



Music Scholarship

Newhaven College offers Music Scholarships for applicants entering Years 7, 9 and 11 in 2027 who are passionate and dedicated to music and demonstrate strong musical potential. The recommended minimum standard will vary dependent on the instrument. Music Scholarships include individual music tuition lessons (1/2 hourly lessons per week during school terms) for the duration of the student's enrolment at Newhaven College, subject to satisfactory progress.

The College will award scholarships to talented and dedicated students of music who demonstrate strong musical potential. There is a *recommended* minimum standard of;

- Year 7 – a high pass in Grade 4 AMEB or equivalent
- Year 9 – a high pass in Grade 5 AMEB or equivalent
- Year 11 – a high pass in Grade 6 AMEB or equivalent

To apply for a Scholarship, please:

- (a) Complete the enclosed application form
- (b) Attach a copy of the applicant's latest school report if available, not necessary for current students.

Applications close Monday 25 May 2026.

**** No late applications will be accepted****

Please address all applications to;

Admissions Team
1770 Phillip Island Rd
Phillip Island
VIC 3923

Email: admissions@newhavencol.vic.edu.au

All enquiries regarding the Music Scholarship should be redirected to Director of Music, Matthew Goss on 5956 7505 or by email matthew.goss@newhavencol.vic.edu.au



APPLICANT DETAILS

Given Name/s:			
Family Name:			
Instruments (including voice)			
1. _____	2. _____	3. _____	
Australian Music Examinations board (AMEB) level or equivalent (include theory if completed)			
Instrument _____	Grade _____	Result _____	
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Residential Address:			
Gender:		Date of Birth:	
Current School:			
Current Year Level:			
Applicants Signature:			

PARENT/GUARDIAN DETAILS

Title (Mr/Mrs/Ms/Dr):			
Given Name:			
Family Name:			
Postal Address:			
Relationship to Candidate:			
Home Phone:		Work Phone:	
Mobile Phone:		Email Address:	
Parent/Guardian Signature:			

SIBLINGS

Age:	Year Level if at School:	School Attending:

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

Are there any financial constraints that would support consideration for extra support?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No



MUSIC ACHIEVEMENTS

Please list your participation in any eisteddfods, competitions, concerts, productions, or any other activities you have been involved in:

Year	Participation/Prize Awarded or Competition Results

ACADEMIC RECORD

Please list any academic prizes you have received and any competition results:

Year	Prize Awarded or Competition Results

AREA OF EXCELLENCE

What main areas of excellence would qualify your child for this scholarship?



The applicant in his/her own handwriting should complete the following questions.

LEADERSHIP AND COMMUNITY SERVICE INVOLVEMENT

Please outline your community service and leadership achievements. This section should reflect your commitment to both your school and to the broader community.

INTENTIONS/AIMS

Please indicate your current intentions and preferences for general areas of study (please note that specific subject choices are not required at this stage) and why you wish to pursue these areas

CONTRIBUTION TO SCHOOL

Our experience shows that scholarship holders contribute significantly to the school community. In what ways do you think Newhaven College would benefit if they offered you a scholarship?

Please DO NOT attach any documentation other than a photocopy of your latest school report and NAPLAN test. However, should you be invited to an interview, please be prepared to substantiate your prizes and competition results with certificates and other relevant documentation.



All applications will be reviewed by a panel and those short listed will be invited for an interview. A final decision in relation to short listed applicants will be made on the basis of an interview and will take into account the range of listed achievements and level of community involvement and contributions across all areas of College and community.

CONSIDERATION WILL BE GIVEN TO:

- Demonstrated blend of interests.
- School report and level of achievement and attitude in academic studies.
- Additional factors which will affect selection will include interest and acceptance of the curricular and co-curricular program of Newhaven College and sympathy with the ethos and aims of the College.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SCHOLARSHIPS:

1. The College reserves the right not to offer Scholarships if the standard of the applicants does not warrant it doing so. The Principal has discretion as to the number and monetary amount of all Scholarships.
2. The College will not enter into a dispute regarding the awarding of the Scholarships.
3. Parents and students are informed that it is a condition of a Scholarship being awarded that the **amount** of the Scholarship remains confidential between the family and the College. If offered a Scholarship, parents will be required to sign a form to this effect.
4. Recipients of scholarships are expected to maintain satisfactory academic progress, to take an active part in the various co-curricular activities offered and, in particular, to make a significant contribution to the life of the College.
5. Scholarships are for the duration of a student's education at Secondary level.
6. Scholarships are reviewed annually and may be reduced or terminated if a recipient's progress, attitude or conduct is considered unsatisfactory.
7. Scholarships may also be reviewed should a family's compliance with the College's Terms and Conditions of Enrolment be considered unsatisfactory.
8. The information on the application form, results of tests (if any), interviews and any information about the financial position of parents is strictly confidential.
9. General Excellence Scholarship interviews will be held at the College. Applicants will be short listed for interview and not all applicants may be interviewed.
10. An invitation to attend an interview does not mean that the student will be offered a scholarship. Following the interview process, offers will be made in writing by the Principal. Any offers of scholarships not accepted by the due date will be rescinded.
11. Scholarships will attract a reduction in tuition fees only.
12. Students already attending Newhaven College in 2025 are eligible to apply. Students who have submitted an enrolment application form to Newhaven College are also eligible to apply.
13. Scholarships are not available to overseas full fee-paying students.

All Applicants, both successful and unsuccessful, will be notified.