



Indigenous Scholarships at Pymble

Pymble Indigenous scholarships are open to talented young indigenous women. They offer such women the opportunity to embrace their educational experience with the support of the College's outstanding teachers, programs and co-curricular opportunities.

The College offers three types of scholarship:

1. The Evonne Goolagong Cawley Performance Scholarship (in partnership with the AIEF)

The scholarship is open to candidates with performance and academic abilities, and leadership potential. Areas of performance include art, music and sport.

To be eligible for the scholarship, candidates must be able to demonstrate the following criteria:

- Demonstrated performance in the relevant area of expertise
- Demonstrated commitment to school life through attendance, application and involvement
- Demonstrated leadership potential
- Commitment to the values of the College
- Demonstrated support from the immediate family

The scholarship covers the following areas:

- Enrolment fees
- Tuition fees
- Boarding fees
- Laptop computer
- Uniform school-related expenses

The parents of the scholarship student are required to apply for all available AbStudy funding to contribute to the scholarship costs.

The scholarship holder's family is expected to make a regular contribution, according to means, towards the cost of the scholarship. This will be negotiated with the College prior to acceptance.

This scholarship is subject to an annual review of the recipient's performance and participation in all aspects of College life.

2. Indigenous Leadership Scholarship (in partnership with the AIEF)

The scholarship is open to candidates with academic ability and leadership potential.

To be eligible for the scholarship, candidates must be able to demonstrate the following criteria:

- A school history demonstrating the potential to succeed academically
- Demonstrated commitment to school life through attendance, application and involvement
- Demonstrated leadership potential
- Commitment to the values of the College
- Demonstrated support from the immediate family

The scholarship covers the following areas:

- Enrolment fees
- Tuition fees
- Boarding fees
- Laptop computer
- Uniform school-related expenses



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The parents of the scholarship student are required to apply for all available AbStudy funding to contribute to the scholarship costs.

The scholarship holder's family is required to make a regular contribution, according to means, towards the cost of the scholarship. This will be negotiated with the College prior to acceptance.

This scholarship is subject to an annual review of the recipient's performance and participation in all aspects of College life.

3. GO Scholarship for day girls (in partnership with the GO Foundation, subject to availability)

Please see attached documentation for details.



Indigenous Scholarships – How to apply

Evonne Goolagong-Cawley Indigenous Performance Scholarship and Indigenous Leadership Scholarship

OFFICE USE

C/WL:

Family No:

House:

Applications must be received by 26 May of the year prior to the year of entry.

Interviews take place in the July and August prior to the year of entry.

To be eligible for the scholarship, candidates must be able to demonstrate the following criteria:

- Demonstrated performance in the relevant area of expertise
- Demonstrated commitment to school life through attendance, application and involvement
- Demonstrated leadership potential
- Commitment to the values of the College
- Demonstrated support from the immediate family

Applications can be emailed to enrol@pymblelc.nsw.edu.au or posted to the Enrolments Department at Pymble Ladies' College, PO Box 136, North Ryde BC NSW 1670

Applications should include:

- 1 A letter of support from the Principal of the school the candidate currently attends, outlining her commitment to school life and leadership potential
- 2 A letter of support from a professional adult (such as a sports coach, music or art teacher), outlining the candidate's performance and leadership abilities
- 3 A completed Application for Enrolment form, which is attached to the Indigenous Scholarship form
- 4 A copy of the student's birth certificate

If applying for the Evonne Goolagong-Cawley Indigenous Performance Scholarship, please also include:

A letter of application written by the candidate, outlining:

- What the candidate has achieved to date in her area of expertise (such as art, music or sport)
- What the candidate feels she could contribute to the life of the College

If applying for the Indigenous Leadership Scholarship please also include:

A letter of application written by the candidate, outlining:

- What the candidate has achieved as a student leader
- What the candidate feels she could contribute to the life of the College
- Why she thinks she is a good leader

The selection process will be based on demonstrated performance ability, references, school reports and interview. The successful candidate will be expected to participate fully in the life of the College.



