St Andrew’s School 2018 Academic Scholarships
Examination: Saturday 11 February 2017

Thank you for your interest in a Scholarship at St Andrew’s School. The Academic Scholarship is available to students in Years 4, 5 or 6 in 2016.

Candidates may register, download information, purchase sample questions and access a username and password to make allowed changes to registration details by logging onto St Andrew’s website, www.standrews.sa.edu.au. A registration fee of $130 will need to be paid at the time of registration. For further information on the Primary Scholarship Program (PSP), please refer to the Candidate Information Bulletin on www.standrews.sa.edu.au.

Closing date and time for registering is no later than 5.00pm on Friday 27 January 2017. Late applications will not be accepted.

Please forward the following information to St Andrew’s School before 27 January 2017.

- copy of latest school report*
- copy of the results of the most recent National Assessment Program Literacy & Numeracy (NAPLAN) Test (previously known as Basic Skills Test)*
- accompanying letter to support your child’s application that outlines your reasons for wishing to join St Andrew’s School community.*
- $130 Registration Fee

*Not relevant for current St Andrew’s students.

Procedure on Examination Day
The scholarship examination will be held at St Andrew’s School, 22 Smith Street, Walkerville on Saturday 11 February 2017. Parking is available on Smith Street or Church Terrace.

You must arrive no later than 8.45am and staff will be present to assist with direction. Candidates will not be admitted after 8.45am.

When you report to the examination centre, bring two HB or B pencils, a pencil eraser, and two blue or black pens. Use a pen for the written expression section, for the other tests you must use an HB or B pencil. Do not bring rulers, mathematical instruments of any kind, programmable watches, mobile phones, photographic or other image/data capturing devices, books or notepaper. All the materials you will need, other than pencils, erasers and pens, are provided at the examination room. You may like to bring something to eat or drink during the breaks.

Parents are invited to meet the Principal, Mrs Deb Dalwood, to learn more about the history, philosophy and programme at St Andrew’s School. Opportunity will be given for questions and, weather permitting, a tour of the School grounds.

After a review of the information provided and the results of the examination, a shortlist of candidates will be invited for an interview with the Principal. Candidates may be asked to undertake further relevant activities at this time. Examination results will not be published.

All students sit the same test and scholarships are based on external rankings. Candidates will be considered for scholarships if their results sit in the 90 – 100 percentile. The School Board shall award the Scholarships offered in its absolute discretion.

Successful candidates may receive a remission of up to half of the base tuition fees each year to the conclusion of Year 7 at St Andrew’s School. Only one form of discount applies. A student in receipt of a scholarship is not also eligible for any other discounts. For successful external candidates, a refundable Tuition Bond of $1700 will be required to proceed with application. A copy of the child’s birth certificate will be required, in accordance with established enrolment procedure, as proof of age.

Candidates will be notified within eight weeks.