

**MUSIC/ PERFORMING ARTS SCHOLARSHIP
FOR YEAR 5 TO YEAR 11 ENTRY 2021
INFORMATION AND APPLICATION FORM**

Year 5 to 11 Entry 2021 Music/Performing Arts Scholarship Opportunities

This 2021 Music/Performing Arts Scholarship Program is offered to provide exceptional educational opportunities to students aspiring to contribute to our co-curricular programs and complete their secondary schooling at Moama Anglican Grammar. It is open to both current and new students of Moama Anglican Grammar.

What the Music/Performing Arts Scholarship Covers

The Music/Performing Arts Scholarship may cover up to 75% of all compulsory fees and charges for 2021, 2022 and 2023. Parents are required to provide a laptop /tablet (Years 9 – 12) or similar device, pay for textbooks (including levy if applicable), school uniform, travel expenses and other optional items not covered.

Eligibility

To be eligible for this scholarship, student applicants should demonstrate:

- Musical achievements or Dramatic achievements
- Literacy and numeracy levels equivalent to their year level expectations
- Sufficient self-confidence and personal support to enter a new school
- The intention of continuing to Year 12

Our School

Moama Anglican Grammar is an independent, co-educational school in the Anglican tradition with classes from Kindergarten to Year 12. The School commenced operation in 2005 and operates under the NSW Education System. The School includes Primary (K-6) and Secondary (7-12) with a current enrolment of 650 students.

The School provides a comprehensive and balanced program which caters for the academic, cultural, emotional, sporting and spiritual needs of each child in its care.

Our mission is to provide a safe and inspiring educational environment that equips students with the skills and confidence to help create their future.

Our Core Values

To promote Christian beliefs and values, we strive to be a community of:

- Compassion - Loving our neighbours as ourselves; being people who show kindness, who care and are willing to help others.
- Respect - Valuing others and their unique contribution to our life.
- Integrity - Living consistently with who we are called to be; doing the right thing even if no one is watching, being true to our beliefs and values.

Our Curriculum

The Higher School Certificate (HSC) offered in NSW is the premium Year 12 qualification in Australia which is evident as many International Schools choose to do the HSC over all other State qualifications. It is seen to open doors for students by giving them the skills and options to succeed in their chosen profession after School.

The HSC opens doors by offering a number of Pathways students can undertake which caters for all student's needs. As such, Moama Anglican Grammar offers the NSW Higher School Certificate (HSC) with a number of pathway options to cater for all student's needs including students who excel academically.

HSC ATAR results are accepted by all Australian tertiary institutions on an equivalent basis to the VCE in Victoria.

Please refer to our [website](#) for further details of the curriculum at Moama Anglican Grammar.

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Additional information about the HSC can be found on the NESA website at: <https://educationstandards.nsw.edu.au/wps/portal/nesa/11-12/hsc/about-HSC> or by speaking to Mr Stuart Hughes, Head of Teaching and Learning.

Year 5 to 11 Entry 2021 Music/Performing Arts Scholarship Selection Criteria

Academic levels and achievements of students are considered but are not the predominant criteria for selection. Selection is based on music / performing arts aptitude and achievements, and demonstrated commitment to Moama Anglican Grammar's Core Values of Compassion, Respect and Integrity. Additionally, applicants are to address the following areas:

- **Attitude:**

- A love of learning;
- An ability to adjust positively to the school environment
- The social skills and confidence to relate well to others

- **Music achievements**

Evidence of achieving a good pass in AMEB, ANZCA or Suzuki examinations, or other evidence of an equivalent standard. Please provide relevant documentation. (Note auditions may be required.)

or

- **Dramatic achievements**

Evidence of involvement in productions or stage performances, or any other relevant achievements.