Application for Enrolment – Indigenous Scholarships

Please indicate scholarship to be considered for:

- ☐ Evonne Goolagong-Cawley Indigenous Performance Scholarship – Boarding Student
☐ Indigenous Leadership Scholarship – Boarding Student
☐ GO Foundation – Day Student

APPLICANT'S DETAILS

Surname: Given names:
Preferred name: Date of Birth:
Proposed entry point: (eg. Year 7, 2019) ☐ Day student ☐ Boarder
Nationality: Country of Birth:
Student is: ☐ Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander ☐ Australian Citizen ☐ Permanent Resident ☐ Temporary Resident
Current School (if applicable): in Year:
Previous School: Language spoken at home:
Religion: Church attended:

MOTHER / GUARDIAN DETAILS

Title (Mrs, Ms, Dr): Full Name:
Address (Home):
Address (Postal, if different from above): ..
Phone (Home): Work: Mobile:
Email: Fax:
Nationality: Country of Birth:
Occupation: Employer's Name:
Business Address:

FATHER / GUARDIAN DETAILS

Title (Mr, Dr): Full Name:
Address (Home):
Address (Postal, if different from above): ..
Phone (Home): Work: Mobile:
Email: Fax:
Nationality: Country of Birth:
Occupation: Employer's Name:
Business Address:



Application for Enrolment – Indigenous Scholarships

Applicant lives with: ☐ Both parents ☐ Mother ☐ Father ☐ Guardian ☐ Other (specify person and address)

Court Order or Parenting Plan (if any) relevant to the student: ☐ No ☐ Yes (please attach a copy)

Will your daughter need any special provisions to enable her to overcome any physical/intellectual/learning difficulties?
☐ No ☐ Yes (please elaborate and include recent Specialist medical reports)

Applicant's relatives who are future, current or ex-students of Pymble Ladies' College

	Full Name (please include maiden name if ex-student)	Relationship to applicant (sister, mother, aunt)	Year (final year attended or current class)	House (Goodlet, Marden, Lang etc)
EG	Mary Smith (nee Jones)	Mother	1980	Goodlet
1				
2				
3				

Details and signatures of two referees. Please name two referees who may be contacted. Refer to Enrolment Procedure and Conditions of Attendance. If you wish, attach written references. Relatives are not suitable referees, unless they have a close connection with the College.

Referee 1 – Full Name:.....Phone:

Address:

Signature:

Relationship to applicant:..... Written reference attached ☐ No ☐ Yes

Referee 2 – Full Name:Phone:

Address:

Signature:

Relationship to applicant:..... Written reference attached ☐ No ☐ Yes

Details of person/s taking responsibility for family contribution to school fees

Full Name (1):Phone:

Address:

Signature:

Full Name (2):Phone:

Address:

Signature:



Enrolment Procedure and Conditions of Attendance – Indigenous Scholarships

- 1 Applications for enrolment as a student of Pymble Ladies' College, should be made in writing by a parent or guardian on the form provided by the College on the website.
- 2 The Applicant, in making the application, should be aware that we will contact such person if it is deemed necessary or appropriate. Copies of the Applicant's Birth Certificate must also accompany the application. If the pupil has an overseas Birth Certificate, a copy of their passport showing resident status or Australian Citizenship is also required.
- 3 Once a scholarship offer has been made, the applicant will within one month, receive a letter from the Principal of the College offering the pupil a place.
- 4 The applicant may accept the initial offer by notifying the College, in writing, of such acceptance on the form provided by the College for that purpose.
- 5 If the offer is not so accepted, then it will lapse.
- 6 Parents wishing to defer their daughter's enrolment at *Pymble* will be limited to one deferral.
- 7 Conditions of attendance include:**
 - i The prompt payment of the parent contribution due in respect of the student.
 - ii Eligibility for Abstudy.
 - iii The student will be subject to the discipline of and comply with the directions of the Council and Principal of the College; and the parent or guardian of the pupil will use his or her best endeavours to ensure such compliance.
 - iv Any change of address of the parent or guardian or student should be notified to the College, in writing, within one (1) month of such change.
 - v A breach of any of these Terms and Conditions shall entitle the Council of the College, at its discretion, to suspend or terminate the attendance of the pupil at the College; provided that in a matter of discipline or conduct the Principal may suspend the pupil, pending determination of the Council.

I/we have read and understood the College's 'Enrolment Procedures and Conditions of Attendance'. Agreement to abide by these Conditions and Policies is understood as a condition of the pupil's admission and ongoing enrolment.

Signed (Mother/Guardian): Date:

Signed (Father/Guardian): Date:

The application is to be signed by each parent/guardian listed in the application form. Where only one parent/guardian has signed, that person must satisfy the College that he/she is the sole parent or guardian and will be responsible for all fees and charges. It is recommended you retain a copy of the completed application form for your records.



