

## **Student Bursary Programme FAQ**

Q: If awarded the Student Bursary will my daughter have it until she graduates in 6<sup>th</sup> year?
A: The bursary is reviewed annually, with updated financial information being submitted to the independent committee. The bursary may be discontinued or adjusted should the financial circumstances of the family change, following communication with the family. Bursaries will be renewed each year provided that the Principal is satisfied with the student's progress and conduct in line with the Code of Behaviour.

## Q: What kind of financial reviews take place?

A: A full financial review will be required before entering the senior cycle (4<sup>th</sup> year); a partial review and statement of means will be required in other years.

Q: Are there additional expectations on the students as recipients of the Student Bursary?A: The Principal must be satisfied with the student's progress and conduct in line with the Code of Behaviour, as is expected of all students. The policy is intended for students who will benefit from the opportunities that Rosemont provides and who will contribute strongly to the life of the school. Holders of the Student Bursary Programme are expected to assess their own contributions to the school and to set targets for themselves in line with the school coaching program.

- Q: Who is the Student Bursary Programme open to?
- A: Bursaries may be applied for by parents/guardians of:
  - girls starting first year in September 2024
  - girls accepted to start school upstream, on a limited basis and by way of exception
  - girls currently in Rosemont, on a limited basis and by way of exception, where the family's financial circumstances have changed markedly, to the extent that their ability to pay full fees is compromised

Q: Are there additional expectations on the parents of recipients of the Student Bursary?A: The parents of students being sponsored are expected to make a commitment to participate fully in the school community.

## Q: Who assesses the applications?

A: The Student Bursary Committee, which is set up by the Board of Trustees and is independent of the School, will assess the applications. No member of school staff is involved in the financial information submitted by families. The Principal and Deputy Principal hold an interview with the applicant and her parents, following short-listing by the Student Bursary Committee, to ascertain their understanding of and commitment to engage with the Bursary Policy.



Q: If documents are missing will my application still be considered?

A: All required documents must be submitted for an application to be considered.

Q: Who will know if my daughter is a bursary applicant and/or recipient?

A: All information provided will be kept strictly confidential and will be assessed only by the Student Bursary Committee. No member of school staff is party to the financial details submitted as part of the bursary application procedure. Data will be controlled at all times to ensure confidentiality. The Principal, Deputy Principal and School Bursar are the only school staff who are aware of which students are on bursaries.

Q: What happens to our application and data after it is submitted?

A: All applicant's data will be held securely by the Bursary Committee.

When a Bursary application is deemed unsuccessful all documentation related to the application will be securely destroyed within the appropriate timeframe.