Cumberland High School

Excellence in Education

Gifted and Talented
Class Placement and
Scholarship Information 2020
Cumberland High School

Year 7 Scholarships 2020

Cumberland High School is a school of excellence that takes great pride in nurturing the development of empowered, resilient and productive learners and citizens. The diversity of the student body, excellent academic results, rich extracurricular offerings supported by our highly qualified and committed staff, are the elements that combine to create this outstanding school.

Our school is driven by its core school values of Respect, Responsibility and Excellence. These values permeate the teaching and learning environment and provide the context that enables the attainment of academic, sporting and cultural success.

Cumberland High School is offering five scholarships for Year 7 students in 2020. These scholarships will be offered to students from our Community of Schools.

The successful recipients will be determined by the Cumberland High School Scholarship Panel. The Scholarship panel will consider the following criteria to select the successful applicants:

1. NAPLAN data (Year 5)
2. Year 5 and Year 6 school report
3. Student leadership and outstanding student involvement in primary school activities
4. Primary School Teacher and Principal endorsement
5. Student application

Each scholarship is for one year (Year 7) and consists of an $800 school credit for this period.

**Scholarship Details:** Scholarship holders will be offered the following

- Exemption from all school/subject costs ................................................................. $425
- Exemption from the cost of the Year 7 Camp .......................................................... $320
- Stationery Pack ........................................................................................................ $30
- A scientific calculator .................................................................................................. $25

**TOTAL** ................................................................................................................... $800

**PLEASE NOTE:** Full school uniform costs will be the responsibility of the parents.
School Expectations for Scholarship Holders:

- Students will be placed in the Gifted and Talented Class
- Students will be required to participate actively, work diligently and submit all assessments
- Students will be required to participate in the Year 7 Camp

Application forms are to be submitted to Cumberland High School by Monday 22 July 2019. Students will be notified of the outcome of their application by Friday 13 September 2019.

If you require any further details, please do not hesitate to contact me on 9871 7718 or by email: cumberland-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au

Yours sincerely,

Ms Mechel Pikoulas
Principal
How to Apply

Instructions for Parents/Guardians

For Gifted and Talented Class Placement:

Please complete **Section 1 and Section 1A**

For Scholarship and Gifted and Talented Class Placement:

Please complete **Section 1, Section 1A and Section 2**

On completion of your application, please send all documents to:

The Co-ordinator
Gifted and Talented Class Placement Program
Cumberland High School
183 Pennant Hills Road
CARLINGFORD NSW 2118

**Section 3** must be completed by your Primary School Principal and Class Teacher. The Primary Principal will be required to fax section 3 to 9872 5381 or email back to Cumberland High School at Cumberland-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au
Application Form
Gifted and Talented Class Placement 2020

SECTION 1: to be completed by the parent/guardian

Surname of Student Applicant ........................................... First Name ...........................................

Current Primary School ........................................................................................................................................

Date of Birth .................................................................................................................................................... □  Male □  Female

Address ..............................................................................................................................................................
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Parent/Guardian Name(s) ........................................... Contact Name ..............................................................

Telephone (H) ............ Telephone (W) .................. Mobile (M) .................................................................
(These numbers will be used so that we can promptly tell you if you have been accepted)

Primary School ........................................... Class Teacher ...........................................................

Class ........................................... Has your child sat the Selective Schools Test: YES/NO (please circle)

Your child’s application needs to be supported with copies of appropriate documentation. Please clearly label and staple them together, then submit them with the application form.

The documents which MUST be included are:

- Year 5 Semester 1 and 2 school report
- Year 5 Naplan report
- Year 6 Semester 1 school report (if available)

The application may be supported with a maximum of 10 of the following:

- Competition results (Mathematics, Science, English, etc)
- Sporting awards
- Debating or public speaking awards
- Special musical achievements
- Other achievements (e.g. chess, leadership roles)
- Other documents that you consider relevant.
SECTION 1: (Continued)

My child’s special interests are (please tick):

- [ ] Coding
- [ ] Public Speaking
- [ ] Debating
- [ ] Creative Writing
- [ ] Mathematics
- [ ] Science
- [ ] Reading
- [ ] Film Making
- [ ] Orchestra
- [ ] Visual Arts
- [ ] Competitive Chess
- [ ] Dance
- [ ] Other (Please specify) …………………………………………………………………………………….

SECTION 1A: to be completed by the student

Name: ………………………………………………..

Please outline why you would be interested in applying for placement in our Gifted and Talented Class at Cumberland High School:

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Scholarship Application Form

SECTION 2: (to be completed by the parent/guardian interested in applying for scholarship)

Name: .................................................................

Why is your child a suitable recipient for the $800 scholarship (please provide support documentation/evidence):

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Application Form

Gifted and Talented Class Placement Program at Cumberland High School 2020

SECTION 3: to be completed by the student’s classroom teacher and Principal

Dear Colleague,

Your assistance in completing this form is very much appreciated. Please complete below and return via fax or email to Cumberland High School by 22 July 2019. Please note, the information provided in this form is confidential.

Student’s Classroom Teacher: Please complete the following details

Student Name: ___________________________________________ Year: ________

Please tick your recommendation for this student.

☐ Should most definitely be considered for the gifted and talented class placement program

☐ Academic excellence and overall achievement would make this student worthy of $800 scholarship

☐ Should be considered for the gifted and talented class placement program and further discussion required

☐ Should not be considered for the gifted and talented class placement program

Please RATE 1 to 5 (5 = Excellent and 1 = Unsatisfactory)

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General Comments:

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Year 6 Teacher Name: ___________________________ Signature: __________________ Date: __________

Primary School Principal:

Please use the space below to write any additional comments or commendations for this applicant if applicable. Thank you for taking the time to complete this form.

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Principal Name: ___________________________ Signature: __________________ Date: __________

Please fax or email to Cumberland High School by 22 July 2019
Fax: 98725381 Email: cumberland-h.school@det.nsw.edu.au