Enrolment Procedure and Conditions of Attendance – Indigenous Scholarships

TO APPLY FOR ENROLMENT PLEASE RETURN THE FOLLOWING:

- ☐ Completed Application for Enrolment – Indigenous
- ☐ Completed AIEF Application Form OR completed GO Application Form *(If applying for the GO scholarship)*
- ☐ Copy of your daughter's Birth Certificate
- ☐ Copy of Certificate of Aboriginal Status
- ☐ Copy of your daughter's most recent school report
- ☐ Copy of NAPLAN (most recent)
- ☐ Copy of your daughter's Immunisation Certificate
- ☐ Letter of support from current Principal
- ☐ Letter of support from a professional adult
- ☐ Letter of application written by the candidate

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TO ASSIST US WITH FUTURE PLANNING, PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS (please tick relevant boxes):

What has prompted you to enrol your daughter at Pymble Ladies' College?

- ☐ Reputation/Academic excellence of the College
- ☐ Opportunities at the College
- ☐ Non-selective school
- ☐ All girls' school
- ☐ Continuing a family tradition
- ☐ Christian education
- ☐ Excellent facilities and grounds
- ☐ Other (please specify)

How did you learn about Pymble Ladies' College?

- ☐ Family / Friends
 - ☐ Current Pymble Ladies' College parents
 - ☐ Ex-students
 - ☐ Website
 - ☐ Newspaper advertisements / editorial
 - ☐ School guides
 - ☐ Expos
 - ☐ AIEF
 - ☐ GO Foundation
 - ☐ Other (please specify)
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AIEF Scholarship Application Form

For students and families

About AIEF

The Australian Indigenous Education Foundation (AIEF) is a private sector-led, non-profit organisation focused on empowering young Indigenous people in financial need to build a brighter future for themselves and for the nation.

Driven by community demand, AIEF enables Indigenous students to attend leading Australian schools and universities, as well as providing mentoring and career support to ensure students make a successful transition from school to further studies or employment, productive careers and fulfilling lives.

The AIEF Scholarship Program is a 'school-led' model which means that applications, enrolments, education and pastoral care are managed and led autonomously by each Partner School. AIEF is not involved in how a school is run or the relationships between the school, families and communities of the students at the school. The AIEF Scholarship Program provides funding for eligible Indigenous students to pursue their education at leading Australian schools and universities. As part of the program, AIEF is involved in the processing and administration of scholarship funds and reporting to AIEF stakeholders.

AIEF seeks to enable Indigenous families to make their own decisions about where they want their children to go to school, and AIEF's role is to provide financial support that enables that choice.

As part of the scholarship offering, AIEF also provides the AIEF Pathways Program to help AIEF Scholarship Students make a successful transition from school to further studies or employment and productive and fulfilling careers.

The AIEF Pathways Program aims to:

1. **Prepare** scholarship students for post-school pathways by assisting them with personal and professional skill development while they are at school.
2. **Support** scholarship students by connecting them to career related networks and providing one-on-one transition support as they make the transition from Year 12.
3. **Monitor** and track students' career progression after they complete Year 12, providing ongoing support as needed.



Section I: Information

Section I: Information covers scholarship Eligibility Criteria, how to apply and the Parent Contribution. This information is for you to keep, and should not be sent to the school with the AIEF Scholarship Application Form.

Am I eligible?

To be eligible for an AIEF Scholarship you need to:

- Be an Indigenous Australian.
- Be eligible for and in receipt of ABSTUDY.
- Be accepted for enrolment as a boarder at an AIEF Partner School (the school).
- Not be receiving any other scholarship.
- Be enthusiastic about attending school.
- Be likely to successfully complete Year 12.
- Be in financial need.
- Have parents/family that have demonstrated support and encouragement for the enrolment and the scholarship.
- Have parents/family that have committed to making a financial contribution to the expenses.
- Have a completed AIEF Scholarship Application Form.
- Have finished the school year at an AIEF Partner School.

Scholarship students must meet the scholarship Eligibility Criteria and scholarship conditions on an ongoing basis to continue to receive an AIEF Scholarship.

What does the scholarship cover?

AIEF Scholarships enable students to attend AIEF Partner Schools by covering the cost of tuition and boarding fees less ABSTUDY and a financial contribution by their parents* (the 'Parent Contribution'). AIEF Scholarships may also cover some other educational expenses to ensure students enjoy the full range of opportunities at AIEF Partner Schools. Some expenses are not covered by the scholarship and parents are encouraged to discuss this with the school.

Things to consider when selecting a school

It is important to find out about all aspects of a school when considering suitability for you and your child, to ensure a positive and successful experience.

