



## SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Mountain View Adventist College believes in the development of the whole individual in a Christ-centred, service focused and caring environment. Our scholarships are designed for students who demonstrate high levels of excellence in one or more aspects of life. We encourage students to not only develop their personal skills but to also be an active participant in building a positive community.

Each scholarship provides up to 100% on the tuition component of a student's school fees. Scholarship applications are available to new students who are enrolling into Years 5, 7, 9 or 11 at Mountain View Adventist College in 2021 and are eligible to study in Australia. Scholarships do not apply to Full Fee Paying Overseas Students (FFPOS).

Specific criteria apply to all scholarships and these are addressed in the scholarship documents.

The closing date for applications is the end of Term 3 of the year prior to the scholarship beginning and must be submitted with a College Application Form for Enrolment with all supporting documentation provided. Decisions about the success of an application are made by the College Executive Committee based on the merit of the application.

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## SCHOLARSHIP OFFERINGS

The College offers the following scholarships:

### 1. Academic Scholarships

Academic scholarships are awarded to students of high academic excellence based on external assessment and past academic achievement.

### 2. Leadership Scholarships

Leadership scholarships are awarded to students with proven leadership in their school and/or local community, and a desire to lead at Mountain View Adventist College.

### 3. Service (Micah 6:8) Scholarships

Service Scholarships are awarded to students who demonstrate a desire to serve others and uphold the school ethos to, “Act justly, love mercy and walk humbly with your God” (Micah 6:8).

### 4. All Rounder Scholarships

All Rounder Scholarships are awarded to students who demonstrate a commitment to all aspects of school life and achievement in a variety of areas such as music, drama or sport and a growth mindset.

### 5. First Nations Scholarships

Scholarships are offered to First Nations students from both the local community and regional areas. Students and their families are invited to partner with the College to support the aspirations of First Nations Students.





## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### 1. Under what criteria are the Mountain View Adventist College Scholarships awarded?

The scholarships may be awarded to a student who completes all elements of the application process and is able to demonstrate a history pertaining to their scholarship application type. Students will be assessed on information provided in all sections of the application form, including references and response to questions on applications. There are a limited number of scholarships that can be awarded each year.

Scholarships are awarded by the College Executive at its sole discretion.

### 2. Are there any conditions attached to the scholarships?

Yes. Scholarships are subject to the student upholding and maintain the criteria outlined for the type of scholarship awarded, behaviour, participation and attitude which meets the expectations of the Mountain View Adventist College Student Management Policy and Student Code of Conduct. These elements are taken into account in a yearly review.

Applicants must be eligible to study in Australia and not deemed as an Overseas Student as outlined by “The Determination of Classes of Persons who are not Overseas Students” issued by the Commonwealth of Australia government.

For First Nations Scholarships, applicants need to be of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Heritage (that is identify as, and recognised by, an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Community).

### How much do these Scholarships cover?

Mountain View Adventist College Scholarships provide up to 100% discount on the tuition component of a student’s fees for the entire school year. Scholarship recipients will undergo an annual review for the purposes of extending the scholarship for another year.





### **3. What do we need to pay if we are successful in obtaining a scholarship?**

Parents/Guardians are still responsible for payment of the remaining portion of school fees when students are on a scholarship program. Fees require payment according to the normal payment schedule. Late payment of school fees may result in Mountain View Adventist College revoking the scholarship.

### **4. How do we apply?**

- a. Read the Scholarship document carefully.
- b. Complete the application form.
- c. Attach all relevant documents.
- d. Send the completed form and attachments to arrive at Mountain View Adventist College by **Friday 25 September 2020**.

### **5. Can I apply for a Scholarship if I am already a student at the College?**

This scholarship program is particularly aimed at new students in Years 5, 7, 9 and 11. You are able to submit an application for a scholarship for consideration by the College Executive, however there are no guarantees of an application being successful on the sole basis of being an existing student of the College. The normal application process applies.

Should you be experiencing difficulties with regards to school fees, please contact the office and ask to speak with our Fee Administrator or Business Manager as other programs may also be available to you.

### **6. Is additional tuition available?**

Please note that these scholarships are purely financial and apply to the Tuition component of the School Fees. They do not entitle the student to any extra tutoring or differing academic program.





## 7. Success of your application.

Please note that there is no guarantee that your application will be successful. Each application is assessed on an individual basis and students are accepted at the sole discretion of the Mountain View Adventist College Executive. We do have a generous number of scholarships for 2021 and encourage you to apply promptly.

Scholarships are awarded for a twelve-month rolling duration pending the annual review. Where students are achieving the expected outcomes, upholding and maintain the criteria outlined for the type of scholarship awarded, behaviour, participation and attitude which meets the expectations of the Mountain View Adventist College Student Management Policy and Student Code of Conduct and School Fees remain up to date, the scholarship will continue to apply.

## 8. Is there a cut-off date for application?

Yes. These scholarships are for study in 2021. It is necessary to act promptly if you wish to be considered for a scholarship. **Applications close on Friday 25 September 2020.** Late or incomplete applications may not be considered so please ensure that all required information is supplied at the time of application.

## 9. When will we be notified of the result of our application?

Notice will be given by email as to whether your application has been successful or unsuccessful. Notifications will be made by Friday 16 October 2020.

We look forward to receiving your application to receive a scholarship to study at Mountain View Adventist College in 2021.

