



HOLLAND PARK
STATE SCHOOL
**PARENTS & CITIZENS
ASSOCIATION**

HPSS P&C Sporting and Cultural Assistance Program

Background:

Holland Park State School offers a curriculum that embraces a range of competitions and challenges in the academic, sporting and cultural fields. We actively encourage and support the participation of our students in these endeavours.

The Parents and Citizens Association recognises that there are costs associated with selection in representative teams, competitions etc, participating as individuals representing Holland Park State School.

Support:

Accordingly, and from 2025 onwards, the P&C proposes to offer support to participants through the Parents and Citizens Association Scholarship & Awards program.

This is an endorsement of the value we place on the provision of a challenging and rewarding education provided at Holland Park State School. The scholarship program will be awarded an initial annual budget of \$2,000 for the 2025 year, the amounts awarded to each applicant each year may vary depending on the number of applicants each year.

The Scholarship provides support for students who attend national competitions outside of the SEQ boundaries. The applicant must have gained selection to represent the school through an official Queensland State Schools selection process.

The application must be submitted on official application form and forwarded to the Holland Park State School P&C Association within two weeks of completion of event. This will then be presented at the next meeting, and notification of the success of the application will follow.

- All financial commitments to the school must have been fulfilled.
- Only one scholarship per student for assistance will be granted each calendar year.
- The applicant must be able to demonstrate support from the school through endorsement by school administration.
- The applicant must have gained selection to represent the school through an official selection process.
- A report will be submitted to the P&C, outlining event results/outcomes etc, which may be published in the school Newsletter.

Where there is a high number of applications for scholarships such that the total to be disbursed would exceed the amount budgeted by the P&C, distribution of funds will be made proportionally, based on the level of representation as follows:

Should the application for support be successful, the following financial amounts apply:

Level	Proportional Units	Amounts
National outside SE Qld	1	\$500
International	Discretion of P&C	Discretion of P&C

How do I apply for funding?

Complete the attached form and send to the P&C.

There is a limit of 1 application per student per year.

When will I be advised of the funding outcome and received the money?

Decisions about the scholarship amounts will be finalised in November for the preceding year. Please note payments will be made in December for the preceding November to November period. In most instances parents will be required to pay for travel expenses up-front and be reimbursed by the P&C post the event concluding. Note the level of support provided could change based on the number of applications received.

Exceptions will be at the discretion of the P&C. Contact the President if you have any questions.

What Happens if the P&C Budget is exceeded?

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Calculation of the proportional value of 1 unit will be through dividing the total amount available by the number of units claimed in the November-to-November period.

The total available budget will be determined by the P&C each year.

For example, assume that the P&C receive the following applications.

Level	Number of Applications received	Unit Multiplier	Proportional Units	Calculation
National outside SE Qld	5	1	5	5 X \$500 = \$2,500
Total	5		5	\$2,500

TOTAL Proportional Units =5

TOTAL Funding Request = \$2,500

TOTAL Available Funding = \$2,000

Available Funding is less that Funding Requested so we need to calculate a new Unit Price.

Divide Proportional Units = **5** by Available Funding = **\$2000**

New Unit Price is **\$400**

The P&C will then apply the new Unit Price and disperse funds accordingly to each Applicant.



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Attachment 1 Application Form

Student Name:	Class:	Teacher:
Address:	Contact Ph No:	
Parent Name:	Contact Phone Number Mobile: Email address: (to enable us to obtain bank details for scholarship payment)	
Address:		
Date/s of event:		
Location of event:		
National outside SE Qld (up to \$500)		
Description of participation (Newsletter Article to be attached or forwarded after event)		
<p>I, the applicant, will provide a written report for inclusion in the school newsletter following the event, acknowledging P&C support (noting that payments will be made in December).</p> <p>Signed: _____ Date: _____</p> <p>Account Details.....BSB.....</p>		
Name and position of teacher supporting this application:	Signature of teacher supporting this application:	
Name and position of Executive Principal or Associate supporting this application:	Signature of Executive Principal or Associate supporting this application:	



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