Things you might think about when considering a school include:

- Personal values and preferences for example religious denomination, and single sex or co-ed.
- Cultural considerations for example recognition of Indigenous customs and traditional law, participation in significant Indigenous events and cultural activities such as Reconciliation and NAIDOC Week, observance of cultural protocols and additional support through an Indigenous Liaison Officer (Indigenous, non-Indigenous).
- Practical considerations for example location, access to transport and travel time to and from school.
- School specific factors for example education / extracurricular programs specific to interests, school facilities, academic outcomes and support for children with additional needs.
- Financial considerations for example additional costs or charges not covered by the AIEF Scholarship Program.

* Please note that "parents" refers to the legal parent(s) or guardian(s) of the child and household as assessed by Centrelink.

How do I apply?

1. Contact the AIEF Partner School of your choice to discuss your application.

Every AIEF Partner School has its own application process and makes its own decisions about enrolments. Schools may ask students and parents to fill out other forms as part of their scholarship application and enrolment process. If you have any questions about the AIEF Scholarship or the application process at the AIEF Partner School of your choice, please contact the school directly.

2. Complete the AIEF Scholarship Application Form.

The AIEF Scholarship Application Form is an essential part of your application and should be submitted directly to the school. Please read the scholarship conditions and Eligibility Criteria in Section 1 and ensure you understand them before filling out the form. Use the checklist on page 24 to confirm that your AIEF Scholarship Application Form is completed correctly, and ensure you keep Section 1 for future reference. If you have any questions about completing the form, please contact the AIEF Partner School of your choice directly.

3. Sign the completed AIEF Scholarship Application Form (Section 2) and return it to the AIEF Partner School.

Students and parents need to complete Section 2 including signing the individual statements on pages 14 and 23 agreeing to the conditions of enrolment and the scholarship, including the Parent Contribution, before returning it to the relevant AIEF Partner School.

Scholarship conditions

Scholarship students must meet the scholarship Eligibility Criteria and scholarship conditions on an ongoing basis to continue to receive an AIEF Scholarship. Please read the conditions carefully and make sure you understand your ongoing responsibilities before you apply for the scholarship.

Scholarship conditions for students

You must commit to:

- Enthusiastically participate in activities such as mentoring, career sessions, workshops and activities offered as part of the AIEF Pathways Program.
- Work with AIEF and the school in Years 11 and 12 to secure your preferred post-school pathway.
- Inform AIEF of your final examination results including your tertiary entrance rank (ATAR/OP) statement, within three months of the date that these results are released.
- Actively pursue your preferred post-school pathway and provide updates at least twice per year regarding your study and employment activities.
- Continue to work with AIEF and participate in career sessions, events and activities including after completing Year 12, and if you stop receiving an AIEF Scholarship or otherwise leave the school before completing Year 12.
- Not receive or apply for any other scholarship or support while receiving an AIEF Scholarship.
- Talk to AIEF if you intend to participate in any other programs that are similar to AIEF programs, including programs that provide career support and/or mentoring.

Scholarship conditions for parents

You must confirm that your child:

- Is enthusiastic about attending school.
- Has a good history of school attendance.
- Has a good attitude to learning.
- Is not receiving and will not receive any other scholarship or apply to any other scholarship provider for support while receiving an AIEF Scholarship, or while at an AIEF Partner School.
- Will continue to meet the AIEF Scholarship Eligibility Criteria, requiring them to:
 - » Be an Indigenous Australian.
 - » Be eligible for and in receipt of ABSTUDY.
 - » Be accepted for enrolment as a boarder at an AIEF Partner School.
 - » Not be receiving any other scholarship.
 - » Be enthusiastic about attending school.
 - » Be likely to successfully complete Year 12.
 - » Be in financial need.
 - » Have parents/family that have demonstrated support and encouragement for the enrolment and the scholarship.
 - » Have parents/family that have committed to making a financial contribution to the expenses.
 - » Have a completed AIEF Scholarship Application Form.
 - » Have finished the school year at an AIEF Partner School.

