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Dear St Joseph's College families

# St Joseph's College Scholarships 2025

ENRICH, ASPIRE, ACHIEVE – a brighter future starts with an outstanding education.

# **BOUNDLESS POSSIBILITIES**

The college is proud to offer a range of scholarship opportunities to students transitioning into Years 11 and 12.

#### **ENRICHMENT**

## **Mercy Academic Internal Scholarships**

These scholarships are one way we can recognise excellence and reward academic merit for students continuing Years 11 and 12 at the college in 2025 and 2026. They carry a tenure of two years with remission of 50% of the global fee for students ranked in the top 10% of the Year 10 cohort. An application is not required as academic data will be used to determine the successful recipients.

## **INSPIRATION**

# Founding Sisters of Mercy Scholarships

The Sisters of Mercy have established a rich legacy within the Sunraysia community. These scholarships are designed to continue this tradition of encouraging educational excellence and personal integrity within our Mercy Core Values. The college presents these \$1,500 scholarships annually to Year 10 students transitioning into Year 11 at the college. These scholarships are awarded to those students who 'live' our Mercy Core Values and demonstrate excellence in their academic and personal school life. These scholarships are:

- Catherine McAuley Scholarship
- Anna Maria Doyle Scholarship
- Elizabeth Harley Scholarship
- Mary Vincent Whitty Scholarship
- Juliana Hardman Scholarship
- Elizabeth Moore Scholarship
- Clare Augustine Moore Scholarship
- Frances Warde Scholarship

• Ursula Frayne Scholarship

Criteria for these scholarships are clearly articulated in the information booklet for applicants. Please note the scholarships for students transitioning from Year 10 into Year 11 can only be accepted by students who are committed to continuing their education at St Joseph's College.

The scholarship will be paid in Year 11 at a college assembly with two instalments of \$750 each at the commencement of Semester 1 and again at the end of Semester 2.

YEAR OF COMPASSION

The deciding members of the Scholarship Committee include the following college leaders:

Mr Greg Kluske	Principal
Mr Emmet Brown	Acting Deputy Principal, Learning and Teaching
Mr Heath McClaer	Deputy Principal, Students
Mr Marcus Parker	Acting Director of Learning and Teaching
Mr Mel Ficarra	Head of Senior Pathways

#### ACHIEVEMENT

#### Year 12 VCE Scholarships

The college is delighted to offer academic excellence scholarships to assist Year 12 students with their future endeavours. Each year, students who achieve an ATAR ranking of 90 or above will receive a \$2,000 cash scholarship. The College Dux will also receive an additional \$1,000 scholarship on top of the \$2,000 received for achieving an ATAR ranking of 90 or above. In addition, the Proxime Accessit, runner up to the Dux, will receive an extra \$500 scholarship.

## **VCE VM Excellence Scholarship**

There will be a \$2,000 scholarship for one senior VCE VM student. This scholarship will require an application process with a set of criteria to be completed. A college VCE VM staff member will be required to provide the Scholarship Committee with a confidential reference for the applicant. Details of the application process and criteria are listed in the 2025 Scholarship Booklet.

Further information regarding all scholarships on offer and the selection criteria can be viewed in our St Joseph's College Scholarships Booklet, available on the college website. Alternatively, please contact Mr Emmet Brown, Acting Deputy Principal Learning and Teaching.

Applications for the Year 11 Founding Sisters of Mercy Scholarships and the VCE VM Excellence Scholarship are now open and will close on Friday July 19, 2024.

We wish all of our students the best with the process.

Yours sincerely

Mr Greg Kluske Principal