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# **Enter to Learn, Go out to Serve**

## **The Warren Scholarship for Student Leadership Information Booklet**

## **Introduction**

In recognition of the twenty years of outstanding service and leadership of Mr Riley Warren AM, Headmaster (1989-2008), Macarthur Anglican School awards a scholarship each year.

The Warren Scholarship will be awarded to a student entering Year 11 in recognition of their demonstrated leadership skills and leadership potential. The Scholarship is open to both current and future students of Macarthur Anglican School. Students who are awarded this scholarship will be known within the School as a Warren Scholar.

## **Scholarship Benefits**

The successful student will receive:

- Recognition as a Warren Scholar during Year 11 and Year 12. There will only ever be two Warren Scholars in the School at any point in time.
- The award of a Crown Colour in recognition of the Scholarship.
- \$2,000 per annum fee relief (\$4,000 over the two years of the Scholarship).

At the Headmaster's discretion either:

- Full funding for the Warren Scholar to attend Macarthur's annual Thailand Outreach Trip.

or

- Equivalent monetary contribution for the Warren Scholar to attend the Global Young Leaders Conference (or equivalent).
- Opportunities to attend local student leadership conferences as they occur from time to time.

## **Expectations of a Warren Scholar**

A Warren Scholar will be expected to fulfil the following roles during Year 11 and Year 12:

- Attend either Macarthur's Thailand Outreach trip or the Global Young Leaders Conference (or equivalent). Students may attend both if that is their desire.
- Help prepare Year 6 students to attend the North Queensland Outreach Trip with the option of attending and offering further support.
- Assist with the Peer Support Programme.
- Be involved in at least one extra-curricular or co-curricular activity in a leadership role, for example, a leadership role in the School Musical (either on stage or backstage), assist in the training and expeditions at the Bronze level of the Duke of Edinburgh Awards Scheme, a leadership role in one of the Musical Ensembles or within the Sport programme.
- Be involved in the training programme for Middle School Prefects and Year 6 Leaders.

## **Application Process**

Application forms will be available online from the second week of Winter Term. Applications close on the last day of Winter Term.

Those students short-listed will be required to attend an interview with the Headmaster in Spring Term. The Warren Scholar will be announced at Speech and Awards Night.

## **Selection Criteria**

1. Applicants will need to address the following criteria in the space provided on the Application Form.
  - An understanding of the Christian ethos of Macarthur.
  - Demonstrated leadership to date and future leadership interests.
  - Demonstrated community service to date and future community service interests.
  - Demonstrated school service to date and future school service interests.
  - Demonstrated school co-curricular and/or extra-curricular involvement.
2. Applicants are to arrange for a suitable person to complete the online reference form on the School's website as well as provide contact details for at least one other referee.
3. Applicants are to provide documentation demonstrating exemplary academic diligence and conduct as well as an indication of academic achievement.

## **Interview**

Applicants who are shortlisted need, in their interview with the Headmaster, to address as a minimum their:

- Ability to work with others as a team.
- Willingness to act as an ambassador for Macarthur Anglican School.
- Willingness to embrace innovation.
- Ability to deal with difficult situations with creativity.
- Ability and willingness to share ideas through public speaking.
- How they expect this scholarship will benefit them.