You must consent to:

- AIEF receiving and storing contact, location, financial and other relevant personal information about you and your child.
- Your child participating in AIEF Pathways Program activities including mentoring, career sessions and workshops and other activities, including if your child stops receiving an AIEF Scholarship at the school or otherwise leaves the school before completing Year 12.
- The school and AIEF contacting Centrelink on your behalf about ABSTUDY.
- AIEF receiving copies of school reports, NAPLAN results and any other information relating to your child's curricular and co-curricular activities at the school, including their final examination results and tertiary entrance rank (ATAR/OP) statement, within three months of the date these results are released.
- AIEF disclosing and/or publishing information relating but not limited to your child's interests and achievements (academic or otherwise), and photos of your child for the purpose of reporting on their achievements, the school and the AIEF Scholarship Program and the AIEF Pathways Program. This includes the use of information and photos by AIEF stakeholders with AIEF's consent.
- AIEF disclosing information relating to your child, including personal information, to other AIEF Partner Schools.
- The school having authority to sign any other consents or undertakings on your behalf in relation to events or activities your child engages in at the school.

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In addition to the conditions above, you must commit to:

- Enthusiastically support your child's participation in all school and AIEF activities, including the AIEF Pathways Program.
- Apply for and ensure that the school receives the maximum available amount of ABSTUDY each year for as long as your child is enrolled at the school.
- Provide ATO Notices of Assessment and/or Centrelink Income Statements from the previous financial year for each year that your child is enrolled at the school, or as requested by the school or AIEF.
- Make a financial contribution directly to the school towards your child's educational expenses. This contribution is calculated using the Scale of Parent Contribution on page 7 of this document.
- Contact the school if your financial circumstances change in order to discuss the value of your Parent Contribution.
- Set up and maintain financial arrangements to make the agreed Parent Contribution to the school (e.g. direct debit, Centrepay).
- Make yourself/yourselves available, within a reasonable time, to communicate with school staff as required.
- Comply with the school's terms and conditions of enrolment in addition to AIEF's Terms and Conditions.
- Pay full school fees and associated costs to the school if any of the above conditions or Eligibility Criteria are not met each year.

Please note, if you have questions, concerns or feedback about what happens within the school with the education or pastoral care of your child, you are encouraged to contact the school directly as they are responsible for these aspects. AIEF has not sought to position itself as an expert in education or pastoral care or an intermediary between the family and the school. We believe a direct relationship between the school and the family, as is the case for any other student, is the best approach for all concerned.

AIEF is committed to protecting the privacy and confidentiality of students and their families. AIEF supports and is bound by the Privacy Amendment (Enhancing Privacy Protection) Act 2012 and the Australian Privacy Principles, including relevant updates made in March 2014. A copy of the Australian Privacy Principles can be found at <https://www.oaic.gov.au/individuals/privacy-fact-sheets/general/privacy-fact-sheet-17-australian-privacy-principles>

Parent Contribution

The 'Parent Contribution' is a compulsory financial contribution towards your child's educational expense that is paid directly to the AIEF Partner School.

A financial contribution from parents is an important part of AIEF's program and is evidence of your support for your child attending the AIEF Partner School.

The value of this contribution is based on your combined taxable household income according to the Scale of Parent Contribution below. The Parent Contribution must be paid every year your child attends the school on an AIEF Scholarship, and the amount of the Parent Contribution may go up or down from year to year as your combined taxable household income changes. The table below outlines the minimum Parent Contribution set by AIEF, and schools may have additional costs associated with your child's attendance at the school. The Parent Contribution is paid directly to the school and payment arrangements should be discussed with the school.

As part of your application, you will be required to provide your most recent ATO Notices of Assessment and/or Centrelink Income Statements to confirm your combined taxable household income.

If your child receives means-tested ABSTUDY, household income will be confirmed each year by the amount of ABSTUDY paid to the school by Centrelink. If your child receives only basic, non-means tested ABSTUDY, you will be required to provide your most recent ATO Notices of Assessment and/or Centrelink Income Statements each year as proof of income.

If your financial circumstances change during the course of a school year, please contact the school as soon as possible to discuss your Parent Contribution.

Combined taxable household income ATO Notices of Assessment/ Centrelink Income Statement	Parent Contribution amount	
	Total (annually)	Weekly (40 weeks)
Up to \$40,000	\$400	\$10
\$40,001 – \$50,000	\$1,000	\$25
\$50,001 – \$60,000	\$1,200	\$30
\$60,001 – \$80,000	\$2,000	\$50
\$80,001 – \$100,000	\$2,600	\$65
\$100,001 – \$125,000	\$4,000	\$100
\$125,001 – \$150,000	\$5,000	\$125
\$150,001 – \$175,000	\$8,000	\$200
\$175,001 – \$200,000	\$11,200	\$280
\$200,001 – \$300,000	\$20,000	\$500

Enrolment conditions with the school

In addition to the AIEF Scholarship Terms and Conditions, an AIEF Partner School will usually have other terms and conditions of enrolment at the school. This could include for example, things such as other costs involved in enrolling your child at the school which are not covered by the AIEF Scholarship Program or what arrangements would apply if your child is not eligible for an AIEF Scholarship at any time. It is important that you discuss these terms and conditions carefully with the school during the application process and that you understand and accept them before enrolling your child at the school.

