SCHOLARSHIP & BURSARY INFORMATION
I am delighted that you are considering a place at The King’s School and are pursuing a scholarship or bursary. Whether successful or not, I hope that you might consider King’s as a place to educate your son. We are blessed with extraordinary grounds, a unique history and a wonderful community of teachers who enjoy releasing the potential of their students.

To properly care for a young man and to get him to develop a sense of wonder requires teachers who can inspire a boy to give of his best, who can disturb him with new possibilities and who are not limited to the attraction of mediocrity.

We enjoy our teaching at King’s and we enjoy our students. Their energy and dreams fuel our sense of privilege in being able to walk with them in their formative years. Many of these students have been part of the School’s extensive Scholarships or Bursaries program. I hope I may have the opportunity to meet with you should you decide to register for and attend our Scholarship days.

Dr Tim Hawkes  
Headmaster
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Scholarships and Bursaries at The King’s School

As Australia’s oldest Independent School, The King’s School has a well-endowed Scholarship and Bursary program.

• **Academic and Leadership Scholarships** are offered primarily to Year 7 entrants and are dependent on high-range academic results and demonstrated leadership potential in creative and performing arts, sport and the community.

• **Bursaries** are usually awarded to country applicants for boarding places, and are means tested.

• **Leadership** is an important aspect of the Scholarship and Bursary program at The King’s School. Short-listed applicants must indicate ability to contribute to the co-curricular program of the School.

To apply for a Scholarship or Bursary to attend The King’s School in 2013

Register on-line through the School website www.kings.edu.au

All applicants are required to sit the scholarship test to be held at The King’s School. Candidates will be advised of their test results in writing.

Dates for Scholarship and Bursary Testing for 2013 Entry for Years 7 - 11

**Scholarship Testing Day** *
Sunday 11 December 2011 - 8.30 am to 12 noon

**Application Closing Date** *
Sunday 4 December 2011

**Boarder Bursary Testing Day** *
Sunday 26 February 2012 - 8.30 am to 12 noon

**Application Closing Date**
Sunday 19 February 2012

*There is a Registration Fee of $85

You may wish to submit a portfolio of your son’s achievements. This should include copies of his latest school reports, NAPLAN, sporting, music and community certificates or awards and other relevant documents. A summary page should be at the front of this portfolio. All portfolios should be forwarded to Scholarship Advisor: Ms Debbie Joyce, PO Box 1 Parramatta, NSW 2124. The above portfolio’s should reach the school by Sunday 11th December 2011
Academic Scholarship Testing will take place on Sunday 11 December 2011 between 8.30 am and 12.00 noon. A Boarder Testing Day will be held on Sunday 26 February 2012 between 8.30 am and 12.00 noon. Testing will be conducted at The King’s School as part of the Bursary Assessment process.

Boarder applicants should contact Ms Debbie Joyce 02-9683 8588 or djoyce@kings.edu.au for further information about this day. Boys should attend one or other of these days, but not both.

Scholarship and Bursary Testing for 2013 Entry

Registration for The King’s School Scholarship Program should be completed On-Line by visiting

www.kings.edu.au
and following the Scholarship Links.

Practice Test for Edutests are available at a small fee from www.edutest.com.au
Scholarship Testing Day – 11 December 2011

8.30 am  
Boys assemble in the Main Quadrangle,

8.40 am  
Parents move to Futter Hall. Boys enter Centre for Learning and Leadership for examination.

8.50 am  
Parents are welcomed by the Headmaster, Dr Timothy Hawkes in Futter Hall. Tours will commence from Futter Hall

12.00 noon  
Examination concludes.

Boarder Testing Day - 26 February 2012

8.30 am - 8.40 am  
Assemble as above.

8.50 am  
Parents are welcomed by the Headmaster, Dr Timothy Hawkes in Futter Hall. Tours will commence from Futter Hall.

12.00 noon  
Examination concludes. Prospective Boarder families to meet at Gowan Brae for lunch.

