Aspire Scholarship for Entry into Year 10, 2027

We invite students entering Year 10 in 2027 to apply for the Aspire Scholarship. This Scholarship is open to all new Emmanuel College students.

The **Aspire Scholarship** recognises students who demonstrate outstanding achievement across three pillars that form the foundation of the school's mission:

1. **Academic Excellence** – a commitment to learning and achievement.
2. **Character and Faith**– integrity, responsibility, service, and respect for others.
3. **Leadership** – the ability to positively influence and serve the school and wider community.

The scholarship seeks students who are not only high achievers, but who also contribute meaningfully to the culture and values of the school.

The Aspire Scholarship offers a reduction of 25%, 50% or 75% of the all-inclusive fee structure, for the duration of the student's secondary education. All other fees and charges are payable in full.

The online application will open on **Friday 26 June 2026.** Applications will close at **4pm Wednesday 26 August 2026**. Late applications will not be accepted.

Once applications close, shortlisted students will be invited to the College for an interview. The College will be in contact to arrange the interview time. Please note, due to the number of applications we receive; we are not be able to interview all applicants.

Prior to commencing the online Aspire Scholarship application, please read this information sheet.

The following documents are required in support of the Aspire Scholarship application. Please have these ready to upload via the online application form:

- Most recent school report
- Year 9 NAPLAN results – minimum band strong
- Relevant Awards or achievements of the last 12 – 18 months

In addition to the above documentation, a Personal Statement (500–750 words) addressing:

- Academic goals
- Character, faith and values
- Leadership experiences
- How they will contribute to the school community

The personal statement should not be written with the assistance of AI. Personally written statements will receive greater credence.

The Aspire Scholarship **- Year 10 2027 entry Information Sheet**

Terms and Conditions

1. Aspire Scholarship applications are open to students entering Year 10 in 2027.
2. Aspire Scholarship applications are open to new Emmanuel College students only.
3. Applications are to be submitted online via the official Aspire Scholarship form. Hard copy applications are not accepted.
4. The closing date for applications is **4pm Wednesday 26 August 2026**. Late applications will not be accepted.
5. A complete application is required. Incomplete applications will not be processed.
6. NAPLAN Year 9 results – minimum band strong.
7. We require a personal statement outlining the below:

    - Academic goals
    - Character, Faith and Aspire values
    - Leadership experiences
    - How they will contribute to the school community

8. Applicants who are shortlisted will be required to attend an interview with the College. Interviews will be held in early September.
9. Applicants are required to complete an online **Application for Enrolment** for consideration.
10. All applicants will be notified of the outcome via email in September 2026.

Scholarship Conditions

- The Aspire Scholarship offers a reduction of 25%, 50% or 75% of the tuition fees, for the duration of the students' secondary education. (subject to annual review) All other fees and charges are payable in full. The scholarship rebate is on our inclusive fee structure.
- A limited number of scholarships are available.
- The College reserves the right not to offer a Scholarship, or to withdraw an existing scholarship, if the standard of those presenting does not comply with the expectations of the College.
- Recipients of Scholarships are expected to attain a high academic and behavioural standard, and the student should be actively involved in various co-curricular activities of the College.
- Annual reviews of the Scholarship will be conducted in November to verify satisfactory progress and participation. In exceptional circumstances, the Scholarship may be terminated by the Principal.
- It is our expectation that recipients of the Aspire Scholarship will complete their Secondary Education at Emmanuel College. The College reserves the right to ask for reimbursement to the value of the Scholarship if the student leaves the College prior to completion of Year 12.
- Scholarship rebate commences in Term 1 of 2027.

For further information on the Aspire Scholarship, please contact Mrs Sharon Vincent, Enrolments Registrar 07 5561 4021 enrolments@emmanuel.qld.edu.au