The AIEF Scholarship Application Form begins on the next page. Please separate pages 1-7 before submitting your completed application form to the school. AIEF encourages you to keep these pages for your records.

Section 2: Student Application

If you run out of space, please complete your answers on a separate page and attach it to this form.

First Name	Middle Name
Last Name	
Preferred First Name <i>(If different from above)</i>	Preferred Last Name <i>(If different from above)</i>
Date of birth	Gender
Residential address	
State	Postcode
Postal address Same as above <input type="checkbox"/>	
State	Postcode
Email	
Home phone	Mobile
Dietary requirements	
Are you: Aboriginal <input type="checkbox"/> Torres Strait Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Both <input type="checkbox"/>	
Where is your home community?*	
Do you identify with any other home communities? Please list:	
Do you identify as being part of any traditional owner groups? Please list:	
What is the most commonly spoken language in your home?	

* AIEF defines 'home community' as the suburb or town from which your family originates. This may be different to your current place of residence, and may include more than one suburb or town.

Why is your Indigenous culture important to you? You can tell us about your family, country and/or community and why these are important.

Do you have a personal hero (it doesn't have to be anyone famous)? If so, tell us about them.

List three things that you have done or experienced that you are most proud of:

1.

2.

3.

What kind of things do you like doing? You could tell us about your hobbies (things like art and music) or any groups you're a part of (like sports clubs, youth groups or community groups), and any leadership positions you have had as part of a group.

Tell us about your family:

What is your role in your family and what have been some of your more important responsibilities?

What are your favourite subjects at school, and why?

What subjects do you find more challenging and what steps do you take to improve?

If you go to boarding school, how will your family support you while you're there?

What challenges do you think you will need to overcome to complete Year 12 and how will you overcome these challenges?

What are your top three goals?

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Circle the level of education you want to achieve in your lifetime:

Year 12

University degree

Apprenticeship or traineeship

TAFE certificate, diploma or similar

Other: _____

What kind of job would you like to have after you complete Year 12?

Has anyone helped you fill out this form? If someone has, what's their name and how do you know them (e.g. parent, teacher)?

Is there anything that we haven't asked you about that you would like to share with us?

Student statement

I _____ (name)

am applying for an AIEF Scholarship and enrolment as a boarder at:

_____ (the school).

If I receive an offer of enrolment at the school on an AIEF Scholarship I will:

- Enthusiastically participate in activities such as mentoring, career sessions, workshops and activities offered as part of the AIEF Pathways Program.
- Work with AIEF and the school in Years 11 and 12 to help secure my preferred post-school pathway and inform AIEF of my final examination results including my tertiary entrance rank (ATAR/OP) statement, within three months of the date these results are released.
- Actively pursue my preferred post-school pathway.
- Continue to work with AIEF and participate in career sessions, events and activities after completing Year 12 including if I stop receiving an AIEF Scholarship or leave the school before completing Year 12.
- Not receive or apply for any other scholarship or support while receiving an AIEF Scholarship or while at the school.
- Notify AIEF if I intend to participate in other programs that are similar to AIEF programs, including programs that provide career support and/or mentoring.

*Signed: _____ *Dated: _____

*Name: _____

*All fields marked with an * must be completed.*

Section 3: Parent Application

If you run out of space, please complete your answers on a separate page and attach it to this form.

I am applying to enrol _____ (name of student)

as a boarding student on an AIEF Scholarship at _____ (the school).

Preferred year and term of entry: 20 _____

Term _____

Student year level in preferred year of entry (please circle): 7 8 9 10 11 12

How did you hear about AIEF?

AIEF Partner School ☐

Family/friend ☐

AIEF website ☐

Newspaper/media ☐

Other: _____

Your child's educational history

Current school: _____

Number of years at current school: _____ Current year level: _____

Please list the other schools your child has attended:

School	Year level	Dates

Family

Does your child have any siblings or relatives enrolled, or who have been previously enrolled, on AIEF Scholarships at this school?

Yes ☐

No ☐

If yes, please provide the full name, year level and relationship to your child (e.g. sister) of each sibling and/or relative:

Full name	Year level	Relationship

Does your child have any siblings or relatives receiving or who have previously received an AIEF Scholarship at other schools?

