



Year 7 2020 Creative Arts Scholarship Program

Applications close: Monday 5 August 2019

At Dominic College we value the Creative Arts in many ways as a worthwhile pursuit of humanity's exploration of meaning as well as a method of fostering self-worth, self-identity and individuality. Creative Arts subjects at Dominic College are each considered an important and unique way of teaching and learning. They allow students to integrate their learning through teamwork whilst building skills for the workplace. We strive to provide quality, authentic and purposeful experiences that call the students to achieve valuable goals. The Department of Creative Arts at Dominic College offers the following subjects; Dance, Drama, Music, Visual Art and Media Arts.

There are a limited number of Creative Arts Scholarships in the areas of Music, Visual Art, Dance and Drama available for Dominic College Year 7 2020 students.

Who is eligible to apply for a scholarship? 2019 Year 6 students who demonstrate a passion for and talent in Creative Arts may apply. Students eligible to apply must either already be enrolled at Dominic College or have submitted an enrolment application. If a student is yet to apply for enrolment at Dominic College an enrolment application is to be submitted with or before the scholarship application. Enrolment applications are available from the Dominic College Business Office and at www.dominic.tas.edu.au. Students already enrolled in another Catholic secondary school in Tasmania for 2020 are ineligible to apply.

What do the scholarships cover? Each scholarship covers 50% of tuition fees for the period of the successful candidate's enrolment at Dominic College. The continuation of the scholarship from year to year depends on the continuing participation and interest of the student in Creative Arts.

How to apply: To apply students are to complete and submit the Creative Arts Scholarship Application Form together with an address of the selection criteria.

Applications can be submitted through one of the following avenues:

- Handed in directly at the Dominic College Business Office
- Posted to the College Registrar PO Box 256 Glenorchy TAS 7010
- Emailed to the College Registrar enrol@dominic.tas.edu.au

Ensure that your application is received by the closing date.

Interviews

Following the application closing date, shortlisted students will be interviewed. Interviews will take place on a Saturday in Term 3, 2019. Shortlisted students will be notified of the date in due course. At the interview stage students will be asked to speak about their selection criteria address. Visual Arts candidates will be asked to bring and present a portfolio of their work and Performing Arts candidates (Dance, Drama or Music) will be asked to present a performance/s of their choice of 3-4 minutes duration.

What is expected of students who are successful in obtaining a scholarship? Students who are successful in attaining a Creative Arts Scholarship are expected to demonstrate leadership in, strong support for and participation in the Creative Arts programs at Dominic College, as well as exemplary support for the College's Code of Conduct for students. It is a condition of this scholarship the student will continue with a Creative Arts elective from Year 8 to Year 10.

For further information: please contact the College Registrar on 6274 6010 or enrol@dominic.tas.edu.au



Year 7 2020 Creative Arts Scholarship Application Form

Student Information

Surname _____ Given names _____

Gender _____ Date of birth _____ Current school _____

Parent/Guardian Information

1. Parent/Guardian name _____ Signature _____ Date _____
Phone number _____ Email _____

2. Parent/Guardian name _____ Signature _____ Date _____
Phone number _____ Email _____

Referees

Dominic College may wish to contact referees to discuss your application. Referees are people nominated by you that can offer comments in relation to your ability to meet the selection criteria. Details of at least two (2) referees are to be provided below.

1. Referee name _____ Connection to student _____
Phone number _____ Email _____

2. Referee name _____ Connection to student _____
Phone number _____ Email _____

How did you hear about the Dominic College Scholarship Program?

Creative Arts Subject Preference

Please write a number 1 – 4 next to the subjects below in order of preference, with 1 being the subject you are most interested in:

- Dance
- Drama
- Music
- Visual Arts (including graphics and photography)



Year 7 2020 Creative Arts Scholarship Selection Criteria

The successful applicant will display the following selection criteria. The address of the selection criteria is to be in typed format (if sent electronically it should be in either Microsoft Word or PDF format). Copies of certificates of participation and/or achievement may be submitted to accompany the selection criteria address. The selection criteria address is to cover the below selection criteria, answering the relevant questions with a word limit of approximately 200-300 words for each criteria.

Selection Criteria

1. Demonstrated skills and participation in Creative Arts.

- *What Creative Arts activities have you participated in, and what have been your achievements?*

2. A strong commitment to the Creative Arts.

- *Why are Creative Arts important to you?*
- *What is your favourite Creative Art (Dance, Drama, Music or Visual Art) and why is it special to you?*

3. The potential to show leadership in the Creative Arts programs at Dominic College.

- *How will you use your gifts in service and to lead others in the Dominic College Community?*

4. A strong commitment to the Dominic College community and the ability to display exemplary support for the College's Code of Conduct for students.

- *Current students: How will you continue your commitment to the Dominic College community and what important behaviours and values will you continue to display in the College Community?*
- *New students: Why do you want to come to Dominic College and what important behaviours and values can you bring to the College Community?*