



2023 SCHOLARSHIPS FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Heritage College Perth are excited to announce that in 2023 we will be offering a limited number of full and part scholarships.

1 Who is ACER?

The Australian Council for Educational Research is a not-for-profit research organisation that provide services in educational research, professional development and assessment.

2 Who is eligible to apply?

Students entering Years 4, 7, 10 and 11 in February 2023 may apply for an Academic or a General Excellence scholarship at Heritage College Perth.

3 Which scholarships do I apply for?

Student Year in 2023	Scholarship to apply for
Year 4	Primary
Year 7	Level 1
Year 10	Level 2
Year 11	Level 3

4 How do I apply?

To apply for a scholarship you must submit an application through the ACER Scholarship Test website:

Primary: <http://scholarships.acer.org/intro/2470>

Secondary: <http://scholarships.acer.org/intro/2471>

5 When do applications close?

All applications and supporting materials must be submitted on the ACER website using the above links by Wednesday, 1 June 2022.

6 When is the test?

The Scholarship Test will be held on Saturday, 11 June 2022 at Heritage College Perth campus at 339 Hawtin Road, Forrestfield. There will be two rooms hosting testing on that day and participants will be advised in advance of where they need to meet.

7 Is there a fee to apply?

Yes, applicants are required to pay a non-refundable administration fee of \$100. Additionally, downloadable practise tests are optionally available for purchase from ACER.

8 What sort of questions are in the test?

The Scholarship tests are not curriculum based and do not test the ability to retrieve learned knowledge nor are they diagnostic.

The tests students will take are designed to reveal their thinking skills and abilities, not their detailed knowledge of subjects. The questions ask them to analyse, interpret, comprehend or draw conclusions from information presented.



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9 How are applicants assessed?

Processing of applications, supporting documentation and the marking of the test papers are performed by an external, independent provider (ACER). Results are provided to the College in confidence for review by the Scholarship Committee.

10 When will the results be advised?

Scholarship offers will be sent to the successful candidates by Wednesday, 20 July 2022.

11 Can I receive the scholarship as a cash payment?

All scholarships will be applied to the 2023 tuition, they are not cash awards.

12 How long are the Scholarships valid?

All scholarships are being offered for one year unconditionally, and then conditionally valid until the recipient is eligible to sit the next scholarship test for HCP. Eg, if your child is awarded a Year 4 Scholarship for 2023, it is valid for tuition fees for the entirety of Year 4, unconditionally. For Year 5 & 6 there are some conditions on the retention of the Scholarship such as continued high academic performance and regular attendance. All conditions will be fully outlined in the Scholarship Offer. Once that child commences Year 6 they are eligible to sit for another Scholarship for Year 7 onwards.

13 Are there only Academic Scholarships?

No, HCP is offering both Academic and General Excellence Scholarships in 2023. Academic Scholarships are for students who are strong academically across the core subjects. General Excellence Scholarships are for students who have good academic ability but who can also provide evidence of their active and positive contribution to the community.



DO YOU HAVE FURTHER QUESTIONS?

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