

2025 ENTRY

# Scholarships and Bursaries at KRB.



**KINCOPPAL – ROSE BAY**  
SCHOOL OF THE SACRED HEART



## Preamble

Kincoppal-Rose Bay School offers a number of scholarships and bursaries, providing full or part remission for academic tuition or boarding. Typically, students who receive these scholarships or bursaries will make a strong contribution the life of the School, in areas including academia, service, sport, creative and performing arts and leadership.

All candidates for scholarships and bursaries must sit the Academic Assessment Services Examination on **Monday 19 February, 2024**. This examination is held at Kincoppal-Rose Bay and can be accessed remotely for those living in regional areas or overseas. All candidates should also attend a KRB Discovery Morning or complete a school tour before sitting the test, to confirm their interest in our School.

Scholarships and bursaries are highly competitive and not all candidates who meet the basic criteria will be shortlisted. The Scholarship and Bursary Committee decides on those candidates who best meet the criteria.

All scholarship and bursary applicants:

1. Must read this booklet in full before applying.
2. Must register for the Academic Assessment Services Examination by **12 February, 2024**. The applicants will be asked to answer a number of questions and upload various documents. Some scholarships will require a portfolio to be uploaded. Applicants for School Needs Based Bursaries are not required to register or sit for the examination.
3. Applicants applying for Dunphy Foundation Sister Philomene Tiernan rscj Bursary are required to complete the *Named Scholarships and Bursaries Application Form* and submit this to the School by 4pm February 12, 2024 via email at [scholarships@krb.nsw.edu.au](mailto:scholarships@krb.nsw.edu.au).
4. If an external applicant is shortlisted, they will be required to complete an Application for Enrolment and pay the Application Fee of \$300, to be further considered for a bursary or scholarship.

## General Criteria

Scholarships are for students entering Year 7 and 10.

Bursaries are for students in Years 7-12. Scholarships and bursaries are advertised on the KRB website and social media – **no late entries will be accepted**.

Candidates must be Australian citizens or Australian visa holders.

Successful candidates must commence in the year of entry stated on the offer.

All scholarships offered in 2025, except the Dunphy Foundation Sister Philomene Tiernan rscj Bursary, are open to current students and external applicants. The Dunphy Foundation Sister Philomene Tiernan rscj Bursary is open to external applicants only, who are entering Year 10 or 11 in 2025.

Scholarships and bursaries cover full or part remission of school or boarding fees – all other costs must be met by the student's family, including enrolment costs, technology, camps etc.

Scholarships and bursaries are reviewed annually, and the School reserves the right to withdraw a scholarship or bursary at any point.

The process of consideration for scholarship and bursary applications and offers is lengthy, competitive and involves several staff and external panel members who spend time discussing and reflecting on each candidate's application.

Following the conclusion of the process, all applicants will be contacted and notified of their result. The School will not enter into any discussion concerning the outcome.

An offer of a scholarship or bursary at Kincoppal-Rose Bay is a significant testament to the value that the School has placed on the chosen candidate. Therefore, it is not to be used to try and achieve a better offer from another school. If such negotiation occurs, the offer of a KRB Scholarship or Bursary may be withdrawn. As well, the School will not enter into any negotiations with parents who use an offer from another school as leverage to gain a better offer at KRB.



All offers are confidential, and any breach of confidentiality may result in the offer being withdrawn.

### Year 7 Academic, Sport, Music and Visual Arts Scholarships

These scholarships are offered each year and internal and external candidates may apply if they fit the General Criteria above.

They are for high performing students who will enhance the life of the secondary school and are given for the duration of the student's senior school study.

Candidates will be shortlisted by a panel and only those shortlisted will be invited for an interview and or audition (Music and Visual Arts).

All students wishing to apply for these scholarships must sit the Academic Assessment Services Examination. As part of this registration process, they will be asked to submit the following:

- **Academic:** in addition to the latest school reports and NAPLAN results, a portfolio of no more than 10 photographs/ scanned copies of other academic awards. – e.g ICAS.
- **Sport:** in addition to the latest school reports and NAPLAN results, a portfolio of sporting achievements (no more than 8 A4 pages) and a reference from a current coach or mentor. Applicants for this scholarship should be competing at Regional or State Level or above.
- **Music:** in addition to the latest school reports and NAPLAN results, please include evidence of the following:

Candidates must have completed the following AM EB Grades or equivalent:

- AMEB Grade 5 (or equivalent) or above for piano.
- AMEB Grade 5 (or equivalent) or above for violin.
- AMEB Grade 3 (or equivalent) or above for other string instruments, flute, clarinet, and saxophone.
- AMEB Grade 2 (or equivalent) or above for all other wind and brass instruments



- **Voice:** evidence of participation in Choirs, Eisteddfods, individual musical performances, lead roles in a musical etc.
- **Visual Arts:** In addition to the latest school reports and NAPLAN results, a portfolio of five different artworks.