- **Academic effort and progress:**

The student should demonstrate qualities which will assist them to manage the demands of the curriculum including:

- Literacy and numeracy levels equivalent to their year level expectations
- Sound work habits (organisation, completion of homework)
- Diligence, determination and a willingness to attempt new work

- **Parent / Guardian Support including:**

- A commitment to the importance of education
- Willingness to support their son / daughter's full participation in the co-curricular programmes of the school
- Support of the school's values, culture and expectations

Satisfactory Progress

It is expected that the scholarship recipient will, throughout their time at the school, demonstrate a commitment to strive to meet academic goals. This would include satisfactory progress and participation in all school programs. The scholarship may be subject to an annual review based on the above expectations. Should there be significant concerns, the Principal will conduct a review and, in extreme cases, may terminate the scholarship.

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Selection Process

1. Written Application

Complete a written Scholarship Application Form and Summary of Activities and Interests and submit by the closing date – Friday 28 August 2020.

2. Short Listing

A panel will consider all applications and will prepare a short list of candidates.

3. Interview

Short listed candidates and their parents will be invited to an interview with the selection panel. A second interview and / or audition may be required.

4. Final Selection

All candidates will be contacted in writing regarding the final decision of the panel.

How to Apply

Please complete the Summary of Activities and Interests form, and provide documents outlined below, supporting your application. Please note, it is not expected that applicants will be involved in all of the following, although this may be the case. Where applicable, please attach photocopies of supporting evidence. Please do not send originals. Your application should cover:

1. Core Values

Describe your commitment to the School's Core Values of Compassion, Respect and Integrity.

2. Musical / Performing Arts achievements

Evidence of achieving a good pass in AMEB, ANZCA or Suzuki examinations, or other evidence of an equivalent standard. Please provide relevant documentation. (Note auditions may be required.)

or

Performing Arts auditions will be held for students demonstrating dramatic skills. Include information on any involvement in the following: music, drama, visual arts or any other related achievements.

3. Leadership & Community achievements (if applicable)

List any involvement in community activities or leadership both inside and outside of school.

4. Any other information (if applicable)

Outline any other achievements that you think we should know about to support your application (eg hobbies or interests).

5. Academic achievements

Include a copy of your Semester 2 2019 and Semester 1 2020 school reports.

6. Reference: a written reference from a current music tutor or performance director supporting your application.

Please forward applications to: The Registrar
Moama Anglican Grammar
PO Box 786
Moama NSW 2731

Applications may also be hand-delivered to the School OR emailed to:
registrar@moamagrammar.nsw.edu.au

**The closing date for Music/Performing Arts Scholarship
applications for 2021 Year 5 to Year 11 entry is FRIDAY 28
AUGUST 2020.**

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APPLICATION FORM**

Family Name:	
Given Names:	
Date of Birth:	
Gender (M / F):	
Current Year Level:	
Current School:	
Applicant's Signature:	
Name of Parent / Guardian:	Mr / Mrs / Ms / Dr
Address:	
Telephone Numbers:	(H) (M)
Email address:	
Parent / Guardian Signature:	
Date:	

Checklist - Please make sure you have:

	Completed the information on this page
	Supplied the required supporting documentation (<i>see Page 3</i>)
	Completed the Summary of Activities and Interests (<i>Pages 5 and 6</i>)
	Included a recent passport-style photograph

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SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES AND ACHIEVEMENTS**



**MOAMA
ANGLICAN
GRAMMAR**

COMPASSION | RESPECT | INTEGRITY

Please provide a written summary of your activities in any of the following areas. Please note it is not expected that applicants will be involved in all of the following, although this may be the case. If more space is needed please attach documents to the application form.

1. Demonstrated commitment to the School Core Values

2. Musical / Performing Arts achievements

Describe AMEB, ANZCA or Suzuki (or equivalent) results. Please also provide relevant documentation.

or

Describe Performing Arts or any other related achievements.

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3. Leadership & Community achievements (if applicable)

List any involvement in community activities or leadership both inside and outside of school.

4. Any other information (if applicable)

Outline any other interests or activities you think we should know about, for example, a hobby or pastime.

5. Please explain why you would like to be a student at Moama Anglican Grammar?