Wenona School Teacher Education Scholarship for 2017
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Closing date: 5.00 pm Wednesday, 12 October, 2016

To be eligible for this Scholarship you will need to be undertaking your final year in 2017 in one of the following programs:

- Master of Teaching (Primary Education); or
- Master of Teaching (Secondary Education) mathematics/science (physics); or
- Bachelor of Education (Primary Education); or
- Bachelor of Education (Secondary: mathematics/science (physics).

Up to two Wenona School Teacher Education Scholarships are offered per annum and each Scholarship is valued at approximately $11,500 for one year only. These scholarships provide a wonderful opportunity for Faculty of Education and Social Work final year pre service students to experience the culture of this leading independent school.

About Wenona School
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Wenona is a single-sex, non-denominational school, for girls from Kindergarten to Year 12. We offer a liberal, broad based curriculum, and have high academic standards. We strongly encourage participation in the arts, sport, and other experiences outside the classroom. Founded in 1886, Wenona is one of the longest established girls’ schools in Australia.

We stand for values and ideals of the ‘renaissance’ woman, for the inherent value of every woman to be exceptionally well educated, both morally and intellectually, having developed a strong sense of belonging and self-worth.

We are different because our attitude of service manifests itself in every area of school life, and this service is proactive, compassionate and thoughtful. We believe that women can do anything they set their hearts and minds to do, and we believe that Wenona is a school that genuinely enables our women to be the very best they can be.

We believe in an egalitarian model of leadership whereby women can take their place and contribute to society, having been exceptionally well educated, both in character and across a broad range of disciplines. We are about educating and developing young women to make wise, informed, thoughtful decisions about their lives and about ways they can contribute to make this complex and changing world a better place. We want Wenona to be one of the great schools of the world, and a leading light in educating women.

Scholarships at Wenona Scholarships will be awarded to students of exceptional academic merit (with a weighted average mark (WAM) of at least 75.00 across the past two years of study). Selection will be by consideration of written application and a following interview for short listed candidates. Preference will be given to students who can contribute to co-curriculum areas within the School. The recipients will be expected to spend time at the school each week (as their University program permits) in Terms 1 and 2, receive guidance from a mentor teacher, followed by an internship (the major Professional Experience) at the School where possible, across Terms 3 and 4 to participate in both academic and co-curricular activities.

Continuation of the Scholarship will be dependent on maintaining a high academic standard. The successful applicant must achieve satisfactory progress in their Professional Experience studies throughout the degree. This will be monitored jointly by Wenona School and the Faculty of Education and Social Work, University of Sydney.
Recipient/s will be students of exceptional academic merit and selection will be by consideration of written application, followed by interviews for short-listed candidates.

How to apply
To apply for a Wenona School Teacher Education Scholarship you are asked to provide the following:

1. A one-page statement indicating your interest in participation at Wenona School, and how you might contribute to culture of the school. Strong ICT skills would be useful. You may wish to visit the Wenona School website at www.wenona.nsw.edu.au for further information on the culture of the School;
2. A copy of any relevant previous degree transcripts;
3. Two (2) written referee’s reports – one from an Master of Teaching staff member or a staff member from your degree program, or whichever is relevant; and
4. A recent copy of a Professional Experience report.

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Applications can be emailed, posted or delivered to:

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Scholarships and Prizes Officer
Faculty of Education and Social Work
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University of Sydney NSW 2006

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For information directly related to the Wenona School please go to the following website www.wenona.nsw.edu.au