Yes ☐

No ☐

If yes, please provide the full name, school, year level and relationship to your child of each sibling and/or relative:

Full name and name of AIEF Partner School	Year level	Relationship

Other scholarships

Has your child received, or is your child currently receiving a scholarship?

Yes ☐

No ☐

If yes, please provide the name of the scholarship provider and the value and timeframe of the scholarship, if known:

Scholarship provider	Value (\$)	Timeframe (years)

Why do you want your child to go to boarding school?

How will you support your child at boarding school?

How will you encourage your child to stay at boarding school if they want to come home, or if they don't want to go back to school at the start of term?

What hopes do you have for your child's future?

Describe your child's personality and tell us about some of their achievements:

Parent details (1)

Full name	
Residential address	
State	Postcode
Postal address Same as above <input type="checkbox"/>	
State	Postcode
Email	
Home phone	Mobile
Occupation (if applicable)	
Relationship to child	
Are you: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 5px;"> <div>Aboriginal <input type="checkbox"/></div> <div>Torres Strait Islander <input type="checkbox"/></div> </div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 5px;"> <div>Both <input type="checkbox"/></div> <div>Neither <input type="checkbox"/></div> </div>	
Where is your home community?*	
Do you identify with any other home communities? Please list:	
Do you identify as being part of any traditional owner groups? Please list:	
Last school/educational institution you attended	
Highest grade completed/qualification attained	

* AIEF defines 'home community' as the suburb or town from which your family originates. This may be different to your current place of residence, and may include more than one suburb or town.

Parent details (2)

Full name	
Residential address	
State	Postcode
Postal address Same as above <input type="checkbox"/>	
State	Postcode
Email	
Home phone	Mobile
Occupation (if applicable)	
Relationship to child	
Are you: Aboriginal <input type="checkbox"/> Torres Strait Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Both <input type="checkbox"/> Neither <input type="checkbox"/>	
Where is your home community?*	
Do you identify with any other home communities? Please list:	
Do you identify as being part of any traditional owner groups? Please list:	
Last school/educational institution you attended	
Highest grade completed/qualification attained	

* AIEF defines 'home community' as the suburb or town from which your family originates. This may be different to your current place of residence, and may include more than one suburb or town.

Calculate your Parent Contribution

Please use the scale below to calculate your Parent Contribution amount:

Combined taxable household income ATO Notices of Assessment/ Centrelink Income Statement	Parent Contribution amount	
	Total (annually)	Weekly (40 weeks)
Up to \$40,000	\$400	\$10
\$40,001 – \$50,000	\$1,000	\$25
\$50,001 – \$60,000	\$1,200	\$30
\$60,001 – \$80,000	\$2,000	\$50
\$80,001 – \$100,000	\$2,600	\$65
\$100,001 – \$125,000	\$4,000	\$100
\$125,001 – \$150,000	\$5,000	\$125
\$150,001 – \$175,000	\$8,000	\$200
\$175,001 – \$200,000	\$11,200	\$280
\$200,001 – \$300,000	\$20,000	\$500

Taxable income of parent (1) \$ _____

Taxable income of parent (2) \$ _____

Combined taxable household income \$ _____

Parent Contribution amount \$ _____ Annually Weekly (circle)

Please attach copies of your most recent ATO Notices of Assessment and/or Centrelink Income Statements from the previous financial year to your completed AIEF Scholarship Application Form. Application forms without these attachments will not be accepted.

Please note that you may be required to provide your ATO Notices of Assessment and/or Centrelink Income Statements on an annual basis while your child is enrolled at the school and receiving an AIEF Scholarship.

Parent statement

I/we _____ (name/s)

confirm that I am/we are the parents of _____ (name).

I/we have read and understood Section 1: Information and wish to work with the school to encourage and support my/our child emotionally and financially to successfully access the educational opportunities at

_____ (the school).

This document constitutes a legally binding contract including the following terms:

I/we confirm that my/our child:

- Is enthusiastic about attending school.
- Has a good history of school attendance.
- Has a good attitude to learning.
- Is not receiving any other scholarship and will not receive or apply to any other scholarship provider for support while receiving an AIEF Scholarship, or while at an AIEF Partner School.
- Will continue to meet the AIEF Scholarship Eligibility Criteria, requiring them to:
 - » Be an Indigenous Australian.
 - » Be eligible for and in receipt of ABSTUDY.
 - » Be accepted for enrolment as a boarder at an AIEF Partner School.
 - » Not be receiving any other scholarship.
 - » Be enthusiastic about attending school.
 - » Be likely to successfully complete Year 12.
 - » Be in financial need.
 - » Have parents/family that have demonstrated support and encouragement for the enrolment and the scholarship.
 - » Have parents/family that have committed to making a financial contribution to the expenses.
 - » Have a completed AIEF Scholarship Application Form.
 - » Have finished the school year at an AIEF Partner School.