Examinations

Tests are conducted by Melbourne-based company EduTest. Boys will be examined in

- Verbal Reasoning (30 minutes)
- Numerical Reasoning (30 minutes)
- Reading Comprehension (30 minutes)
- Mathematics (30 minutes)
- Written Expression (15 minutes)

Note: boys may not take any books, papers, measuring, calculating or translating instruments of any kind into the examination room. This includes mobile ‘phones, calculator watches and watches that beep.
Notification of results

Parents will be notified of results by May 2012. Documentary evidence of achievements should be provided at these interviews. Boarder Bursaries and Awards typically take a little longer to determine.

While you’re waiting for the exam to finish

After Morning Tea, please feel free to take a walk around the School or join a guided tour with one of our senior staff and boys. You may be surprised by the extent of the grounds which cover some 300 acres, and the facilities for our students.
1. Futter Trust Scholarship

Violet Macansh Scholarship
For boarders or day boys. These scholarships are tenable for the remaining years of the candidate’s secondary schooling and take into account a candidate’s need for monetary assistance. A boarder may receive assistance with boarding costs.

Futter Trust Scholarships
For Boarders or day boys. Awarded on the basis of academic excellence and covers full tuition fees. Tenable for the remaining years of the candidate’s secondary schooling.

Victor Futter Scholarships
For Boarders or day boys entering the school in Years 7 to 11. These scholarships are tenable for the remaining years of the candidate’s secondary schooling and cover tuition costs. All or part boarding costs may be available, subject to family income.

2. The King’s School Council Awards

The King’s School Scholars’ Awards
Year 7 entry scholarships for boarders or day boys covering full or part tuition fees tenable for the six years of a candidate’s secondary schooling.

SMB Wansey Scholarships
Awarded to a boarder joining the School in Year 9 and covers boarding fees and tuition fees subject to means.

Bicentennial Music Scholarship
Awarded following academic examination and audition to an outstanding musician.

Gus Taylor Scholarships
Awarded to boarders from NSW contry areas entering the School at any one of the first five years of secondary schooling with preference given to boys entering Year 10. Some scholarships cover both boarding and tuition fees, others cover boarding with part or whole tuition available according to means.
TKS Foundation Scholarships

These scholarships are for boarders or day boys and are available for the remaining years of the candidate’s secondary schooling at the School. They provide full or part tuition fees.

Morris Fielding Scholarship

Scholarship for a boy entering Years 7-11, covering all or part of tuition fees.

Other scholarships supported by the Foundation, and awarded when the conditions of the bequest and funds permit include:

The Martin Bursary
The Constance Odbert Bursary
David Halliday Macansh Scholarships
The Nan Blaiklock Fellowships for Drama
The H R Pigott Memorial Bursary

Note: It is NOT NECESSARY to apply for specific Scholarships. The School will award relevant Scholarships and Bursaries to eligible applicants.
The King’s School administers Exhibitions available to Old Boys who qualify to attend selected universities. These awards are administered by The Headmaster and School Council.

The Broughton and Forrest Exhibition to Oxford or Cambridge Universities

The Stanley Wilson Oxford Scholarship to Oxford or Cambridge Universities

The Sydney See Scholarship for Veterinary or Agricultural Science at Sydney University

Standing between pedestrian performance and excellence is the grind associated with practice. However, if the prize is attractive enough, and if the self discipline is great enough, this pain barrier can be overcome.
About The King’s School

The King’s School is an international leader in boys’ education and in residential care. Situated on 120 hectares at North Parramatta, the School provides a happy, active lifestyle for its students, offering the best of both rural and urban life in Australia’s largest cosmopolitan city. Flexible boarding arrangements are available.

Extracurricular activities: Cadets, debating, choir, music, School band, Duke of Edinburgh’s Award Scheme, and some 20 other co-curricular clubs and activities are offered. Drama is well supported.

Special features: Excellent academic results, an abundance of leadership opportunities, gifted and talented programs, focus on public speaking, Transition year for Year 7 to ease boys into senior school, full-time chaplain, school counsellor.

Facilities

Rugby fields, football fields, cross-country tracks, 50-metre swimming pool, heated pool, sports centre, advanced cricket facilities, rowing, indoor rock climbing, indoor shooting range, tennis and basketball courts, information technology centre, science centre, 320-seat professional theatre, centre of learning and leadership incorporating a computerised library, comprehensive music centre, boatshed on Parramatta River, historic sandstone chapel.
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