

## **Deamer Academic (Internal) Scholarship**

### **Background**

The Deamer Scholarship was initiated in 1978 from an endowment from the estate of W.M.G. Deamer in memory of his son, John Manton Deamer, an Old Boy of the school who was killed in World War II. This scholarship fund is now used to allow The Cathedral Grammar School pupils of high academic ability to win a discount on tuition fees (Merton Scholarships are awarded to external scholars).

### **Objectives**

To provide recognition of exceptional academic ability of full-fee paying pupils currently enrolled in the school.

(Courtney Allpress Music (Internal) Scholarships are awarded for music achievement.)

### **Policy**

1. A Deamer Academic Scholarship with a duration of one year shall be awarded to two pupils in each year, Year 7 and Year 8.
2. The value of each Deamer Academic Scholarship shall be \$1,000 (GST incl.) per annum.

### **Procedures**

1. In May / June each year, students in Years 6 and 7 will be invited to compete for a Deamer Academic Scholarship for the following academic year. Pupils already receiving tuition fee discounts are eligible to receive a Deamer Academic (Internal) Scholarship, but may not receive more than one tuition fee discount at any one time.
2. The award of scholarships shall be made after examinations in English and Mathematics, and the sitting of a further test of general scholastic abilities.
3. The examinations will be conducted separately from the school examinations and administered by a Deputy Head.
4. The scholarships shall only be awarded where the standard achieved by the applicants is, in the sole opinion of the Principal, equal to or greater than that of the standard achieved by successful applicants for external scholarships.
5. The Deamer Academic Scholarships, which shall be awarded at an appropriate prize giving, will be held for the duration of the following school year.
6. The holder of a Deamer Academic Scholarship will be known as a Deamer Scholar.
7. The \$1,000 value of the scholarship will be applied as a discount on fees at the rate of \$100 (GST incl.) per month.