engaged thoroughly in both classroom activities, achieving at a level above most of their peers</p> <p>Is expected to take Music as an Elective in Years 9 & 10</p>	<p>Expected to take PASS as an Elective in Year 9,10.</p>
Other	Any other relevant information for the Panel.	