



WOODRIDGE
STATE HIGH SCHOOL
Empowered, Resilient... World Changing!

2026 SCHOLARSHIPS OVERVIEW



07 3290 7222



woodridgeshs.eq.edu.au



@woodridgeshs

Scholarship Timelines - 2025

Applications Close	4pm - Friday 31 st October 2025
Application Outcomes Released via email	4pm- Friday 14 th November 2025
Review Request	4pm - Friday 28 th November 2025
Review Request Outcome Released via Email	4pm - Friday 12 th December 2025

Welcome to Woodridge State High School, a vibrant and inclusive educational community located in the heart of Logan. Since opening in 1972, our school has built a strong tradition of fostering partnerships, enabling choice, and empowering students to achieve their best.

Our school is proud to educate approximately 1100 students from over 50 cultural backgrounds, reflecting the rich diversity of our community. We celebrate this diversity and are committed to creating an environment where every student feels valued and supported.

At Woodridge State High School, we believe in providing a high-performing, safe, and respectful learning environment. Our expert teaching team and community partners work together to offer an engaging and contemporary curriculum.

Our vision is to provide a thriving, agile teaching and learning environment that leads our community to be Empowered, Resilient... World Changing! We are dedicated to helping students make informed choices about themselves and their next steps to success.

Woodridge State High School offers two (2) types of scholarships:

1. Woodridge Wolves Transition Scholarship (**Year 7 students only**)
2. Woodridge Wolves Next Steps Scholarship (**Year 8-12**)

These scholarships are awarded in the areas of:

- Leadership
- Academic
- The Arts
- Sport

All Scholarship Applications process:

No late applications will be accepted unless there are special circumstances, in which case you should contact the school office

Applicants must:

- Complete the applicable scholarship application (Download the Transition or Next Step Scholarship Application forms from the Woodridge State High School website)
- Submit the Scholarship application either
 - In person to the Administration Office at Woodridge State High School; or
 - Via email to scholarships@woodridgeshs.eq.edu.au.
- Understand and agree to abide by the Woodridge State High School Student Code of Conduct.

Please note that completion of the Excellence application does not guarantee:

- Enrolment to Woodridge State High School
- Entry into the Excellence Program
- The receipt a scholarship

Selection Process

Applications are assessed by the relevant Deputy Principal and Head of Department, based on the eligibility criteria.

Applicants will be notified via email if they have been successful in gaining entry into the Excellence Program.

All Scholarships Payments:

The purpose of the scholarship is to support the ongoing development and learning of the scholarship recipient. As such the payment of the scholarship funds will be deposited into the student's financial account in two phases –

- At the start of Term 1 – 50% will be paid.
- At the start of Term 3 - the remaining 50% will be paid.

This staggered payment is to ensure the scholarship recipient remains focused and is accountable for fulfilling their scholarship obligations. The payment will be subject to the recipient satisfactorily fulfilling their scholarship obligations as outlined in their congratulations letter.

The Transition Scholarship is designed to support Year 7 students who demonstrate potential in the fields such as:

- Leadership
- Academic achievement
- The Arts
- Sport (including Esports)

The scholarship aims to assist students in their transition to high school and foster development in their chosen area of excellence. Applications are open to any current Year 4, 5 or 6 students who intend on enrolling at Woodridge State High School for year 7.

Eligibility Criteria

- Applicant must be enrolled to attend Woodridge State High School for year 7, however if you receive a scholarship but do not proceed to be enrolled at Woodridge State High School, the scholarship offer will be revoked.
- Proven involvement/ability and experience in chosen field(s) of excellence.
- Sound behaviour and attendance record.
- Comprehensive application with supporting documentation.

Inclusions

This scholarship is valued at between \$250 - \$500 and for a period of one year only, while the student is in year seven (7).

The scholarship may be used for a range of items, such as:

- School resource scheme fees
- Excursions, competition fees, travel expenses
- Camps
- Uniforms
- Computer devices
- Or other resources to assist with learning, up to the value of the scholarship and as discussed and approved by the Scholarships Committee prior.

Scholarship Conditions

General scholarship conditions for all recipients:

- Student maintains an average of over 95% for approved and explained attendance, including arriving at school on time.
- The correct school uniform is worn or attended to by the student as per the school's uniform policy, over 95% of the time.
- Student performance will be monitored and reassessed throughout the year.
- Effort and Behaviour grades are maintained at an average of 3.5.
- Parent/Carer of scholarship recipients commit to their child's attendance at activities to support the broad range of opportunities offered by the school.
- Other conditions will be outlined in the notification letter, depending on the area the scholarship is focused.

Woodridge Wolves Next Steps Scholarships (Year 8-12)

The Next Steps Scholarships are for students who will be in Years 8–12 during the year the scholarship is awarded. They are awarded to those who demonstrate excellence in one of the following areas:

1. Leadership
2. Academic achievement
3. The Arts
4. Sport (including Esports)

This scholarship aims to foster students chosen next steps and ongoing development in their area of focus.

Eligibility Criteria

- Applicants must be enrolled or in the process of enrolling to attend Woodridge State High School, however if you receive a scholarship but cease to be enrolled at Woodridge State High School, the scholarship will also cease on the same date.
- Proven involvement/ability and experience in chosen field(s) of excellence.
- Sound behaviour and attendance record.
- Comprehensive application with supporting documentation.

Leadership Scholarships are awarded based on:

- A strong demonstration of attendance, effort and behaviour records, as evidenced by awards, reports cards and recommendations.
- A display of outstanding commitment to and involvement in Student Voice and/or leadership positions, at school and/or leadership positions within the community.

Academic Scholarships are awarded based on:

- A demonstrated strong academic record across a range of subjects, as evidenced by records such as awards, report cards and recommendations.
- A display of outstanding commitment to their academic studies as evidenced by referee reports, awards, competitions etc.

The Arts (Music, Drama, Dance, Art (Visual &/or Media) Scholarships are awarded based on:

- A strong demonstration of attendance, effort and behaviour records, as evidenced by awards, reports cards and recommendations.
- A display of outstanding commitment to, and involvement in, Woodridge/their school's Arts program and/or endeavours in The Arts outside of school.

Sport Scholarships are awarded based on:

- Evidence of excellence in sport, in and/or outside of school programs.
- A strong demonstration of attendance, effort and behaviour records, as evidenced by awards, reports cards and recommendations.

Inclusions

This scholarship is valued at between \$250- \$500 and for a period of one (1) year only and must be spent within the year for which it is awarded.

Students will need to reapply each year.

The scholarship may be used for a range of items. such as:

- School resources scheme fees.
- Excursions, competition fees, travel expenses.
- Camps
- Uniforms
- Computer devices
- Or other resources to assist with learning, up to the value of the scholarship and as discussed and approved by the Scholarships Committee prior.

Scholarship Conditions

General scholarship conditions for all recipients:

- Student maintains an average of over 95% for approved and explained attendance, including arriving at school on time.
- The correct school uniform is worn or attended by the student as per the school's uniform policy over 95% of the time.
- Effort and behaviour grades are maintained at an average of 3.5.
- Parent/Carer of scholarship recipients commit to their child's attendance at activities to support the board range of opportunities offered by the school.
- Other conditions will be outlined in the notification letter, depending on the area in which the scholarship is focused.

Further Information

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of your application, you can contact the school and request a review of the management of your application.

Your review request should be lodged with in 14 days of receiving your scholarship application outcome and should be made via email to scholarships@woodridgeshs.eq.edu.au including the subject line of *Scholarship Outcome Review Request*.