



## **ENDEAVOUR SCHOLARSHIPS**

The Endeavour Scholarships are available annually to four boys of Maori or Pasifika descent. The process usually takes place during Term 2 or Term 3 of the school calendar year. Candidates who are currently in Year 6 are eligible and the Endeavour Scholarship covers their time at King's School in their Year 7 and Year 8 year groups.

The Endeavour Scholarship Programme is designed for students who display leadership potential and have all round ability. Applicants of this scholarship sit an entrance test and go through an interview process, which takes into account the overall ability of the candidate, his participation in cultural, sporting and community activities, as well as his school record.

When submitting applications, a passport-sized photograph is to be enclosed along with a copy of the candidate's most recent school report and a **copy** of his birth certificate. In addition, the Principal of your son's present school will be asked to complete a "Confidential Report Form" to be returned by his school to King's School at their earliest convenience.

As part of the selection process all candidates will be required to be at King's School to sit General Mathematic and Reading tests and to take part in sporting initiatives and one-on-one discussions. Parents are invited to attend to listen to an address from the Headmaster and tour the School, but will leave after this tour and return to collect their sons in the afternoon. After an application has been submitted an explanatory letter outlining the day will be sent to applicants' families.

Once results have been compiled (which takes up to two weeks) a shortlist of boys will be contacted and asked to attend an interview together with their parents. The interview date will be advised. Families of the four successful boys will be required to complete a confidential financial information form. Unsuccessful candidates will be advised in writing at this time.

This is a financial scholarship that includes tuition fees, uniform allowance and other expenses. The level of parental contribution will be independently assessed and based on the current financial position of the family.

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