

Scholarship and Bursary Awards

(for Current Y8 Boys as they Join the Upper School in September 2021)

Application Deadline: Tuesday 1st December 2020

A range of scholarships are available to current Bedford Prep School boys as they move into Year 9 (Fourth Form) in the Upper School. Scholarships are awarded to boys who excel academically, or show outstanding talent in Art, Drama, Music, Sports (Rugby, Hockey, Rowing and Cricket) or Golf. Boys who meet the criteria for two or more scholarships may be considered for an all-round award.

The school web site contains further information on each award and can be viewed by clicking on this link [Scholarships](#). Also on this web site page is a link to the online Scholarship application form, which should be completed and submitted by Tuesday 1 December 2020. All supplementary information requested (please refer to the application form) should be scanned and emailed in PDF format to the Admissions team admissions@bedfordschool.org.uk also by Tuesday 1 December 2020. Boys applying for a sports scholarship need only provide references/testimonials from coaches who train them outside of school. Likewise, music references are only needed from instrumental teachers who are external to Bedford School.

If you would like to discuss any aspect of the scholarship application process in more detail, please contact any of the following members of staff:

Mr. Richard Midgley – Registrar – rmidgley@bedfordschool.org.uk

Mr. Michael Croker – Director of Art – mcroker@bedfordschool.org.uk

Mrs. Antoinette Keylock – Head of Academic Drama – akeylock@bedfordschool.org.uk

Mr. Keith Thomson – Mi/c Golf – kthomson@bedfordschool.org.uk

Mr. Joss Sanders – Director of Music – jsanders@bedfordschool.org.uk

Mr. Barry Burgess – Director of Sport – bburgess@bedfordschool.org.uk

Financial support is also available to boys entering Year 9 (Fourth Form) on a means-tested basis through the Harpur Trust Bursary Scheme. If you would like to receive further information about bursaries, please contact the Admissions Team at admissions@bedfordschool.org.uk or by telephone on 01234 362216. We will then send you a link to the Harpur Trust's online application form.

Please note that means-tested bursaries are academically competitive awards and current Year 8 boys applying for a new bursary as they join the Upper School will be required to sit the same entrance assessments as external applicants for Year 9 (Fourth Form). Current bursary holders do not need to re-apply as their awards are expected to continue until the end of Year 13, subject to them continuing to meet financial eligibility.