### Year 10 All Rounder Scholarships

Candidates must sit the Academic Assessment Services Examination. Results from this test will be referenced as part of the selection process.

In addition, candidates must show sustained commitment **to at least two** of the following areas and upload attachments:

- Leadership at school/ local/ global level
- Community service
- Public Speaking and Debating
- High performance in sport, music or other cultural area

There will be an opportunity to upload evidence of the above in the registration process for the Scholarship Test.

### Named Scholarships and Bursaries

Not all named scholarships and bursaries are available each year.

The named bursary being offered in 2025 is:

- The Dunphy Foundation Sister Philomene Tiernan rscj Bursaries. This bursary is offered to a student from regional NSW or QLD entering Year 10 or 11 in 2025 and covers full tuition and boarding.

#### Applicants for this named scholarship:

- Must register for the Academic Assessment Services examination by the due date. As part of this registration process the student will be required to outline the reasons she wishes to come to KRB as well as an outline of activities she is involved in, such as leadership, co-curricular, sport and community service. She will also be required to upload NAPLAN results and school reports. The Applicant is required to be in the top two Naplan Bands for three areas.

- Complete the online KRB Enrolment Application form through our website, the *Named Scholarships and Bursaries Application Form* and submit these along with supporting details by 12 February, 2024 via email to [scholarships@krb.nsw.edu.au](mailto:scholarships@krb.nsw.edu.au). This application must contain all financial information and a reference from the Principal (Deputy or Year Coordinator) of her current school and one other reference from a different area of involvement, eg sport coach, employer
- Sit for the Academic Assessment Services examination on 19 February 2024.
- A panel will meet to determine which applicants will be eligible for a named scholarship. An interview may be required for any student who is eligible.

### School Needs Based Bursaries

KRB offers a limited number of needs based bursaries each year to students whose families are in difficult financial circumstances.

All bursary applications and supporting documentation must be submitted, using the *Named Scholarships and Bursaries Application Form* by **4pm February 12, 2024** for entry into the School in 2025. Please email this form to [scholarships@krb.nsw.edu.au](mailto:scholarships@krb.nsw.edu.au).

All bursary candidates not currently at KRB should attend a KRB Discovery Morning. New candidates are encouraged to carefully consider the financial implications of applying for a place at KRB. Please also note, bursary offerings and availability are subject to change at any time.

A panel will meet to determine which applicants will be eligible for a school bursary. An interview may be required for any new student who is eligible.

Bursary application forms are available on the KRB website and can be submitted via [scholarships@krb.nsw.edu.au](mailto:scholarships@krb.nsw.edu.au).

## Frequently Asked Questions

### What is the value of Scholarships and Bursaries?

Scholarships and bursaries come in the form of part remission of tuition/boarding fees. The value of each scholarship/bursary may vary. The offer of a scholarship or bursary is at the discretion of the panel. The School reserves the right to withhold a Scholarship (in any year or disciplines) if there are no candidates of sufficient merit.

Current fees at Kincoppal Rose Bay can be found at [www.krb.nsw.edu.au](http://www.krb.nsw.edu.au)

### How are applicants selected?

The process of consideration for scholarship and bursary applications and offers is lengthy, competitive and involves several staff and external panel members who spend time discussing and reflecting on each candidate's application.

### How many Scholarships are offered?

This varies from year to year. Approximately 5 Scholarships are offered to Year 7 across the areas of academic, music, visual arts and sport. Approximately 2 Scholarships are offered to Year 10 All Rounders. There is only one student on each of the Named Scholarships or Bursaries at a time and therefore they are not offered every year.

### What is the Length and Tenure of Scholarships and Bursaries?

Scholarships are subject to an annual formal review by the School in the light of progress, performance and attitude of the recipient. As well, in the case of needs based bursaries or named scholarships, families must submit updated financials by September each year in the form of a Statutory Declaration concerning finances to the Director of Corporate Services. The Statutory Declaration must be signed by a Justice of the Peace.

It should be noted, however, that recipients of scholarships/ bursaries could normally expect these to continue for the time of the recipient's education at the School (or whatever other period for which the Scholarships/Bursaries have initially been offered). However, the School reserves the right to change the value of the Scholarship or Bursary over the lifetime of the Scholarship or Bursary or cancel it at any time.

### When do we find out if we have been successful or not?

Initial short-listed applicants should be notified by the School in the first weeks of Term 2, 2024. Unsuccessful candidates will be notified as soon as possible, after all offers have been made.

No correspondence will be entered into once the notification has been sent.

### Can applicants access the Scholarship Test results?

Test results are sent directly to KRB and reviewed as part of the selection process. Results are not shared beyond this, including with applicants or their families.

### Who Should We Contact?

#### On-line application and testing queries

Academic Assessment Services

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