



**COLUMBA CATHOLIC COLLEGE**  
CHARTERS TOWERS

*Shine at Columba*

**2027**  
**St. Columcille Bursaries**

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**ACADEMIC | CULTURE | SPORT | PAST STUDENTS**

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**General**

Applicants can apply for more than one bursary

**Process**

Submit all requirements to the Enrolments Registrar by the published due date.

The following documents are required for all bursaries:

- a. Last two academic reports detailing academic grade, effort and absences.
- b. Documents, references, certificates related to bursary applied for.
- c. Application form.

Email documents to [office@columba.catholic.edu.au](mailto:office@columba.catholic.edu.au) or post to the Enrolments Registrar PO Box 274 Charters Towers QLD 4820

Applicants will be contacted to inform them of acceptance or otherwise.

Minimum requirements to meet the criteria are essential for applicants to proceed.

**Discernment**

The Principal works closely with the College Board and Catholic Schools Parents Association Executives to discern the students' application.

**DATES**

- Applications open in Week 2, Term 2, 2026 – Monday 27 April 2026
- Applications close Week 8, Term 2, 2026 – Friday 12 June 2026
- Applicants notified by Week 10, Term 2, 2026 – Friday 26 June 2026

**APPLICATION FORM**  
**St. Columcille Bursary 2027**

**Bursary applied for:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Year Enrolled in/to be enrolled in (2027):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parents Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Details:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Enrolment status: Boarding/Day, (Weekly / Full Time):**

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**Past Student Connection: Y / N Details:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Documents included:**

Last two academic reports

Certificates, References relating to bursary applied for

**Statement of Declaration:**

I attest that all information contained in the application is true and accurate.

**Student Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_



## 2027 Columba Catholic College St Columcille Bursaries Bursaries awarded annually

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### **SPORTING EXCELLENCE**

Bursary amount will depend upon the number of applicants,  
for Day and Boarding students.

- Excellence in chosen sport, one that is played at the College. Evidence of representation in teams and coach, mentor references if available.
  - Overall Sound academic performance and future potential evidence based on school reports..
  - Attendance at over 90% in last academic year.
  - Diligence and application in academic studies. Above Average or High grades for effort in a recent academic report.
  - Commendable involvement in other areas of College life, such as performing arts, debating, Cattle Club and other relevant areas. Certificates and references from teachers and mentors required.
  - A demonstrated sense of community. Examples of community service engagement activities.
  - Leadership capacity. Evidence of taking on leadership roles and activities in the last academic year.
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### **CULTURAL EXCELLENCE**

Bursary amount will depend upon the number of applicants,  
for Day and Boarding students.

- Excellence in chosen cultural endeavour, one that is offered at the College. Evidence of representation in the area of excellence required and mentor references if available.
- Overall academic performance and future potential evidence based on school reports. B grades or higher on the last 2 academic reports
- Attendance at over 90% in last academic year
- Diligence and application in academic studies. All A grades for effort in the last academic report
- Achievement and involvement in other areas such as sport, leadership etc. Certificates and references from teachers and mentors required.
- A demonstrated sense of community. Examples of community service engagement activities.
- Leadership capacity. Evidence of taking on leadership roles and activities in the last academic year.



## **ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE**

Awarded annually to the value of \$3250 each for Day and Boarding students

### **Year 6 student entering Year 7:**

- Enthusiastic about attending secondary day or boarding school. Written paragraph or other medium, explaining why they are enthusiastic about the year ahead at Columba.
- Attendance over 90% in last academic year.
- Overall academic performance and future potential evidence based on school reports – Results to indicate that a student is achieving a majority of A grades standard.
- Diligence and application in academic studies – A majority of A grades for effort in recent academic reports.
- Commendable involvement in other areas of College life such as performing arts, sport, music, debating and other relevant areas. Certificates and references from coaches and mentors required.
- A demonstrated sense of community. Examples of community service engagement activities.
- Leadership capacity. Evidence of taking on leadership roles and activities in the last academic year.

### **Year 10 student entering Year 11:**

- Enthusiastic about entering Senior Phase of study. Written paragraph, or other medium explaining why they are enthusiastic about the year ahead at Columba.
- Attendance over 90% in last academic year.
- Overall academic performance and future potential evidence based on school reports – results to indicate that a student is achieving a majority of A grades standard.
- Diligence and application in academic studies – A majority of A grades for effort in recent academic reports.
- Commendable involvement in other areas of College life such as performing arts, sport, music, debating and other relevant areas. Certificates and references from coaches and mentors required.
- A demonstrated sense of community. Examples of community service engagement activities.
- Leadership capacity. Evidence of taking on leadership roles and activities in the last academic year.



**CSPA (Catholic School Parents Association)  
PAST STUDENTS BURSARY**

\$2000 for 1<sup>st</sup> Year, \$1500 for 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Year for 1 student.

St Mary's Campus or Mt Carmel Campus

Applicants must be the son, daughter, grandson or granddaughter of a Past Student.

The St Columcille CSPA Past Students Bursary will be offered to exceptional students who as a proud past students family member:

- Are proud supporters of Columba Catholic College. Evidence of written paragraph, or other medium, stating how they are proud members of Columba Catholic College and our rich history.
  - Participate fully in all College events and activities.
  - Willing to promote the College in marketing and enrolment events.
  - Attendance over 90% in last academic year.
  - Diligence and application in academic studies. Above Average or High grades for effort in a recent academic report.
  - Commendable involvement in other areas of College life, such as performing arts, debating, Cattle Club and other relevant areas. Certificates and references from teachers and mentors required.
  - A demonstrated sense of community. Examples of community service engagement activities.
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