



Launceston  
Grammar

# Performing Arts Andrew Gordon Music Scholarship

For students entering Grades 11 or 12

## INTRODUCTION

A generous donation made by the late Mr Andrew Gordon has enabled the prestigious Andrew Gordon Music Scholarship to be established. Through this Fund, educational opportunities are open to students for entry to Grade 11 or 12. It is a requirement that students include Music as an elective subject in Grade 11 or 12.

Applicants are required to provide the following:

- a USB containing a video recording of the applicant's performance on their chosen instrument (musical or vocal);
- one reference from the applicant's musical coach.

As a guide, the School has set minimum levels of previous achievements on AMEB or Trinity College examinations, or equivalent, for audition. These are as follows:

<i>Theory</i>	<i>Performance</i>	<i>School Grade of Entry</i>
Grade 4 AMEB	Grade 5-6 AMEB	Grade 11

Performing Arts (Music) Scholarships are awarded following a solo performance audition, conducted in front of a panel. Applicants should come prepared to play two contrasting pieces on their chosen instrument or on each of their chosen instruments, if more than one. The audition will also include a sight-reading test, an aural test and a short interview with the panel. Assessment will include:

- Presentation
- Program choice
- Preparedness
- Potential
- Engagement
- Finesse

The Scholarship will vary in value based on musical proficiency providing part remission of tuition fees (up to 50% concession) and is tenable until the end of Grade 12.

Scholarships will be reviewed after two years and will continue subject to satisfactory progress of the student, taking into account the student's School reports, feedback provided by various members of staff and the student's adherence to the Student Code of Conduct. Scholarship recipients are also expected to meet the following General Scholarship Criteria of:

- Setting a good example in every respect inside and outside the classroom;
- Demonstrating positive School spirit;
- Willingly meeting all obligations as defined by staff;
- Being involved in and supporting school functions and activities;
- Being exemplary in their appearance and wearing of the School's uniform; and
- Making a full contribution to the School's co-curricular activities programme and to the general life of the School, and continue their enrolment at the School to the end of Grade 12.

## APPLICATION PROCESS

Applications **must** include the following:

- Andrew Gordon Music Scholarship Application Form (including a portrait photo of the applicant);
- Filmed audition piece provided on a USB;
- Handwritten letter of introduction (by the student), addressed to the Headmaster, Mr Richard Ford. The letter is to include examples of how the student has or will meet the General Scholarship Criteria set out above;
- Copy of the student's two school reports;
- Copy of the student's NAPLAN report(s); and
- Copy of certificates of achievement/accolades etc. as appropriate (please limit to just a few awards).

Failure to include all documentation noted above may result in the application not being considered.

Applications will not be returned therefore we ask that only copies of reports and certificates be supplied. Material should be no larger than A4 size and should come stapled (please do not place material in a presentation folder).

Applications close at 5.00pm on Monday 8 April 2019.

Applications should either be posted or delivered by hand and addressed to:

The Registrar  
Launceston Church Grammar School  
36 Button Street [or PO BOX 136]  
MOWBRAY HEIGHTS TAS 7248

**Digital or electronic applications will not be accepted.**

## ELIGIBILITY TO APPLY

- New students and currently enrolled students of Launceston Church Grammar School.
- Students who are Australian citizens or permanent residents

## SELECTION PROCESS

Applications will be shortlisted based on the documentation provided and criteria outlined above shortly after the closing date.

Shortlisted applicants will be invited to attend an audition with their parents and will perform in front of The Head of Music and a panel of suitably experienced staff.

The Andrew Gordon Music Scholarship audition is scheduled for Saturday 4 May 2019 at the Senior Campus.

All applicants will be informed of the outcome of their application once auditions have concluded.

