



September 2015

Year 11 Academic Scholarships

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are delighted to be able to offer a maximum of twenty Academic Scholarships for 2016/17.

Applications are welcome from students currently in Year 11 at King Charles I School who will join the Sixth Form in September 2016.

Academic scholarships are awards of up to £100 to be used to support A Level academic study in Years 12 and 13 and agreed enrichment activities such as university summer schools in preparation for higher education.

The Scholarship is a very prestigious academic award and we have high expectations of our Scholars.

Criteria for Scholarship application

The annual award of a scholarship will be at the discretion of the headteacher. Students who have achieved 6 or more A*/A grades in GCSE subjects, which must include English and maths, are invited to apply for a scholarship of £100 and will be interviewed by the headteacher.

Scholars will be expected to routinely commit to an intellectual journey above and beyond the demands of public examinations.

Scholars are expected to consistently achieve high attainment grades in examinations and in their reports. We also recommend Scholars undertake the Extended Project Qualification in Year 12 to prepare them for their university studies.

Scholars will also be required to make a contribution to the academic life of the Sixth Form; this could be by acting as a subject mentor, ambassador or undertaking a Sixth Form committee role. We expect that all of those awarded the status of Scholar, will consistently fulfil the requirements for the retention of their scholarships and that the process of review will help them to meet and make the most of the status they have received.

All Academic Scholarships awarded in the year 2016/17 and thereafter will be subject to termly review.

Yours sincerely,

Bev Blackburn
Head of Sixth Form