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Introduction:

Thank you for your interest in The King's Scholarships at KGV Sixth Form College. These scholarships have been created in celebration of the coronation of King Charles III. To be eligible to apply for one of the scholarships, applicants must attend one our Southport Partner high schools;

- Birkdale High School
- Greenbank High School
- Meols Cop High School
- Presfield High School
- Stanley High School
- Christ the King High School

Please read the following guide to understand the objectives, eligibility criteria, and application process for these scholarships.

Objectives:

Encouraging Academic Excellence: The primary objective of The King's Scholarships is to recognise and celebrate exceptional academic performance among students in Southport's high schools. We aim to inspire a culture of academic excellence and motivate students to strive to achieve their full potential.

Recognising High Achievers: These scholarships serve as a prestigious recognition of outstanding academic achievement. By honouring high achievers, we aim to provide encouragement and support to students who have demonstrated exceptional dedication and commitment to their studies.

Strengthening Community Bonds: The introduction of scholarships linked to each high school in Southport aims to foster stronger connections between KGV Sixth Form College and the local community. By investing in the educational future of local students, we aim to build lasting relationships with high schools, parents, and the broader community, demonstrating our commitment to supporting the aspirations of Southport's youth.

Scholarship Details:

Value: Each scholarship is worth £1000 and is paid directly to the recipient in 4 instalments of £250, across the first academic year of their time at KGV. It is there to support their academic endeavours and as such can be used by the individual for a wide variety of purposes.

Eligibility Criteria: To ensure fairness and transparency in the selection process, applicants must meet one or more of the following criteria:



- a) Academic Excellence: Applicants must have consistently demonstrated exceptional academic performance throughout their high school education.
- b) High Achievements: Applicants should have a track record of outstanding accomplishments in their academic pursuits, such as winning academic competitions, receiving subject-specific awards, or participating in advanced academic programmes.
- c) Leadership and Extracurricular Involvement: Applicants should have actively engaged in leadership roles or demonstrated significant involvement in extracurricular activities, such as student government, clubs, sports, community service, or other relevant initiatives.

Application Requirements:

All applicants must provide:

Recommendation:

Applicants must provide the name of a high school teacher or mentor who can attest to their academic abilities, character, and potential.

Personal Statement:

Candidates will be required to submit a personal statement outlining their educational goals, aspirations, and how they believe the scholarship will support their academic journey. **Commitment to KGV Sixth Form College:**

Successful applicants must demonstrate a genuine interest in pursuing their post-16 education at KGV Sixth Form College and actively contribute to the academic and co-curricular life at the college.

Application Form:

To complete the application form, click on the link below or scan the QR code.

https://forms.office.com/e/CEZb9jV5dG



Selection Process:

A selection committee will evaluate applications based on academic performance, extracurricular involvement and leadership potential.

Recognition and Promotion:

Scholarship recipients will be publicly acknowledged for their achievements through various platforms such as local media, college events, and social media channels and must be willing to do this. This recognition aims to celebrate their accomplishments and inspire other students to strive for academic excellence.