What is it?

As part of our on-going commitment to excellence in student achievement, Western Cape College is pleased to offer annual scholarships to students in 2016. The scholarships are available to responsible young people prepared to strive for their personal best, who will become a credit to their families, and the College.

Scholarship Conditions

Students who apply for a Scholarship at Western Cape College must meet the clearly defined criteria as stated below. The student should demonstrate:

1. Commitment to the pursuit of excellence reflected in their dedication to achieve according to their potential.
2. Commitment to the leadership role that is implicit for all Scholarship holders. This includes being a positive role model for younger students through a commitment to their studies.
3. Understanding of the ambassadorial role of a Scholarship holder in representing the College.
4. Support for all aspects of the Uniform Dress Code reflected by wearing the College uniform with pride.
5. Support for all aspects of College life and a willingness to accept the broad range of opportunities offered at Western Cape College.
6. Commitment to the ethos of the College.

Available Scholarships

- 2 - Academic and Sporting Scholarships are available for students in each year level from years 7-12. 12 scholarships in total.
- 1 – VET Scholarship is available for students in each year level from 10-12. 3 scholarships in total
- 3 – WCC Spirit Scholarships are available for both Junior Secondary (7-9), and Senior Secondary (10-12). 6 scholarships in total
- 1 – WCC Leadership & Community Service Scholarships are available for both Junior Secondary (7-9), and Senior Secondary (10-12). 2 scholarships in total

How to apply?

Candidates are to complete the attached application form in their own handwriting, and include two references from a current teacher, and/or sporting coach, and/or co-curricular tutors. Each application should be accompanied by a personal resume, including most recent school report card, and may also include a sample of school work, copies of certificates, or references.

Send your applications to:-

Craig Law
Associate Principal
Western Cape College
Central Avenue
Weipa Qld 4874

The closing date for applications is 4:00pm Monday 15th February 2016.

Winners of the scholarships will be announced on Friday 26th February 2016. All applicants will receive a letter of thank-you and their scholarship applications returned.

Craig Law
Associate Principal Western Cape College
SECTION 1 – PERSONAL DETAILS

Student
Surname or family name ____________________________________  Given name(s) _____________________________

Address ___________________________________________________________________________________________
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Date of Birth _____________________________  School year level 2014 __________________________________________

Parent/Guardian/other (1)
Surname or family name ____________________________________  Given name(s) _____________________________

Relationship with student ___________________________________________________________________________

Home Telephone _______________________________ Work Telephone _______________________________________

Mobile _______________________________  Email _________________________________________

Parent/Guardian/other (2)
Surname or family name ____________________________________  Given name(s) _____________________________

Relationship with student ___________________________________________________________________________

Home Telephone _______________________________ Work Telephone _______________________________________

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I am applying for the following scholarship:-

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When completing this application, if necessary, please attach a separate page if the space provided is insufficient.
SECTION 2 - ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

Please list any particular academic awards/achievements you may have received, and outline your academic aspirations. Vocational Education scholarship applications should focus not only on vocational education subjects.

SECTION 3 - CONDUCT

If the review panel was to obtain a referee report on you regarding your conduct, what could they expect to hear?
SECTION 4 - LEADERSHIP & COMMUNITY SERVICE

Outline any recent leadership roles or positions you have held either at the College, or within the community e.g. School Captain, Student Representative, Student Ambassador, sports team; participation in school activities such as fundraising. (attach any supporting documentation ie. Certificates of appreciation/participation/awards)

SECTION 5 - SPORTING ACHIEVEMENTS

Please list any recent sporting awards/achievements you may have received, either through the College or within the community. Achievements outside of the College should be supported by documentation, ie. Certificates of participation, letters from coaches, etc.
SECTION 6 - CULTURAL

Please list any special skills or achievements in areas such as music, arts, public speaking, etc.

SECTION 7 - OTHER

Please give details if you belong to any clubs or groups in the College or community, including how long you have been associated with that club or group.
SECTION 8 - CONTRIBUTION TO WESTERN CAPE COLLEGE

In the previous sections, you have been able to demonstrate your achievement in particular areas, including academic, sporting, cultural, and community leadership. In what way do you see yourself contributing to the Western Cape College community and ethos?

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SECTION 9 – DECLARATION

I/We hereby declare that to the best of my/our knowledge all documentation and information submitted or made by me/us to the school is true, accurate and complete.

I/We understand and accept that Western Cape College reserves the right at any stage to withdraw a scholarship which has been offered on the basis of incorrect or incomplete information.

I/We understand and accept the conditions of the scholarship as set out in the Scholarship Expectations form included in this information pack.

Signature of applicant ___________________________ Date ________________

Signature of applicant's parent ____________________________________________ Date ___________________________
Students applying for a Western Cape College Scholarship should:-

- Demonstrate achievement in academics according to the student's potential to achieve.
- Demonstrate continued effort and sustained commitment to improving academic performance.
- Be prepared to participate in nominated school-based activities and events as notified.
- Show support to the leadership role that is implicit for all scholarship holders. This includes being a positive role model for younger students, displaying leadership by encouraging and supporting other students, and fostering group and school spirit. This also requires the student and parents to demonstrate support for the values of the College both at school and outside school.
- Show an awareness of, and appreciation for, school life and a willingness to accept the broad range of opportunities offered at Western Cape College.
- Be committed to the College ethos.

Parents or carers of students accepting a scholarship must be willing to:-

- Provide support to College/Campus activities by volunteering to assist in events and activities when possible.
- Be committed to the College ethos
- Support the student to ensure the above commitments are achieved.