

Application for St Marys CBS, *From Each His Best Scholarship*

Candidate's Details

Surname _____ Given Name(s) _____
Date of Birth (dd/mm/yy) _____
Address _____
Telephone No _____
Primary School Attended _____

Details of Parents or Guardians

Mother / Guardian		Father / Guardian	
Name	_____	Name	_____
Mobile Phone	_____	Mobile Phone	_____
Telephone (Day)	_____	Telephone (Day)	_____
Email	_____	Email	_____

Sporting Details

(If necessary, please attach a continuation page with the following information)

Details of Applicant's sporting achievements and regular sporting activities to date:

Successful applicants, should be able to demonstrably prove that they have achieved representation in at least one sport.

Sport (Please list in priority order) and standard reached (School, club, district, county, regional, national)

Name of Sporting Reference: _____ Telephone Contact: _____

I wish to have my son sit the *From Each His Best Scholarship* Examination at St Mary's CBS.

I agree to abide by the regulations governing its administration, with which I have acquainted myself.

Signed: _____
Parent / Guardian Date

The Scholarship Examination will be held in the end of May 2021 on a date to be decided. When Covid restrictions ease on May 5th we will make this decision and inform all applicants immediately to allow families to make plans for transport etc on the day of the exam.

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO ST MARY'S CBS SCHOOL RECEPTION PRIOR TO THE 1pm DEADLINE ON 07/05/21

For Office Use Only

Applicant Number

Date of Acknowledgement

The following terms and conditions will apply to the Scholarship Award Scheme:

1. Two Scholarships will be awarded based on a joint consideration of the following categories:

- Students of high academic ability
- Students with exceptional sports skills

Scholarships will be awarded to students on their entry into first year. The school reserves the right to alter the number of awards made in any school year, based on the decision of the Board of Management. Scholarships are awarded on the basis of:

- An Application,
- An assessment of their academic ability and their ability at sports:
 - The nominated Sports Coach will be contacted for verification.
 - A letter of recommendation from the primary school principal will also be sought.
- The Academic Scholarship Exam
- The Scholarship Committee may seek back-up documentation to confirm any information provided.

2. A parent wishing to apply on their son's behalf must complete an Application Form and return it to the Scholarship Committee of St Mary's CBS together with a recent photograph of the student.

3. Review of applications and assessments will take place and Scholarships will be offered a week after the Scholarship Examination takes place. * The Scholarship Committee will endeavour to make fair decisions based on the criteria outlined in this document. The Scholarship Committee's decisions are final, and the committee cannot enter into correspondence or discussion with regard to its decisions.

4. All scholarships are awarded in accordance with the procedure outlined above. Scholarship holders are expected to perform in accord with their academic ability, and to uphold the standards of the school, as with any other St Mary's CBS student. Applicants are encouraged to review our Characteristic Spirit & General Objectives of the School, as per our Admissions Policy.

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Any parent who has purchased their school uniform and iPad/books before the winners are announced, will be reimbursed by the school for the full amount if their son is one of the winners.

St Mary's CBS From Each His Best Scholarship Examination 1st Year Entry

Examination Regulations

The **Scholarship Examination** will take place in late May 2021 as explained on the previous page.

Your Application will be acknowledged and detailed information about the procedures for the day will be available to you on the school Website and App, provided we receive your completed Application before the stated deadline the 07/05/21.

Candidates should arrive to register ten minutes before the starting time.
The Examination will take 2 hours and 30 minutes in total.
Candidates will have a short break between papers.

The Examination comprises two papers: The School does not provide past exam papers for viewing.

- Mathematics
- English (Comprehension)

All Examination papers will be retained by the School and may not be taken away or reviewed by the candidates. No Examination scripts will be returned.

Awards are made at the discretion of the Scholarship Committee. **All decisions made by the Scholarship Committee are final.**

Maura Murphy
Principal
April 2021

