



**Launceston
Grammar**

Build-Your-Own (BYO) Scholarship

For students entering Grade 4, Grade 7,
Grade 10 or Grade 11

INTRODUCTION

Build-Your-Own (BYO) Scholarships are open to new students who will be entering into Grade 4, Grade 7, Grade 10 and Grade 11 in 2020 at Launceston Church Grammar School.

Launceston Grammar is looking for curious and talented young men and women with demonstrated interests and abilities in any field to share their passion with the Launceston Grammar community. The BYO Scholarship seeks to identify uniquely gifted and talented students who may otherwise go unrecognised. Specifically aimed at unconventional, high-achieving students, the BYO Scholarship sees applicants augment academic results with demonstrated skill, personal references and a structured interview. The goal is to uncover the full breadth of a student's capabilities and capacity to contribute dynamically to the life of the School.

Applicants are required to compile a portfolio. Awards are given to applicants exhibiting intellectual potential and an ability to contribute dynamically to the Launceston Grammar community

PORTFOLIO

It is recommended that the portfolio compiled by the applicant should include the following:

- A personal statement explaining the origins and development of the applicant's area of interest;
- Two (2) written references from individuals supporting the applicant in developing their specific area of interest. Examples include: the director of a youth drama production; a journalist mentoring an aspiring writer; or a community leader able to discuss the applicant's contribution to a social justice project;
- Two to four (2-4) annotated exemplar work samples. Examples include: a brief film of the applicant performing; a story the applicant has had published; an invention the applicant constructed to remedy a problem.

The award includes fee remission, proportional to the strength of the application (up to 50% rebate of tuitions fees), additional support such as mentorships and funding for attendance at courses or workshops outside of School. Scholarships are 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:

- Build-Your-Own (BYO) Scholarship Application Form;
- Build-Your-Own (BYO) Scholarship Portfolio;
- Handwritten letter of introduction (by the student), addressed to the Headmaster, Mr Richard Ford. The letter is to include a statement of how the student has or will meet the General Scholarship Criteria set out above and outline interests and specific academic/career goals for life beyond secondary school;
- Copy of the student's two school reports; and
- Copy of the student's NAPLAN report(s).

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 Friday 31 May 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 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 interviewed by the Headmaster and additional panel members familiar with the applicant's specific area of interest.

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

QUESTIONS

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

Application for Build-Your-Own (BYO) Scholarship



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: _____

Current school

Previous school(s)

School name	Year level	Dates attended

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?

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

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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.)

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

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Sport

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

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Please specify highest
ranked team for each
sport:

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

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

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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:	
Full time education at:	
Name of any Bursary/Scholarship held:	
Value per annum (or % discount):	

Other Details

Give the names and contact details of two or three persons to whom reference could be made in confidence regarding the applicant’s character. One must be the head teacher (or other senior teacher) of the applicant’s present school.

Name:	
Telephone:	
Email:	
Name:	
Telephone:	
Email:	
Name:	
Telephone:	
Email:	

Any other information you may wish to provide

Signature

	Parent/Guardian 1	Parent/Guardian 2
Name		
Signature		
Date		

Academic Reference in support of Scholarship

Dear Sir/Madam

The student whose name appears below is applying for a **Build-Your-Own (BYO) 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			

Personal Reference in support of Scholarship

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Applicant's name	
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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			
Address			
Telephone			
Email			