## QUESTIONS

For more information please contact the Registrar on (03) 6336 6052 or [registrar@lchs.tas.edu.au](mailto:registrar@lchs.tas.edu.au)

# Application for Performing Arts Andrew Gordon Music Scholarship



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## Applicant's Details

Surname	
First name	
Middle name	
Preferred name	
Residential address	
Postal address (if different)	

Gender  Male  Female

Date of birth		Country of birth	
Religion		Parish (if applicable)	

Please select as applicable  Australian citizen

Aboriginal / Torres Strait Islander descent

Permanent resident

Temporary resident

Overseas student

Visa class no. \_\_\_\_\_

Visa class name: \_\_\_\_\_

Year of arrival in Australia: \_\_\_\_\_

Passport number: \_\_\_\_\_

	School name	Year level	Dates attended
Current school			
Previous school(s)			

## Family Details

	Parent/Guardian 1	Parent/Guardian 2
Title		
Family name		
Given names		
Preferred name in conversation		
Relationship to child		
Residential address		
Postal address (if different)		
Home telephone		
Work telephone		
Mobile		
Email		

## Academic

What are your best subjects at school?

What has been your rank in your class(es) this year? (if you do not know exactly, say "about...")

### Academic

List your subjects and marks/grades from your most recent school report.

Subject	Grade

What are your career ambitions?

### Leadership

What leadership positions have you held at school?  
*e.g. Class Captain, Team Captain, other?*

What leadership positions have you held outside of school? *e.g. Scouts, Guides, Church Group, Sport Club, other? Please specify details.*

## Cultural

Do you do much reading?  
If so, what kind of books  
interest you most?

Do you learn an  
instrument, play in an  
orchestra or band, or sing  
in a choir? Give details  
(include levels attained  
and any results).

Do you have any  
involvement with or  
interest in the Arts (drama,  
dance, visual arts)?  
(Candidates selected for  
interview may wish to bring  
a folio or art/graphics work  
along.)

Do you have any hobbies  
or other interests that you  
would like to mention?

## Sport

Which sports do you  
play at a local club/  
representative/state/  
national level (please  
note summer and winter  
sports)?

Please specify highest  
ranked team for each  
sport:

Please give performance  
details, including highest  
ranked team(s) and  
personal best times, where  
appropriate:

Please detail any special  
achievements in this area  
e.g. awards, trophies.

## General

Does your family currently, or have they previously, had any connection with Launceston Church Grammar School?  Yes  No

If yes, please include name(s) of relatives, completed grade level and alumni year group.

Outline any other considerations which you may feel to be of importance in supporting your application:

Particulars of each child, other than the applicant, who is under the age of eighteen years and receiving a full-time education:

Name:	
Age:	
Full time education at:	
Name of any Bursary/Scholarship held:	
Value per annum (or % discount):	
Name:	
Age:	
Full time education at:	
Name of any Bursary/Scholarship held:	
Value per annum (or % discount):	
Name:	
Age:	
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## Academic Reference in support of Scholarship

Dear Sir/Madam

The student whose name appears below is applying for a **Performing Arts Andrew Gordon Music Scholarship** for admission into Launceston Church Grammar School. These scholarships will be awarded to students who are able to demonstrate excellence and achievement in fields of endeavour related to school life.

The applicant would appreciate your support for their submission and would be appreciative if you could provide information under the areas listed.

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Thank you for your assistance.

Registrar

Applicant's name	
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### Academic Reference in support of Scholarship

Academic progress:


Perceived academic potential:


Demeanour, work habits and attitude to learning:


Personal characteristics:


Qualities of leadership:


Other areas you may care to comment upon (e.g. student's interests and involvement):


Signature		Date	
Name			
Position			
Address			
Telephone			
Email			

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### Personal Reference in support of Scholarship

Years of contact with the student:

Area of contact (how you have known the student):

Personal characteristics (e.g. temperament, reliability, sense of fair play, contribution, etc):

Qualities of leadership:

Other areas you may care to comment upon (e.g. student's interests and involvement):

Signature		Date	
Name			
Occupation			
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Telephone			
Email			