



Scholarship Application Form

This is the combined application form for scholarships at 11+, 13+ and 16+. We offer a number of scholarship awards each year, the value of which is usually 10% of fees. Exhibitions are also awarded, and these come with a smaller reduction in fees. Means tested bursaries may also be available. If there is a minimum award which would enable entry to the school, parents should write to the Headmaster before the examination.

Name of candidate: _____

Date of birth: _____

Name of parent/guardian: _____

Address of parent/guardian: _____

Current school: _____

Age group entry level: 11+ 13+ 16+

This application is for (please tick all that apply and also see the notes on the reverse of this form)

- Academic scholarship* Art scholarship Drama scholarship 16+ Organ only scholarship*
- Music scholarship Sports scholarship** Design & Technology scholarship

*Automatically accessed at 11+ based on performance in Entrance Exams. **Not available at 11+

If applying for a 16+ academic scholarship, please specify which two subject papers you will be offering:

_____ and: _____

REFERENCES

Will be requested from your child's current school. You may also provide references from out of school clubs or teachers.

UNDERTAKING

I hereby undertake that the above named person will not be a candidate for a scholarship or exhibition at Bloxham School while being an elected candidate for any other school without the permission of the Headmaster or Headmistress of the other school; and further that he or she will not, after election to a scholarship or exhibition at Bloxham School, become or continue to be a candidate at any other school without the permission of the Headmaster of Bloxham School.

PARENT/GUARDIAN Signed: _____ Date: _____

Once you have completed this form, please forward it to the Head of the candidate's current school for signature and despatch:

HEADTEACHER Signed: _____ Date: _____

This form should be returned to: The Admissions Office, Bloxham School, Bloxham, Oxon, OX15 4PE.



Extra details for sports scholarships

School team: _____

County/Regional squads: _____

National squads: _____

Any involvement with clubs outside of school: _____

Coaching courses attended: _____

Certificates obtained: _____

Applications will be assessed in two practical sessions. Please indicate your two from the following:

- Rugby Hockey Netball Tennis Cricket

Extra details required for art, drama and/or design and technology scholarships:

Candidates for art and design and technology scholarships are expected to produce a portfolio as set out in the scholarships and exhibitions booklet.

Extra details required for music scholarships:

Instrument details: 1 _____ 2 _____ 3 _____

Last mark, grade and date: 1 _____ 2 _____ 3 _____

Estimated grade if no exam taken: 1 _____ 2 _____ 3 _____



Scholarships and Exhibitions

Obligations of the pupil: a pupil who is the subject of an award is required to work hard, to contribute positively to the life of the school, to be a credit to the school and to set a good example to other pupils. In the case of an award for design and technology and art it is a condition of the award that the subject is followed to GCSE and A Level. In the case of an award for music and drama, it is a condition that the subject is followed to GCSE and it is normally the case that a student would proceed to take these subjects at A Level. In exceptional circumstances, significant involvement in extra-curricular drama or music may be viewed as an acceptable reason for the continuation of an award even if the subject is not being continued at A Level. In the case of a Sports Award, the school reserves the right to deploy the award holder in its major sports teams (for boys rugby, hockey, cricket; for girls hockey, netball, tennis). All scholarships and exhibitions will be subject to regular review.

Obligations of the parents: the parents are expected to support and encourage the pupil to achieve the purposes of the award and to uphold the aims and the good name of the school. The parents are also required to pay the balance of the account seven days before the first day of term.

Withdrawal of the award: the award will be reviewed annually and may be withdrawn by written notice sent to a parent if, in the opinion of the Headmaster and/or the Governors acting in good faith, the pupil or a parent has not complied with the obligations set out in paragraphs 1 and 2 above or otherwise the pupil has fallen below the required standards of conduct and progress and in the further opinion of the Headmaster and/or the Governors there has been no significant improvement following consultation with a parent and/or the pupils and a written warning. Withdrawal of the award shall take effect from the start of the following term.

Further, the award may be withdrawn by written notice if the balance of the account remains unpaid 28 days after a written reminder has been sent to the parents.

Repayment events: parents shall be required forthwith upon written notice to repay all or part of the benefits they have received under the award in any of the following circumstances:

- Up to three terms' benefits (if received) if the pupil has engaged in serious misconduct or has been expelled or removed for reasons of misconduct by the requirement of the Head acting in good faith.
- Up to three terms' benefits (if received) in a case of the pupil being withdrawn for any reason during a school term without a term's written notice having been given.

Fees in lieu of notice: for the avoidance of doubt, the benefits payable under an award do not apply to any term for which the School has required payment of fees in lieu of notice.

Standard terms and conditions: these Conditions of award take precedence over any of the School's Standard Terms and Conditions which are inconsistent with them but in all other respects the Standard Terms and Conditions as amended from time to time shall apply and these Conditions of Award shall be interpreted in accordance with them.

The following conditions apply additionally to those holding music awards:

Music Scholarship: A Music Scholarship recognises those young musicians who already show significant excellence in, and commitment to, instrumental study. They will have free tuition, when taken with a current member of the Bloxham School Music Staff, on either TWO instruments for two 30 minute lessons or ONE instrument for one 60 minute lesson, in addition to the remission of fees. All scholars are expected to regularly attend their music lessons, join the Chapel Choir, play an active role in at least two other music ensembles and perform at and attend the Music Award Holders' Recital series and at any other event when asked by the Director of Music.

Music Exhibition: A Music Exhibition recognises those young musicians who show significant potential in, and commitment to, instrumental study. A Music Exhibitioner will have free tuition, when taken with a current member of the Bloxham School Music Staff, on ONE instrument for one 30 minute lesson, in addition to the remission of fees. All exhibitioners are expected to regularly attend their music lessons, join the Chapel Choir and at least one other music ensemble.