UWS College Merit Scholarship Application Form

UWS College offers up to 10 Merit Scholarships valued at $5000 each to students who have demonstrated academic excellence in their studies. Students will be ranked for eligibility by their Grade Point Average in the Diploma program.

Out of the 10 Merit Scholarships a maximum number of four scholarships per year will be awarded to international students who meet the criteria. Successful recipients will be awarded $5000 ($2500 during the first year study at the University of Western Sydney (UWS) and $2500 during the second year of study at UWS).

Note: The recipient should not normally hold any other Australian Scholarship or Award except with the permission of the Selection Committee.

Eligibility
1. This Scholarship is open to Australian citizens, permanent residents or international students. You can apply if you started your course at UWS College in 2013 or 2014 and will finish in minimum time by February 2015.
2. A minimum GPA of 5.0 must be reached for eligibility to be considered.

Application and Selection
- Applicants must ensure that they complete the personal statement section of the application.
- Selection of this scholarship will be determined on the basis of the application/personal statement and, if required, an interview. The selection is based on:
  3. Intention to study at UWS
  4. GPA above 5.0
  5. Then having the highest GPA of the applicant.
- The Selection Committee will comprise representatives from UWS College.
- Scholarships are announced and awarded at the graduation ceremony held in February only.
- You may lodge your application prior to completion of your course.

Lodging your Application
Applicants must be submitted by 5 December 2014. Late applications will not be considered.

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Student Services,
Ground Floor, Building 17,
Bullecourt Road
Milperra NSW 2214

UWS College Lithgow campus
Student Services,
Charles Hoskins Building
154 Mort Street
Lithgow NSW 2790

UWS College Nirimba campus
Student Services,
Ground Floor, Building U8,
Nirimba Education Precinct, Eastern Road
Quakers Hill NSW 2763

UWS College Westmead campus
Student Services,
Ground Floor, Building J
158 Hawkesbury Road
Westmead NSW 2145
1. PERSONAL DETAILS

Title: ___________________ Given Name(s): ____________________________

Family Name: ____________________________

Postal Address
Street/Unit Number: ________________ Street Name: ________________

Suburb: ____________________________ State: __________ Postcode: __________

Country: ____________________________

Date of Birth: ____________________________

Email Address: ____________________________

Contact Number
Home: ____________________________ Work: ____________________________ Mobile: ____________________________

Local Council Area: ____________________________

2. CITIZEN AND AUSTRALIAN RESIDENCY STATUS

Are you an Australian citizen?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No

Are you a Permanent Resident?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No

3. COURSE DETAILS

UWS Student ID Number: ____________________________

When do you expect to complete the UWS College Diploma program?

☐ February  ☐ June  ☐ October

In which year (eg 2012)? ____________________________

Name of course to be studied at UWS:

________________________________________________________________

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4. SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

The criteria for eligibility for the Scholarship is based on students demonstrated academic excellence in their studies. A minimum GPA of 5.0 must be reached for eligibility. Please list your subject’s details and results below.

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Failure to provide evidence will result in your application not being considered.

The Selection Committee will decide on the recipient of the scholarship based on consideration of the information and supporting evidence in this application. The decision of the Selection Committee is final.

5. STUDENT DECLARATION

I declare that the information provided by me on this form is true and correct. I also agree to the release of personal information about me for the purpose of accessing this application. I understand that the decision of the Selection Committee about the award of any scholarship is final and that there is no right of appeal.

Applicant’s Name: ____________________________

Applicant’s Signature: _________________________

Date: ____________________________

In providing my personal information to UWS College, I understand that, other than as authorised by law, UWS College will only use this information for the purposes for which it is being collected in accordance with the College’s functions and activities associated with my enrolment. In some instances, the College may need to disclose information to any government department which administers or has authority regarding education or immigration policy and law and any other government agencies (State, Territory or Federal) on written request and I consent to such disclosure. I also understand that all information will be collected, stored, accessed and disseminated or destroyed in accordance with privacy, records management and other relevant laws, and UWS College policies.