

2020 Scholarships



Scholarships at NWCC allow students with strong academic and musical potential the opportunity to pursue their purpose within an excellent Christian education environment.

Norwest Christian College offers scholarships of up to 50% of Tuition Fees and are available for students entering our Year 7 and Year 11 cohorts in 2020.

Requirements for Scholarships to enrol in 2020

- Open to current Norwest Christian College students and students wishing to enrol from other schools.
- Applications open on Monday, 12 November 2018 and close on Monday, 4 February 2019. Late registrations are unable to be accepted.
- Applicants are required to undertake the Australian Council of Educational Research (ACER) Cooperate Scholarship Testing Program (CSTP).
- ACER registration fee \$125, payable to ACER when registering.
- All scholarship applicants must sit the academic examination. Shortlisted applicants will need to also provide academic reports with their application for enrolment.
- Norwest Christian College scholarships are not available for overseas students.

ACER CSTP

The ACER CSTP administers tests to aide schools Australia-wide to evaluate the academic capabilities of scholarship applicants.

- apply for level one if entering 2020 Year 7
- apply for level three if entering 2020 Year 11

Applicants are required to undertake an exam in Mathematics as well as written expression, comprehension and interpretation. The examinations do not require prior study or for the child to have studied a particular curriculum, although practice of the exam format is advisable. For more information or to purchase practice materials please visit the [ACER website](#).

Scholarship Criteria

- **Academic Scholarships** are awarded to applicants who show strong academic potential.
- **Music Scholarships** are awarded to applicants who are able to demonstrate exceptional musical talent either vocally or on an instrument of their choice and who achieve admirable results on the ACER CSTP. Music scholarship recipients are required to study Music at the College throughout their enrolment and participate in extra-curricular music programs.
- **All-Rounder (General Excellence) Scholarships** are awarded to applicants who show potential for school and community leadership through all-round accomplishment in all areas of school life including, but not limited to academic, sport and cultural.

Examination Day

Saturday, 23 February 2019

ACER CSTP will be held onsite at Norwest Christian College between 9am and 12pm. A tour of the College will be conducted for the families of scholarship applicants during the examination time.

Selection Process

Candidates will be notified of test results before the end of Term 2 2019. Following the release of ACER CSTP results the College will contact a shortlist of scholarship applicants to invite the student and their family to an interview with our Principal. Unsuccessful applicants will also be advised at this time.

Students who accept a scholarship in;

- 2020 Year 7 commence on Thursday, 30 January 2020
- 2020 Year 11 commence on Tuesday, 15 October 2019

For more information please contact our Student Enrolment Manager, Cilla Walker, on 02 8889 4600 or email scholarship@nwcc.nsw.edu.au