

16+ Scholarships: Academic, Art, Drama, Modern Languages, Music, Sport & STEM

The Academic Scholarship (The Mary Tredway Award) is a 100% Scholarship for both years of Sixth Form studies. All candidates wishing to apply for The Mary Tredway Award (100% Academic Scholarship) will sit a General Scholarship Paper. The paper will challenge candidates to 'think outside the box' or to look at an issue from a different viewpoint. They will also be asked to give a 10-minute presentation on an intellectually engaging subject of their choice and answer questions based on their presentation from the panel.

Scholarships in Art, Drama, Modern Languages, Music, Sport and STEM are worth a discount of up to 20% of tuition fees are be awarded annually to successful internal and external girls with exceptional talent, dedication and potential. Successful candidates are required to study the subject-based scholarship at A Level. In the case of the STEM Scholarship, candidates would be expected to study at least two of the following A Levels: Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Mathematics and Physics.

All external applicants must complete the online scholarship application form by Friday 27th November 2020 and the registration form by Friday 4th December 2020. All candidates must submit a letter (written by the candidates themselves), accompanying their application form making a compelling case for why they are a strong candidate for a St Augustine's Priory Scholarship. Candidates are required to supply a copy of their predicted grades to the Registrar in January 2021 after they have completed their GCSE mock examinations.

Internal candidates

Internal candidates are strongly advised to consult with the Head of Department as to suitability as a candidate before submitting their application. All internal candidates who apply will be called to assessment.

Tenure

16+ Scholars are required to study the A Level(s) for the scholarship they have been awarded (except those who receive the Academic Scholarship). STEM Scholars must study two of the five available STEM subjects at A Level. Award winners are expected to fulfil prefect roles related to their scholarships.

Scholars will hold their awards until the end of the Upper VI.

Recipients of the Modern Languages Scholarship, who go on to study a modern language at university, will be given a small annual stipend for the duration of their undergraduate studies.

Guidelines for the 16+ scholarship process

	Submit with application and letter	External candidates only	Prepare in advance of the assessment	Assessment Day
Academic (The Mary Tredway Award)		Examples of any academic achievements to date.	Choose an intellectually engaging topic. Research and prepare presentation. If using a PowerPoint presentation, it must be submitted by Thursday 3rd December 2020	Sit Scholarship Paper (45 minutes). Give 10 minute presentation on chosen topic and answer Q & A from the panel.
Art	Provide copies or photographs of recent artwork.	Submit at least one reference from a current Art Teacher either inside or outside school.		Bring their GCSE sketchbooks from a visually creative subject, e.g. Art, Graphics, DT or Photography and any visual work they have produced outside of school. Undertake a 45 minute observational drawing test. Be interviewed by the Head of Art.
Drama	Provide copies of any drama production posters or booklets (in school or outside school) where the candidate has had a part in the performance.	Submit at least one reference from a current Drama Teacher either inside or outside school.	Choose and prepare two contrasting monologues, of no longer than two minutes.	Perform two contrasting monologues, of no longer than two minutes. Participate in a workshop with the other candidates, where they will be performing and verbally evaluating improvised drama. Write a short evaluation on a piece of drama. Be interviewed by the Head of Drama.
Modern Languages (<i>Le Chemin</i> <i>de Sainte</i> <i>Marie de</i> <i>Neuilly</i>)	Advise the Registrar of the language(s) that you will be presenting your chosen topic and which language scholarship paper you will be sitting (French, Russian or Spanish).		Choose an intellectually engaging topic. Research and prepare your presentation. If using a PowerPoint presentation, it must be submitted by Friday 29 th November 2019.	Sit the Modern Languages Scholarship Paper Give a 5-10 minute presentation on your chosen topic in one, or if they prefer, two of the school's modern languages (French, Russian or Spanish) and answer Q & A from the panel.

Music	Provide copies of any musical performance posters or booklets (in school or outside school) where the candidate has participated.	Submit at least one reference from a current Music Teacher either inside or outside school.	Select and practice two contrasting pieces on your main instrument. Accompaniment can be provided if the music is sent at least one week in advance of the audition. Accompaniment can be provided if the music is sent at least one week in advance of the audition.	During the audition each candidate will be required to perform two contrasting pieces on her main instrument. There will also be some sight-reading, aural tests. There will also be a range of aural tests, some basic sight-reading and a short viva voce. Be interviewed by the Director of Music.
STEM	Advise the Registrar of the STEM subject you have chosen for your written test and presentation. You may choose from: Biology, Chemistry, Computer Science, Mathematics and Physics		Research and prepare presentation based on the top- ic provided. The topic you will be given will be based on your chosen STEM subject. If using a PowerPoint presentation, it must be submitted by Thursday 3rd December 2020	Sit Scholarship Paper (45 minutes) on chosen STEM subject. Give 10 minute presentation on chosen topic and answer Q & A from the panel.
Sport	Provide details of sporting achievements inside or outside school (including team/club achievements).	Submit at least one reference from a current PE Teacher or Coach either inside or outside school.	Choose from a list of topics. Research and prepare your presentation. If using a PowerPoint presentation, it must be submitted by Thursday 3rd December 2020.	Give a 10-15 minute presentation on your chosen topic) and answer Q & A from the panel.