LEUMEAH HIGH SCHOOL



Academic Excellence Class

Scholarship Information & Application Form

2025



Leumeah High School Year 7, 2025

Academic Excellence Scholarships

Leumeah High School is a comprehensive high school in SouthWest Sydney, which provides a harmonious, challenging and innovative learning environment. In 2021, the school was endorsed as an *Apple Distinguished School* in recognition of the innovative and engaging teaching and learning opportunities supported by technology.

At Leumeah High School, students are offered a broad curriculum and technology opportunities which recognise students' potential and foster a culture of excellence across the academic, sporting and cultural fields. Our PRAC values, of Preparation, Respect, Aim, Cooperation and our School motto "Strive to Succeed", encapsulate the school's and community values and expectations.

Commencing 2025, Leumeah High School will offer scholarships for Year 7 students, whilst they are in Year 7, consisting of a school credit for the period of one year. Four scholarships will be offered to students from our Community of Schools (*Leumeah Public School*, *Ruse Public School and Kentlyn Public School and Briar Road Public School*). One student from each school will be nominated by their Classroom Teacher and endorsed by their Principal. The scholarships will be presented at the school's Annual Presentation Day by the Leumeah High School Principal and Deputy Principal.

An additional four scholarships will be offered to any student who applies externally. Successful applicants will need to display academic excellence and/or high potential and meet the scholarship criteria. Families will be able to apply via our online application form or by contacting the school. Eligibility for these scholarships is based on students' academic potential and is not means tested.

Successful recipients of the *Academic Excellence Scholarship* will be determined by the Leumeah High School Scholarship Panel, consisting of the Principal, Deputy Principal and Year Adviser.

Application Criteria: The panel will consider the following in selecting applicants:

- 1. NAPLAN data (Year 5) (attach a copy of your NAPLAN results)
- 2. Comments and Outcomes in Year 5 and Year 6 reports (attach copies)
- 3. Student leadership in primary school context
- 4. Student written application
- 5. Primary School Principal endorsement
- 6. Any additional evidence of academic success and high potential, including additional extracurricular activities
- 7. Students may wish to submit a video application outlining why they should receive the

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scholarship (*this is optional*, and is in addition to the written submission)

SCHOLARSHIP DETAILS

Scholarship holders will be offered the following:

- Exemption from all school/subject levies, including Sport Activities
- Exemption from the family cost of the lpad 9th Gen
- Exemption from excursion costs and external competitions
- Calculator
- A School Uniform Soft-Shell Jacket

Please note:

All other costs, including full school uniform, will be the responsibility of the parents/caregivers. Our uniform can only be purchased on-site at our uniform shop.

Scholarships are not means tested so your income has no bearing on your child's eligibility.

SCHOOL EXPECTATIONS FOR SCHOLARSHIP HOLDERS:

- Students will be placed in the L Class (Academic Excellence Class)
- Students will participate actively in all learning experiences, work diligently and submit all assessment tasks to maintain achievement at High/Outstanding Level across all KLAs
- Students will be provided with opportunities to participate in programs that enhance and enrich their potential, including targeted enrichment projects, programs with external providers and engagement in community projects.
- Students will be required to participate in enrichment activities and external competitions, such as Premier's Reading Challenge, Debating, Public Speaking
- Students will attend Athletics & Swimming Carnivals and the School Cross Country
- Students will demonstrate exemplary attendance and behaviour
- Parents/Caregivers will attend an L class meeting each semester where students will showcase their work and their progress can be discussed with their teachers.
- Students will wear full school uniform every day, including black leather shoes, except on Thursdays when they may wear their Sport Uniform.

Applications are to be submitted to Leumeah High School by <u>21 July 2024</u> via the school's email <u>leumeah-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au</u>

Families will be notified of the outcome of their application by <u>27 September 2024</u>.

If you require any further details, please contact the school office on 02 4625 7755 or by email leumeah-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Ms Christina Mateus

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Principal

Leumeah High School Academic Excellence Scholarship Application Form



Full name of applicant: Current primary school:	
DOCUMENTATION TO BE PROVIDED	D:
	Year 5 & 6 reports,
	Year 5 NAPLAN, Awards
ACADEMIC, SPORTING AND COMM	UNITY ACHIEVEMENTS:
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I/We understand Leumeah High Scho	ol's expectations of scholarship holders.
Parent/Caregiver Signature:	Date:
Parent/Caregiver Name(s):	
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	believe that I am an eligible recipient of the LEUMEAH HIGH SCHOOL ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP because		

Primary School Principal's En	dorsement:	
Primary School Principal's Sig	gnature:	
Principal S Name:		
School Name:		
Date:		