



## **Kolbe Catholic College**

# **Year 7 to 9 Middle School Academic Scholarship Information (Students commencing Year 7, 2019)**

**Academic Scholarship Application Forms are due back to  
Kolbe Catholic College by 4.00pm, Tuesday, 6 June 2017**

### **INTRODUCTION**

Kolbe Catholic College is committed to providing outstanding educational opportunities for all students in a warm and friendly environment. Academically talented students are encouraged to apply for a scholarship to attend the College.

### **ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA**

- Applications are invited from all denominations.
- Consideration may be given to the financial status of the applicant and their family.
- The student is to have a strong desire for a Catholic education.
- The successful applicant will live within the College's student catchment area (essentially this area is bounded by the Shires of Rockingham, Kwinana and Serpentine/Mundijong).
- The applicant should be willing to become involved in the College's co-curricular activities in accordance with the ethos of Kolbe Catholic College.
- The student is to be entering Year 7 in 2019.

### **DETAILS AND VALUE OF THE SCHOLARSHIP**

The scholarship covers half the cost of the annual tuition fees for the duration of a scholarship at Kolbe Catholic College, as long as the student's performance is acceptable (see Review Process in this document for further information).

- At least two scholarships are awarded at the commencement of Year 7.
- Each scholarship will be awarded for a period of up to three (3) years from Years 7 to 9, renewed on an annual basis and subject to a satisfactory review (see 'Review Process' below).
- The value of the scholarship shall be the cost of half the tuition fees, e.g. 50% of \$3,400, which equates to \$1700 in 2017 for those who pay full tuition fees.
- Parents are expected to meet the costs of compulsory charges, i.e. building fund, subject levies, camp fees and excursions.

### **Uniform and books**

The cost of uniforms and books are the responsibility of the parents/guardians. The College operates new and second-hand clothing shops on site.

The Resources Levy covers all subject text books, manual and creative arts consumables, photocopying and printing of information distributed to students by subject teachers, Student Diary and the College Year Book.

### **Music**

Instrumental music tuition is not part of the Scholarship Program as music tutors need to be paid in addition to class teachers. Instrumental music tuition is an additional item and is available from \$850.00 per year.

The Accounts Receivable Officer, Mrs Monique Munro (9591 4210) is able to provide information about, and assist with, all financial matters.

## **SELECTION PROCESS**

All applicants will sit an Exam conducted **at 9.00am on Saturday 24 June 2017**. Successful applicants will be invited to the College for an interview.

## **REVIEW PROCESS**

For each recipient, the following factors will be considered in reviewing (on an annual basis) the continuation of the scholarship:

- Attendance
- Compliance with the Standard Enrolment Agreement
- Continuing to display strong academic performance within the school community.

Each scholarship is to be reviewed on an annual basis by the College Principal who may choose to consult the staff mentor, as appropriate.

Feedback on the Scholarship Program will be provided to each recipient and their family on an annual basis.

In circumstances of continued bad behaviour or continued lack of effort in studies, the scholarship may be withdrawn. In such a case, parents/guardians will receive clear warnings. Each student's progress will be reviewed at the end of each semester.

## **APPLICATION FORMS**

Scholarship applicants are to complete the Academic (Years 7 to 9) Scholarship Application Form and include the applicant's Birth Certificate and copies of two most recent Academic School Reports.

An exam processing fee of \$40 will apply to scholarship applicants and is payable with the submission of the Application Form.

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## **FURTHER INFORMATION**

For further information on the Kolbe Catholic College Academic Scholarship process please contact the Personal Assistant to the Principal on (08) 9591 4205.

Information regarding Kolbe Catholic College, including present fee structure and charges, please visit the College website [www.kolbe.wa.edu.au](http://www.kolbe.wa.edu.au)