

Brass Scholarship Information 2014

The King David School

The King David School is a co-educational multi-campus school providing a student-focused education within a Progressive Jewish framework. An extended hours Daycare Centre, Kindergarten, and a Junior, Middle and Senior School are designed to meet the students' developmental needs.

The King David School rewards and values excellence and commitment.

The School pursues programs and initiatives that promote academic, physical and spiritual growth.

Information on Scholarship criteria and application details follow.

THE KING DAVID SCHOOL



Academic Brass Music Tuition Scholarships

For students entering: Years 9 through to 12 in 2014
Closing Date for Applications: **FRIDAY, 22 February 2013**

A number of Brass Music Scholarships are available to both prospective and current students of The King David School who are entering Years 9 through 12 in 2014.

The Brass Music Scholarship is awarded annually to a student who demonstrates outstanding musical ability in a Brass instrument in addition to Academic excellence. It is conferred at Year 9 or above and continues until completion of VCE and is dependent upon the student continuing with Music Units 1 to 4 at VCE and taking part in all required school musical events. Students must sit a scholarship examination.

All Applicants will be contacted to attend a short meeting with the Principal. One week prior they will need to provide a copy of their 2012 school reports, their most recent NAPLAN results and a short resume stating how long they have been at their current school, their involvement in co-curricular activities such as music, performing arts, sporting teams, student council and other extra-curricular activities such as youth groups, scouts, etc. This information must be provided to the school at least 1 week prior to the scheduled meeting.

Candidates will be auditioned by the Head of Music. As part of the audition, candidates are expected to perform two pieces of contrasting style on their major brass instrument. Candidates may also be examined on some technical work, general knowledge, aural tests and sight reading. In general, however, the adjudication panel looks for good control, tone production, intonation, rhythmic ability, technique, a sound understanding of style and developed musicality

Besides musical ability, other factors may contribute to the panel's decision to award scholarships. These could include the instrumental requirements of the School's larger ensembles and the candidate's academic ability and attitude.

Holders of Music Scholarships are expected to make progress in keeping with such an award and to substantially contribute to music within the School. Regular daily practice is essential, and scholarship holders should be role models for other student musicians. In addition, Scholarship students are required to study classroom and instrumental music as a school subject through to completion of VCE Units 1-4.

Scholarship students are expected to play a leading role in the School ensemble program and to perform at School events, assemblies and musical productions, as directed by the Head of Music. Scholarships are reviewed annually by the Principal and the Head of Music to ensure that the above conditions are fulfilled.

After the examination and audition successful candidates will be contacted to arrange a brief meeting with the Head of Music and Principal.

Student Details (to be completed by a parent/guardian using BLOCK LETTERS)

SURNAME	FIRST NAME		
ADDRESS	POSTCODE		
MALE <input type="checkbox"/>	FEMALE <input type="checkbox"/>	DATE OF BIRTH / /	AGE IN YEARS
CURRENT SCHOOL			
CURRENT YEAR LEVEL (in 2012)			

Parent/Guardian Details

Mother's/Female Guardian

SURNAME	FIRST NAME	
ADDRESS	POSTCODE	
HOME TEL.	MOBILE TEL.	WORK TEL.
EMAIL ADDRESS		

Father's/Male Guardian

SURNAME	FIRST NAME	
ADDRESS	POSTCODE	
HOME TEL.	MOBILE TEL.	WORK TEL.
EMAIL ADDRESS		

Musical background (to be completed by a parent/guardian)

MAIN BRASS INSTRUMENT STUDIED	NO. YEARS STUDIED	AMEB STANDARD OR EQUIVALENT
SECOND INSTRUMENT STUDIED		AMEB STANDARD OR EQUIVALENT
NAME OF MUSIC TEACHER	TEL:	

Give an outline of your child's performance experience over the past two years.

AUDITION PIECE NO.1
AUDITION PIECE NO.2

How will your child benefit from receiving a Music Scholarship?

Required Documentation

Please enclose with this application:

- Relevant exam certificates • Relevant Awards • Letter of recommendation (if applicable)
- Copies of two most recent school reports • NAPLAN results

I have read and understood the conditions of the Music Scholarship.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date / /

If you have any queries, please contact the Admissions Department on 9527 0102 or admissions@kds.vic.edu.au

RETURN ALL APPLICATIONS TO:

The Admissions Department, PO Box 286, Malvern VIC 3144 or fax to 9005 2718.

Terms & Conditions

The Scholarships listed are available to be granted in 2013 for the Commencement in the 2014 academic year. All candidates are required to meet the Principal and sit the academic scholarship exam to be held at the school. The School reserves the right not to award a scholarship if it is deemed that a satisfactory standard has not been achieved, or if other specified criteria are not met.

All scholarships are subject to annual review. The review is based on the following:

- ▶ Continued academic effort to the best of the student's ability, as assessed by the teaching staff.
- ▶ Appropriate conduct, including abiding by the rules and regulations of the School.
- ▶ Willing participation in, and commitment to, the ethos and co-curricular life of the School.

Where a scholarship recipient chooses to leave the School prior to the completion of the scholarship period, the full amount of fee remissions may be deemed payable, at the sole discretion of the School.

Parents who currently receive, or may wish to apply for financial assistance, must elect to receive either scholarship funds or financial assistance, as these cannot be taken (for any individual student) in conjunction. Scholarships are conditional upon payment of fees within the stated guidelines. They do not include non-tuition levies, uniforms, or extra-curricular activities.

A \$500 Confirmation Fee is payable on acceptance of the scholarship which is credited to your account on commencement of the scholarship.

General Information & Enquiries

For further information please contact the Admissions Department on 9527 0102 or email admissions@kds.vic.edu.au
This information is also available on our web site: www.kds.vic.edu.au

Direct correspondence to:
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