SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM POLICY

Policy Statement
In order to promote the College and lift academic achievement each year the College Council will offer a scholarship to the student awarded the academic Dux of each feeder school in our Network

Our College will:
- Set down the procedures for the administration of the Scholarship program
- Determine the criteria under which the Scholarship program will be awarded.
- Monitor the progress of the students who are awarded the scholarship.

Implementation:

- Each year Kurnai College Council will offer a scholarship to the student awarded the academic Dux of each feeder school in our Network – Morwell Park PS, Commercial Road PS, Tobruk Street PS, Morwell PS, Sacred Heart PS, Saint Vincent De Paul PS, Yinvar PS, Yinnar South PS, Churchill PS, Churchill North PS, Lumen Christi PS, Hazelwood North PS and Boolarra PS

- The feeder school will determine who the academic Dux of their respective school is and communicate this information to the College. The scholarship will be limited to one Dux from each school however the College will permit the scholarship to be split if the primary school doesn’t separate the higher dux between the male and female dux.

- The scholarship is awarded on the grounds that the student will be attending Kurnai College as a Year 7 student the following year.

- Should the Dux not attend Kurnai College a $50 academic encouragement award will be given to the primary school for the highest academic achiever attending Kurnai.

- The scholarship consists of two parts.

  Part 1) For the first year only the student will receive a $500 credit on their school account. The money may be allocated to uniforms, books, camps and excursions. Uniform and book costs can be claimed by returning a claim form with the receipts to any campus office. The balance will be rolled over to next year should it not be spent.

  Part 2) The second part of the scholarship will be an ongoing exemption of standard annual college levies. For example locker charges, materials charges, VET levies. The exemption will be capped at $500 per year.

- The scholarship is awarded subject to the recipient’s enrolment, and to meet continuing academic, behavioural and attendance expectations for the duration of their enrolment at Kurnai College.
**Evaluation**
This policy will be reviewed as part of the College’s four year review cycle.

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