



Our Lady of
Mercy College

SENIOR SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS & BURSARIES FOR 2024

Embracing Life | Nurturing Faith | Inspiring Learning

Our Lady of Mercy College Australind is a nurturing co-educational secondary College for students from Year 7 to Year 12. Situated in a peaceful environment, our beautiful College has been designed with students in mind. It has wonderful learning areas and an abundance of open space and sporting facilities.

The Catholic faith, in the Mercy tradition, is at the heart of the College. Our guiding philosophy is centred in "Embracing Life, Nurturing Faith and Inspiring Learning." We encourage our students to embrace all aspects of life, to nurture their spirituality and to let their natural curiosity inspire deep learning.

Scholarships and Bursaries

For the 2024 academic year, our College offers a range of scholarships to students who display commitment and motivation in the areas of learning, creativity, leadership, collaboration and community. Inspired by Catherine McAuley, the founder of the Sisters of Mercy, the College also offers Bursaries (monetary assistance) to enable students to attend our College when they might otherwise not have been able to do so.

The College offers the following Scholarships and Bursaries to current and future students:

ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

The Academic Scholarship recognises high academic achievement and the demonstration of outstanding personal characteristics.

Number of Scholarships available:

- Four Scholarships for students entering Year 10 in 2024 at Our Lady of Mercy College.

Who can apply?

Students commencing Year 10 in 2024.

Value of Scholarship:

50% of tuition fees for Year 10, Year 11 and Year 12 at Our Lady of Mercy College.

ART SCHOLARSHIPS

The Art Scholarship recognises exceptional achievement in this specialist area and the demonstration of outstanding personal characteristics.

Number of Scholarships available:

- Two Scholarships for students entering Year 10 in 2024 at Our Lady of Mercy College.

Who can apply?

Students commencing Year 10 in 2024.

Value of Scholarship:

50% of tuition fees for Year 10, Year 11 and Year 12 at Our Lady of Mercy College.

SPORT SCHOLARSHIPS

The Sport Scholarship recognises exceptional achievement in this specialist area and the demonstration of outstanding personal characteristics.

Number of Scholarships available:

- Two Scholarships for students entering Year 10 in 2024 at Our Lady of Mercy College.

Who can apply?

Students commencing Year 10 in 2024.

Value of Scholarship:

50% of tuition fees for Year 10, Year 11 and Year 12 at Our Lady of Mercy College.

TECHNOLOGY SCHOLARSHIPS

The Technology Scholarship recognises exceptional achievement in this specialist area and the demonstration of outstanding personal characteristics.

Number of Scholarships available:

- Two Scholarships for students entering Year 10 in 2024 at Our Lady of Mercy College.

Who can apply?

Students commencing Year 10 in 2024.

Value of Scholarship:

50% of tuition fees for Year 10, Year 11 and Year 12 at Our Lady of Mercy College.



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CATHOLIC BURSARIES

The Catholic Bursary is for Catholic students who are actively engaged in the life of their Parish and display outstanding personal characteristics.

Number of Bursaries available:

- Two Bursaries for students entering Year 10 in 2024.

Who can apply?

Students commencing Year 10 in 2024.

Value of Bursary:

50% of tuition fees for Year 10, Year 11 and Year 12 at Our Lady of Mercy College.

P&F BURSARIES

These Bursaries are provided by the P&F and are determined on a need's basis. They are intended to assist parents in offsetting some of the costs associated with attending the College. Generally, applicants would be in receipt of a Health Care Card or other concession card to be considered eligible.

Who can apply?

Students commencing Year 10 in 2024.

Value of Bursary:

Up to \$400.00 financial contribution to be determined on an individual and confidential basis. It is payable for one year only.

How to Apply

For details on how to apply for a 2024 Scholarship or Bursary, please refer to our website or the Senior School Scholarships & Bursaries 2024 Application Form.



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SENIOR SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS & BURSARIES 2024 APPLICATION FORM

How to Apply

To apply for a 2024 Scholarship or Bursary, please complete the Scholarship/Bursary Application Form on the reverse and include the following documents:

Academic, Sport, Art, Technology Scholarships:

- Student composed letter of introduction which details current interests and achievements as well as future ambitions. The letter should not exceed a typed A4 page (1-sided).
- Our Mercy values of Compassion, Justice, Respect, Hospitality, Service and Courage, guide our students to live a life of purpose. Scholarship applicants are asked to provide a 200-word written response which outlines the value which most appeals to them and indicate how this value might be integrated into their day to day living.
- A copy of the latest school report.

Catholic Bursaries & P&F Bursaries:

- Parent composed letter of introduction which sets out their current family and financial circumstances. Parents should indicate the areas in which they need assistance. The letter should not exceed a typed A4 page (1-sided).
- A copy of the latest school report.

Applications are to be returned by mail or can be emailed to enrolments@olmca.wa.edu.au by **Monday, 4 December 2023** (Term 4, Week 9). Late applications will not be accepted.

All applications will be considered by a panel. The final decision on awarding any Scholarships and Bursaries rests with the Principal.

The Scholarship and Bursary recipients will be notified by mail on or before **Tuesday, 12 December 2023**.

For more information about our Scholarships and Bursaries, please contact the College on (08) 9720 3300 or email enrolments@olmca.wa.edu.au.

Scholarship and Bursary Conditions

- All the Scholarship holders and Bursary recipients are expected to display ongoing commitment to their studies as well as show evidence of our Mercy values of Compassion, Respect, Hospitality, Service, Courage and Justice in every aspect of their life.
- The school reserves the right not to award any or all the Scholarships and Bursaries available.
- The cost of books, stationery, uniforms, or discretionary charges such as camps or overseas trips are not included in the Scholarship or Bursary.
- The Scholarship or Bursary will be considered with any sibling discounts or special arrangements.
- Scholarship and Bursary holders are expected to maintain a high level of commitment to the whole school program. This includes school attendance, being a positive influence in all classes, completion of work, excellent citizenship, wearing the uniform correctly, attendance at school functions, active contribution to the co-curricular house and voluntary school activities and doing his/her best at all times. Failure to observe these conditions may result in the withdrawal of the scholarship or bursary.
- The family agrees to fully abide by the rules and conditions at Our Lady of Mercy College as outlined in its Code of Conduct and policies.
- Acceptance of the Scholarship or Bursary is required within ten business days of the offer being made.



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Applicant Details

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Religious Denomination: _____

Parent / Caregiver Details

Parent / Caregiver 1 Full Name: _____

Relationship to Applicant: _____

Parent / Caregiver 2 Full Name: _____

Relationship to Applicant: _____

Correspondence

Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Character Reference

Name: _____ Occupation: _____

Relationship to the student: _____ Phone Number: _____

Which Scholarship or Bursary are you applying for?

Academic Scholarship Sport Scholarship Art Scholarship Technology Scholarship

P&F Bursary Catholic Bursary

Should my child be successful in their application, I consent to my child's name being published in related information and advertising.

Parent / Caregiver Name: _____ Signature: _____

Please include the following documentation:

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Student composed letter of introduction which details current interests and achievements as well as future ambitions. The letter should be a typed A4 page (1-sided).

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A copy of the latest school report.

For P&F Bursaries & Catholic Bursaries:

Parent composed letter of introduction which details current interests and achievements as well as future ambitions. The letter should be a typed A4 page (1-sided).

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