

**Pittwater House** 

## **Scholarship Program**



# Unlock your child's future at Pittwater House with an Academic or General Excellence Scholarship.

## Does your child dream of academic excellence? Are they a sports superstar in the making? Is the stage their second home?

At Pittwater House, we're committed to nurturing and empowering the brightest minds and the most talented individuals. That's why, each year we offer a limited number of highly competitive scholarships to both current Pittwater House students and newcomers entering Years 7, 9, and 11, to ensure a strong start and finish to their senior school years.

#### Academic Scholarships

If your child is a dedicated scholar with a passion for learning, our Academic Scholarship may be perfect for them. Awarded to students who shine academically and are ready to embrace the opportunities presented by a world-class education, our scholarships cover a portion of tuition fees for the secondary years until completion of Year 12. Selection is based on a strong performance in the ACER Scholarship Test in addition to an interview arranged for shortlisted candidates only.

To apply, please complete the **ACER application** online.

#### General Excellence Scholarships

Our General Excellence Scholarships recognise not only academic achievement but also exceptional talent in sport and the performing arts (music, dance, and drama). Awarded based on performance in the ACER Scholarship Test, an audition, and an interview, these scholarships are designed for students who demonstrate outstanding capabilities across disciplines.

If your child excels academically and possesses natural athletic talent or artistic gifts, our General Excellence Scholarships offer unique opportunities along with the support for them to thrive both in the classroom and beyond.

To apply, please complete the **ACER application** online along with the Pittwater House **General Excellence Application Form**.







#### Students are eligible if they are:



Entering Years 7, 9 or 11 in 2026



Academically strong



Talented in sport or performing arts\*



Determined and dedicated in the pursuit of excellence



Australian residents

#### **What sets Pittwater House apart?**

At Pittwater House, we are committed to providing an exceptional educational experience that sets us apart from the rest, going beyond the ordinary and nurturing young minds with a holistic approach to learning. Here's why you should apply for a scholarship with us:



#### Deep Learning pedagogy

We believe in making learning interesting, and that's why we've adopted a Deep Learning pedagogy. Our dedicated educators are passionate about providing learning experiences that build on learner strengths, create new knowledge using problem-solving skills and help students identify their talents, purpose and passion.

#### Balancing sport and education

We understand that elite athletes find it difficult to balance their sporting commitments with their academic responsibilities. We have a dedicated staff member to assist these talented individuals in managing their schooling effectively, ensuring they can excel both in the classroom and in their chosen sport.

#### The Arts take centre stage

Our highly experienced performing arts teachers specialise in music, dance, and drama, creating an environment where artistic talents flourish. We also offer professional private music tutors on campus for vocal instruction and a wide variety of musical instruments, ensuring students can explore their creative side.







#### Nurturing high potential

Recognising gifted and talented students is our forte. All our teachers are trained to identify high-potential students and provide them with the challenges and engagement they need to reach their full potential. Your child won't just learn here; they will thrive.

#### Accelerated learning options

We believe in allowing students to advance at their own pace. For those who are ready to take on more advanced coursework, we offer opportunities for accelerated learning. Your child's potential knows no limits at Pittwater House.

#### Low student-to-teacher ratio

Our students benefit from classes that are capped at 24 students. This ensures every student is known by teachers and by one another. Our unique twin schooling structure, of single-gender classes on a co-ed campus, also affords teachers the opportunity to offer an individualised approach to teaching.

#### **Timeline for 2026 Scholarships**



2 February 2025

ACER applications close (at midnight AEDST)



22 February 2025

ACER Test at Pittwater House



4 April 2025

Individual test reports available to parents online



#### April 2025

Applicants shortlisted and interviews/auditions commence



April - July 2025

Successful applicants offered scholarships to commence in 2026



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### Want to find out more?

We understand you may be considering several schools and want to choose the best option for your child. If you have any questions about what Pittwater House can offer, or need assistance with your application, please contact our Registrar using the details provided below.

Alternatively, to learn more about our unique School, please visit our website.

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Best of both worlds
Single-gender classes
Co-ed campus