



SCHOLARSHIPS FOR 2012

MIDDLE SCHOOL APPLICATION FORM: YEAR 9

I wish to enter my son \_\_\_\_\_ for the following Scholarships (*please tick appropriate category(ies)*). (*should the student be applying*)

Candidates may apply for more than one category

Year 9 Academic Scholarship

Year 9 Foundation Scholarship

Year 9 Music Scholarship

Year 9 General Excellence Scholarship

**A. Personal Details (Please print in block letters)**

Surname: ..... Given Names .....

Date of Birth: ..... Current School and Year: .....

Place of Birth: ..... Ethnic Origin:

Address:..... Telephone No: .....

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Father's Name

Mother's Name

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*Mr or Title First Name Other Initials Surname*

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*Mrs or Title First Name Other Initials Surname*

Address:..... Address:.....

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Home Telephone No: ..... Home Telephone No: .....

Business Telephone No: ..... Business Telephone No: .....

Business Name & Address

Business Name & Address

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Mobile:..... Mobile:.....

Fax No.: ..... Fax No.: .....

email address: ..... email address: .....

Occupation: ..... Occupation: .....

*(If you could be reasonably specific on occupation that would be helpful for our records)*

**List schools attended:**

| Name of school | Years attended |
|----------------|----------------|
| .....          | .....          |
| .....          | .....          |
| .....          | .....          |

**B. Candidate Achievement**

List school positions held and other activities that are of interest to your son:

Positions of responsibility: \_\_\_\_\_

(Leadership roles) \_\_\_\_\_

Other School Activities:

a) Sporting \_\_\_\_\_

b) Music/cultural \_\_\_\_\_

c) Service \_\_\_\_\_

Extra-curricular involvement:

a) Sporting \_\_\_\_\_

b) Music/cultural \_\_\_\_\_

c) Service \_\_\_\_\_

Cultural and/or Sporting Achievements *(please state year awarded)*:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Academic prizes and/or other awards received. *(please state year awarded)*

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Other information which would support this application: *(Please use an extra sheet, if necessary)*

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C. **Music Qualification:** *(please complete if appropriate)*

- i. What instrument is the candidate primarily interested in? eg, voice, piano, violin etc.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- ii. What standard has the candidate reached in his music studies on this instrument? eg, Grades in Trinity College examinations etc.  
\_\_\_\_\_
- iii. Name of instrumental teacher: \_\_\_\_\_
- iv. Can he play other instruments? If so, what are they and to what level?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- v. What musical group(s) is he currently performing with?  
What is his role within the group and how long has he been involved?  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- vi. What other group(s) has he been involved with in the past?  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
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- vii. In which areas would he like to contribute to music at Scots College? (In the College we currently have various choirs, orchestra, jazz band, string ensemble and a College Pipe Band.)  
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\_\_\_\_\_

D. **Referee Details:**

*Please name one referee other than a member of your family or your son's present Principal, who could be approached in the event of your being considered.*

Name of Referee: \_\_\_\_\_

Referee's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation of Referee: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please attach to your application a copy of any school reports received in the last twelve months.**

E. **Declaration of Intent** *(to be completed by the parent or guardian of the candidate)*

I have read the description of the conditions and regulations of the Scots College Scholarships and agree to abide by them.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ declare that I would like \_\_\_\_\_

*(full name of candidate)* to attend Scots College.

This form must be completed and returned by **Friday 20 May 2011** to the Headmaster's PA, Scots College, Box 15-064, Miramar, Wellington 6243.  
**No late applications will be accepted.**

## Scholarships for Boys Entering Year 9, 2012

The Board of Governors is offering Scholarships to boys entering Year 9 of the Middle School.

The value of the Academic, Music and General Excellence Scholarships is a proportion of the tuition fee for up to five years, with no candidate receiving less than one-third fees. The tenure of the Scholarship is closely monitored, with a full review at the end of each academic year. Should a boy not be committing himself properly to his studies, the Scholarship could be withdrawn.

- Candidates for the following Scholarships must be boys who are currently in Year 8.
- ***On receipt of the application form, the candidate's present principal may be asked to provide a confidential report to the Principal of the Middle School of Scots College.***

### **Year 9 Academic Scholarships**

The primary consideration in making these awards will be a student's performance in the College's Scholarship Exams on **10 June 2011** and after an interview with the Principal of the Middle School. Only those candidates who do exceptionally well in the examinations will be required to attend the interview.

All candidates will be informed of the decision of the Scholarship Committee but actual marks will not be given nor will papers be returned. An announcement could be expected during the July break.

### **Year 9 Music Scholarships**

These are awarded to a boy entering Year 9 after an audition with the Director of Music of the College and an interview with the Principal of the Middle School. Candidates applying for a Music Scholarship must attend the College Scholarship exams on **10 June 2011**. The audition and interview times will be advised by the Headmaster's PA.

Candidates will need to show proficiency in one or more instruments. Successful candidates will be expected to perform at Grade 5 level or better on their principal instrument. They will also be expected to take an active part in performance music at the College.

### **Year 9 General Excellence Scholarships**

These are awarded to a boy entering Year 9 who displays all-round excellence in academic, sport and/or cultural fields. Candidates applying for a General Excellence Scholarship must attend the College Scholarship exams on **10 June 2011**. A shortlist of candidates will be selected from results gained in the Scholarship exams and from information submitted in the initial application form. These boys will be required to attend an interview with the Principal of the Middle School.

### **Year 9 Foundation Scholarships**

This Scholarship was established in 2010 and will be awarded each year to a new student entering Year 9 who demonstrates academic, sporting or cultural excellence and who would otherwise be unable to enter the College due to financial hardship. This scholarship will cover 50% of the student's annual tuition fees for the five years he attends Scots College. Candidates must attend the College Scholarship exams on **10 June 2011**. A shortlist of candidates will be selected from results gained in the Scholarship exams and from information submitted in the initial application form. These boys will be required to attend an interview with the Principal of the Middle School.

### **Conditions and Regulations of Scholarships**

1. The fee for the Scholarship application is \$25.00 (GST incl.) per candidate and is to be made payable to Scots College and **attached to the application**. The fee includes all categories and covers administrative costs and lunch.
2. The subjects for Academic examinations are English, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies and General Abilities.
3. Year 9 Scholarships are tenable for up to five years and reviewed each year by the Principal of the Middle School subject to satisfactory performance. In the case of an unsatisfactory report the Scholarship could be terminated.
4. The Scholarship examinations will be overseen and monitored by the Middle School Assistant Principal - Curriculum, with the results and the Principal of the Middle School recommendations reported to the Board. In making the awards, the Principal of the Middle School will, in addition to the results of the examination, have regard to the candidate's school record (as advised by the Principal of his present school), and his general bearing and attitude to study, games and discipline. The decision of the Principal of the Middle School is final and no correspondence will be entered into.
5. The Board reserves the right not to award any or all of the Scholarships offered if the candidates do not reach the required standard.
6. Successful candidates will be required to conform to the curriculum and rules of Scots College.
7. Scots College is a Presbyterian Church School and a successful candidate is expected to participate fully and willingly in the Christian aspect of its curriculum.
8. The examination scripts and the marks awarded will be the property of Scots College. Marks are not forwarded to the candidates.