Scholarships are awarded on the basis of academic merit and a personal interview with the scholarship panel. The panel is usually made up of three people, including the Headmaster (or his representative), the Indigenous student Support Teacher, and a representative of the Indigenous community.

Interviews will be arranged with short-listed applicants.

SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS

The scholarship selection process will be based on a written submission and a copy of previous school reports being submitted for consideration. Both the written submission and reports will be considered when the interview short-list is decided.

The applicant must include the following items in the application submission:

1. a copy of the student’s previous three school reports
2. a copy of Year 5 and/or Year 7 NAPLAN
3. a written reference, including name of referee and contact telephone number
4. a written reference from a member of your Aboriginal community
5. a completed application form
6. Confirmation letter from Abstudy confirming eligibility

If you wish to receive additional details about the Indigenous scholarship program please contact:

Ben Lewis (Indigenous Student Support Teacher) 9368 8091 or 0404 168 748
Kelli Henning or Ceili Mitton (Enrolments Managers) 9368 8032

Questions regarding the Moorditj Mob Indigenous support program can be directed to Ben Lewis.

Applications should be sent to: Enrolments Office
Wesley College
P O Box 149
SOUTH PERTH WA 6951

Closing date for applications: Friday 29 April 2016
INDIGENOUS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

In partnership with AIEF (Australian Indigenous Foundation) Wesley College offers Indigenous scholarships for Indigenous and Torres Strait Islander boys from rural, regional and metropolitan areas in Western Australia who will enter Years 7, 8, 9 or 10 in 2017.

Applicants will be chosen according to current academic progress, proven ability to study, family support, and willingness to contribute to the Wesley College community, leadership qualities and commitment to achieve excellence in his chosen field.

Academics, Achievement and Commitment
Students should be able to demonstrate:
- that they have good homework habits
- that their literacy and numeracy levels will enable them to cope with the study load at Wesley College
- Students should be able to demonstrate outstanding achievement in at least one area, including sport, drama, music, leadership and/or academic studies.
- Students should be able to demonstrate commitment to stay at Wesley College until the end of Year 12.

Attitude
Students should demonstrate:
- a positive attitude to learning
- that they are able to adjust to a new learning environment and high academic standards
- that they are able to relate well with people from many different backgrounds

Parental Financial Contribution
A financial contribution from parents is a key requirement of the AIEF Scholarship Program, as it demonstrates your ongoing commitment and support of Michael’s attendance at Wesley. The amount of Parental Financial Contribution will be set according to the provision of ATO Notices of Assessment (from the previous financial year) and the AIEF Scale of Parental Financial Contribution. You will be required to send the College a copy of your ATO Notices of Assessments by 1 December each year, in order that we can calculate your financial contribution for the following school year. This is detailed below:

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<th>Combined household taxable income of Parents/guardians (taken from your 2015/2016 tax return)</th>
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PLEASE NOTE: AIEF does not cover Wesley College fees or incidental costs unless the full academic year is completed at Wesley College. If a student is withdrawn from the College for any reason before the completion of a school year, parents will be liable for all costs incurred up until the date of withdrawal.
In addition to this financial contribution, you will be required to meet all other fees, charges and additional expenses as incurred each year. This will include ongoing uniform costs, stationery supplies, camps and activities, as well as casual living expenses.

Each month, you will receive a statement of account via email, detailing fees and charges owing at that point in time. You will be required to establish and maintain a monthly direct debit to Wesley College as a means of payment for your account.

Abstudy
Can you please contact Abstudy direct on their Hotline 1800 132 317 to confirm Abstudy eligibility and Scholarship confirmation. Abstudy payments will be paid directly to Wesley College. Any queries regarding Abstudy, please contact Ben Lewis, Indigenous Program Coordinator on 08 9368 8091 or ben.lewis@wesley.wa.edu.au.

Wesley College Uniform and Text Books
Provided your combined income is less than $150,000 per annum, Wesley College will provide a ‘start-up uniform kit’ prior to when Michael commences. Text books will be provided each academic year.

Other incidental expenses
Other costs that may be incurred during the year include:
- boarding – special formal dinners with families
- Year 12 leavers jackets
- laundry and personal items
- taxi charges for personal use
- travel for Mid-term Breaks (not covered by Abstudy)
- ball tickets
- photos
- Prefect dinners
- Boarding House excursions (movies, museums, sports games etc)
- campus
- boarding socials
- Mathletics fees
- mouthguards
- woodwork and metalwork materials
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INDIGENOUS SCHOLARSHIP ENTRY 2017
APPLICATION FORM

1. Student’s surname: ____________________________
2. Student’s first name: ___________________________
3. Student’s second name: _________________________
4. Student’s date of birth: _________________________
5. Student’s signature: ____________________________
6. Current school: ____________________________ Current year level: ______
7. Traditional Owners of your Country: ____________________________
8. Language Group: ______________________________
9. Which Indigenous community do you belong to? ____________________________
10. Isolated Children’s Parents’ Association Member: Yes ☐ No ☐
11. Are there any previous family connections with Wesley College? Yes ☐ No ☐
    Name: ____________________________ Year(s): _______ to _____________
    Relationship to student: ____________________________
12. Father’s name: ____________________________
    Father’s address: ____________________________ Postcode: _________
    Home phone: ________ Work phone: ____________ Mobile: ____________
    Email: _______________ Occupation: _______________ Mobile ______________
13. Mother’s name: ____________________________
    Mother’s address: Same as father’s details Yes ☐ No ☐
    Father’s address: ____________________________
    ____________________________ Postcode: _________
    Home phone: ________ Work phone: ____________ Mobile: ____________
    Email: _______________ Occupation: _______________ Mobile ______________

Father’s signature ____________________________
Mother’s signature ____________________________
Written reference, including name of referee and contact telephone number:

Name of referee: ____________________________________________
Contact telephone number: ____________________________________

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Written reference from a member of your Aboriginal community:

Name of referee: ____________________________
Contact telephone number: ____________________