





Equity Scholarships

Siena College is committed to supporting families in need and we offer a range of Equity Scholarships to assist with tuition fees. Equity Scholarships are offered to students at all year levels and are awarded for the duration of their time at school if needed, and subject to funding availability. Equity Scholarships contribute 25% to 50% of tuition fees, based on need.

We seek to bridge the gaps of inequity that exist in our Nation, inviting all of our students to embrace with curiosity and joy, a multi cultural web of connection and right relationship with one another in this holistic learning environment, weaving a future of hope. Equity Scholarships are offered in the following categories:

- Indigenous Scholarship: It would be our hope to provide a First Nations student with an educational opportunity at Siena College which will enhance her own Songlines, as well as build our mutual pathways in diversity and shared understanding of our cultural heritage as custodians, archivists, songwriters and artists.
- Refugee Scholarship: Through this Scholarship, we would like to offer a Refugee student the chance to find her place and resonance in the world, and manifest hope for herself and her family from the backdrop of extreme adversity, as part of our Catholic solidarity with the vulnerable.
- · Alumnae Scholarship:

General Excellence Scholarships

Siena College offers several scholarships (from 25% to 50% of tuition fees) to students who demonstrate general excellence across their studies, involvement in community life and cocurricular activities, leadership and character. As a Catholic, Dominican school, Siena College is committed to educating the whole person, promoting a lifelong love of learning in a setting that allows students to flourish into empowered global citizens.

As a Dominican College we value study. Study enables us to search out and discern the truthifelPalltimes.ominican C

Accepting a General Excellence Scholarship

Following a successful interview with our Principal and member of the Leadership Team, Siena College may be in the position to provide you with a General Excellence Scholarship Offer. We request that you be prepared to accept this offer within two business days. All scholarship holders, together with their parents/guardians will be required to accept and sign a Scholarship Agreement that will detail the concession conditions. This will include committing to the Siena College values, program and expectations.

The Scholarship Agreement will also include details of the annual performance review.

To accept the Scholarship Offer, families who are not yet enrolled will be asked to make payment of a \$1,000 non refundable Confirmation of Enrolment Fee. Please note that should the student not take up their place, all application, enrolment and holding fees are non refundable and non transferable. Current Siena College students will not be required to pay the \$1,000 Confirmation of Enrolment Fee or the \$220 Siena College Application Fee.

Siena College requires receipt of the signed Scholarship Acceptance, in addition to all required documents as part of a standard enrolment:

Frequently Asked Questions

Does Siena College have a set number of General Excellence Scholarships to award every year?

The number of General Excellence scholarships on offer varies from year to year. The Principal will determine each year, in their absolute and sole discretion, the year levels in which the General Excellence Scholarship will be offered.

Does Siena College award a certain amount or percentage for their Scholarships?

Siena College may award from 25% to 50% of the tuition fee, and this amount can vary from student to student. Please note Siena College does not offer any full scholarships of 100% and any other levies or charges may be applicable.

If I have accepted a Scholarship Offer, but later change my mind, what happens?

Any fees paid are non refundable, and subsequently are forfeit. Please read our Scholarship Policy carefully.

Are the General Excellence Scholarship Academic Tests run by an external organisation?

Siena College engages the services of EduTest for all academic assessments. This company manages all applications

