



Music / Academic Scholarship Fact Sheet

Scholarships	Years 5, 7, 8, 9, 10 & 11, 2025
Applications Close	Tuesday 6 February 2024
Scholarship Application Fee	AUD \$120.00 - payable at the time of application to Edutest
Scholarship Interactive Session	Wednesday 14 February 2024, 4.30pm – 6.00pm (all candidates)
Examination Date	Saturday, 17 February 2024, 8.30am – 12 midday
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Camberwell Girls Grammar School (CGGS) is delighted to offer a range of scholarships to aspiring, talented young women. A CGGS education is one that inspires young people to be motivated learners and respond to challenges with curiosity and courage. So much in the world is changing and we want young people to thrive, so being intentional about our design of education matters. GGS students experience, understand, value and develop the skills needed for their future. When our students graduate, they leave as global citizens who are lifelong passionate learners, compassionate leaders and catalysts for building a more just and sustainable world.

Music / Academic Scholarships are offered for entry at Years 5, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11. Scholarships are tenable until the end of Year 12. Music/Academic Scholarships are awarded based on a candidate's Music Audition, Music / Academic Application, scholarship examination results, participation in the Scholarship Interactive Session, latest school report, NAPLAN report and a scholarship interview. A candidate applying for a Music / Academic Scholarship will also be considered for an Academic Scholarship.

Eligibility Criteria

- ◆ Candidates must be Australian or New Zealand Citizens, or Permanent Residents in Australia. If shortlisted, we will request prior to the interview: Australian or New Zealand citizen - birth certificate and passport or citizenship document; Permanent resident - birth certificate, passport and Australian residency visa.
- ◆ Camberwell Girls Grammar School students may apply for the Music / Academic Scholarship
- ◆ Students are to be age and year level-appropriate
- ◆ Candidates should be proficient in their instrument(s) at the required AMEB or equivalent level for their year - see music prerequisites below
- ◆ Photo ID is required on the day of the scholarship examination

Step 1 / Online Scholarship Application

Apply for the scholarship exam online via the link <https://cggs.vic.edu.au/enrolment/scholarships> Click on the 'Apply Edutest' button. Applications close Tuesday 6 February 2024.

Step 2 / RSVP on Humanitix

RSVP for Scholarship Interactive Session - for all candidates -<https://events.humanitix.com/scholarship-interactive-session-14-february-2024>

Step 3 / Submit Documentation

Following your application for the scholarship exam, Edutest will send a confirmation email with a link to upload the following documents:

- ◆ Latest school report
- ◆ NAPLAN report
- ◆ Copy of latest music exam certificate for auditioning instrument(s) eg. AMEB, ABRSM, Trinity College, London

- ◆ Completed Music Scholarship Application Form (download from the Edutest website)
- ◆ Statutory Declaration (if required regarding music standard – see Music Prerequisites below)

We request that you only submit the requested documents above. Additional documentation such as certificates, awards etc. will not be taken into consideration when assessing scholarship applications.

Step 4 / Attend Scholarship Events at CGGS

- ◆ Attend the Scholarship Interactive Session – Wednesday, 14 February 2024
- ◆ Sit the Scholarship Exam – Saturday, 17 February 2024
- ◆ Attend the Music Audition – date and time to be notified by the CGGS Music Department once documentation is received.
 - ◇ Friday 16 February or Monday 19 February 2023 held at CGGS Senior School Music Department
 - ◇ Music candidates are to provide their own accompanist.

Music Prerequisites

Music / Academic Scholarship candidates should have achieved or be currently studying the required AMEB standard for the year level they are applying for. Evidence of required standard is the AMEB examination results including examiner's comments (or equivalent). If the candidate does not have the required certificate, then a [statutory declaration](#) by the music teacher attesting that the student is at the required standard below is to be submitted.

Year 5	Years 7 & 8	Years 9, 10 & 11
Keyboard Grade 5	Keyboard Grade 7*	Keyboard Grade 8#
Strings Grade 4	Strings Grade 7	Strings Grade 8
Other Instruments Grade 3	Woodwind Grade 6	Woodwind Grade 7
	Brass Grade 4	Brass Grade 5
	Other Instruments Grade 4	Other Instruments (including Voice [^]) Grade 5

* Preferably together with orchestral instrument, minimum Grade 3.

Preferably together with orchestral instrument, minimum Grade 4.

[^]Voice auditions accepted for students entering Years 9, 10 & 11 only

Candidates of Brass, Double Reed and Double Bass instruments are invited to apply regardless of grade level.

Music Audition Requirements

Audition performed with one instrument:

- ◆ Two pieces, contrasting in style and tempo, no longer than 8 minutes in total.
- ◆ A selection of technical examples in scales, arpeggios or technical exercise which demonstrate facility, control, coordination and tonal qualities. These examples nominated by the candidate should be in at least 3 different key tonalities, including major and minor.

Audition performed with two instruments:

- ◆ Two pieces on main instrument, contrasting in style and tempo, plus one short piece or excerpt on the second instrument. Candidates may be requested to begin at a significant section or conclude early. Total performance time no longer than 10 minutes.
- ◆ A selection of technical examples in scales, arpeggios or technical exercise which demonstrate facility, control, coordination and tonal qualities. These examples nominated by the candidate should be in at least three different key tonalities including major and minor.

Candidates will also be required to perform the following at the Music Audition:

- ◆ A short sight-reading excerpt
- ◆ A selection of aural tests, appropriate to the level of study

Note: Aural testing will not necessarily be based on AMEB type examples.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- ◆ All matters pertaining to Scholarships remain confidential.
- ◆ CGGS does not disclose information regarding scholarship testing or interviews.

Testing Day Information

Once you have registered online, you will receive further information from Edutest via email in the week leading up to the scholarship exam including what to bring on the day. This is generally sent the Monday or Tuesday prior to testing day.

Results

Shortlisted candidates will be contacted by the school for an interview with the Principal / Head of School, generally 2 to 3 weeks after the testing. An Edutest scholarship report will be sent to unsuccessful candidates at the end of Term 1 or beginning of Term 2, 2024 once the scholarship process is complete.

Scholarship Terms & Conditions

Academic scholarships apply to tuition fees and do not cover composite fees, private music lessons, activities such as specialist camps and exchanges, school uniform, textbooks / resources or IT requirements.

- ◆ Scholarship holders are expected to complete their education at CGGS and maintain a high standard of academic achievement, participate in the life of the school and be a positive member of the school community. The performance of each student is reviewed annually. In the event of a student's withdrawal prior to completing their education, the full value of the Scholarship up to that time will be repayable to the school.
- ◆ No Scholarship holder may hold more than one Scholarship.
- ◆ A sibling discount does not apply to a Scholarship holder.

Value of Scholarships

Scholarships are awarded at the Principal's discretion. The number of scholarships offered, and the percentage of tuition fee remission will vary according to the calibre of the candidates.

Practice Tests

Online practice tests can be purchased from Edutest directly. Refer to the Edutest website <https://www.edutest.com.au/pa-online.htm> for further details. It is recommended that you select the student's current year level when purchasing practice tests.

Scholarship Exam Format

For further information about the scholarship exam visit the Edutest website under 'Scholarship and Entrance Testing' <https://www.edutest.com.au/pa-scholarshiptesting.htm>

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