If my/our child receives an offer of enrolment as a boarder at the school with AIEF Scholarship support, I/we consent to:

- AIEF receiving and storing contact, location, financial and other relevant personal information about myself/ourselves and my/our child.
- My/our child participating in AIEF Pathways Program activities including mentoring, career sessions, workshops and other activities, including if my/our child stops receiving an AIEF Scholarship at the school or otherwise leaves the school before completing Year 12.
- The school and AIEF contacting Centrelink on my/our behalf about ABSTUDY.
- AIEF receiving copies of school reports, NAPLAN results and other information relating to my/our child's curricular and co-curricular activities at the school, including their final examination results and tertiary entrance rank (ATAR/OP) statement, within three months of the date these results are released.
- AIEF disclosing and/or publishing information relating, but not limited to, my/our child's interests and achievements (academic or otherwise), and photos of my/our child for the purpose of reporting on their achievements, the school, the AIEF Scholarship Program and the AIEF Pathways Program. This includes the use of information and photos by AIEF stakeholders with AIEF's consent.

- AIEF disclosing and/or publishing information relating, but not limited to, my/our child's interests and achievements (academic or otherwise), and photos of my/our child for the purpose of reporting on their achievements, the school, the AIEF Scholarship Program and the AIEF Pathways Program. This includes the use of information and photos by AIEF stakeholders with AIEF's consent.
- AIEF disclosing information relating to my/our child, including personal information, to other AIEF Partner Schools.
- The school having authority to sign any other consents or undertakings on my/our behalf in relation to events or activities my/our child engages in at the school.

If my/our child receives an offer of enrolment as a boarder at the school with AIEF Scholarship support, I/we will:

- Enthusiastically support my/our child's participation in all school and AIEF activities, including the AIEF Pathways Program.
- Apply for and ensure that my/our child receives the maximum amount of ABSTUDY available each year, which is paid directly to the school, for as long as my/our child is enrolled at the school.
- Provide ATO Notices of Assessment and/or Centrelink Income Statements from the previous financial year, and provide these for each year that my/our child is enrolled at the school, or as requested by the school.
- Make a Parent Contribution paid directly to the school towards my/our child's educational expenses. This Contribution is calculated using the Scale of Parent Contribution.
- Contact the school if my/our financial circumstances change to discuss the value of my/our Parent Contribution.
- Set up and maintain financial arrangements to make the agreed Parent Contribution to the school (e.g. direct debit, Centrepay).
- Make myself/ourselves available, within a reasonable time, to communicate with school staff when required.
- Comply with the school's terms and conditions of enrolment in addition to AIEF's Terms and Conditions.
- Pay full school fees and associated costs to the school if any of the above conditions are not met.

I/we acknowledge that:

- If any of the scholarship conditions or Eligibility Criteria set out in Section I are not met on an ongoing basis AIEF is not required to fund any scholarship amount, and may recover any previously paid amounts from me/us. Please ensure you keep Section I of this form for future reference.

The terms and conditions of this agreement may change from time to time in line with the Privacy Act, Australian Privacy Principles and AIEF policies and procedures. Please contact AIEF if you would like a copy of the Australian Privacy Principles or to check whether any of the terms and conditions have changed.

I/we declare that the information I/we have supplied in this application form is true, accurate and complete and that I/we have supplied all required supporting documents such as ATO Notices of Assessment and/or Centrelink Income Statements.

Parent (1) *Signed: _____ *Dated: _____

*Name: _____

Parent (2) *Signed: _____ *Dated: _____

*Name: _____

*All fields marked with an * must be completed.*

AIEF Scholarship Application Form checklist

Please use this checklist to ensure that you have completed the AIEF Scholarship Application Form correctly and provided all of the additional information and documentation required.

1. The AIEF Scholarship Application Form is complete. ☐
2. The Student Statement on page 14 has been read, understood and signed. ☐
3. The Parent Statement on pages 22 and 23 has been read, understood and signed. ☐
4. I/we have attached copies of my/our ATO Notices of Assessment and/or Centrelink Income Statements for the previous financial year. ☐
5. I have removed Section 1: Information before sending the AIEF Scholarship Application Form to the school. ☐