

MacGregor State High School

Academic Excellence Program

Application Form



Academic Excellence Program (Honours)

MacGregor State High School is a school renowned for its scholarship where learning is aspirational, challenging and rewarding.

School Vision for Learning: Learners at MacGregor are challenged to become critical, creative and reflective people of character, equipped to contribute to their communities.

Applicants for the Honours Program must demonstrate strength in their previous academic studies and a strong capacity for involvement in school activities.

The school will utilise the following information to determine eligibility to the Honours Program:

- Entrance Exam (held once per term in Terms 2, 3 and 4)
- Student Report Card (most recent)
- Answers to *Learning Reflection* questions on this application form

Please return this application form and we will be in touch with the date of your allocated entrance exam.

Please return via post to:

Brendan Barlow

Principal

c/o Enrolments Officer

MacGregor State High School

PO Box 6020, Upper Mt Gravatt Qld 4122

Or Email: enrolments@macgregorshs.eq.edu.au

YEAR 7 ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE PROGRAM APPLICATION FORM FOR 2023

SECTION 1 – PERSONAL DETAILS

STUDENT DETAILS

Student's Full Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Current Year Level: _____

Address: _____

_____ Post Code: _____

Current School: _____

PARENT/CAREGIVER DETAILS

Parent/Caregiver Name (Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss): _____

Address: _____

_____ Post Code: _____

Home Telephone: _____

Work Telephone: _____

Mobile: _____

Email: _____

PARENT/CAREGIVER DETAILS

Parent/Caregiver Name (Mr/Mrs/Ms/Miss): _____

Address: _____

_____ Post Code: _____

Home Telephone: _____

Work Telephone: _____

Mobile: _____

Email: _____

SECTION 2 – EDUCATION DETAILS OF STUDENT

Latest copy of School report card must be attached to this application

SECTION 3 – OTHER INTERESTS AND ACTIVITIES

Please list any official school positions your child has held and indicate the year

Please detail any extra-curricular activities in which you have participated (e.g. cultural, academic, citizenship, sport – attach copies of any supporting documentation i.e. certificates of appreciation/participation, awards)

SECTION 4 – LEARNING REFLECTION QUESTIONS

The following questions have no ‘correct’ answers, but may be helpful in the processing of your application. These questions are about how you see your future.

Describe how you have used your personal strengths to overcome a challenge in the past 12 months. (Attach a separate sheet if more space is required)

What are your future goals and ambitions? (Attach a separate sheet if more space is required)

Why do you want to study at MacGregor State High School?

Why do you want to be in the Honours Program?

SECTION 5 – ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Scholarships are offered by MacGregor State High School to students commencing in Year 7, 2023 – students may apply for an Academic, Cultural, Music or Sporting Scholarship.

To be considered for a MacGregor State High School Academic Scholarship, students must demonstrate strength in their previous academic studies and a strong capacity for involvement in school activities.

To demonstrate student ability, students will be assessed via an examination set by the Australian Council of Education Research which will be held at MacGregor State High School on **Monday May 23rd 2022**. Successful recipients of Academic Scholarships will be announced before Friday June 3rd 2022.

Academic Scholarships will be awarded based on the following:

- Resumé of activities and achievements over the past two years
- Copies of school reports for the past year and NAPLAN results (must be attached to the application)
- Results of Scholarship Testing
- Answers to *Learning Reflection* questions on this application form

Scholarship Entitlement:

Full Student Resource Scheme Fees	Current Value - \$405
Formal School Uniforms Allowance up to the value of	\$400

This application form with the required documentation should be completed and submitted no later than **3pm on Friday 13th May 2022** in order to be considered for an Academic Scholarship.

Please indicate below whether you wish to be considered for and Academic Scholarship for 2023:

Yes	
No	

SECTION 6 – DECLARATION

I/We hereby declare that to the best of my/our knowledge all documentation and information submitted or made available by me/us to the School is true, accurate and complete.

I/We understand and accept that MacGregor State High School reserves the right at any stage to withdraw a place, which has been offered on the basis of incomplete or incorrect information.

I/We understand and accept the conditions of the scholarship as set out in the Excellence Program Expectations form included in this information pack.

Name or Signature of

Student: _____

Date: _____

Name or Signature of

Parent/Caregiver: _____

Date: _____

PLEASE READ AND COMPLETE:

Excellence Program Expectations

The Student should –

1. Demonstrate continued effort and sustained commitment to improving performance.
2. Agree, within parameters determined by the Principal, to participate in School activities before outside engagements.
3. Show leadership qualities appropriate to all scholarship holders. This includes being a positive role model for younger students, displaying leadership by encouraging and supporting other students and fostering Clan and School Spirit. This also requires the student and parent/carer to demonstrate support for the values of the School both at school and outside school.
4. Show an awareness of, and appreciation for, school life and willingness to accept the broad range of opportunities offered at MacGregor State High School.
5. Be committed to the School's motto – 'The Best We Can Be'.

Excellence Program Application Checklist

	Have you completed the relevant sections of the Excellence Program Application Form?
	Have you attached a copy of the most recent Academic Reports?
	Have you attached a copy of the most recent NAPLAN report? (Scholarship application only)
	Have you attached any additional supporting documentation (i.e. copies of certificates of appreciation/participation/awards)?

This application form with the required documentation should be completed and submitted to the school at your earliest convenience. Please note that applications are processed on an ongoing basis and places in the Academic Excellence Program are limited.

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