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Christopher Whitehead Sixth Form is delighted to be able to offer up to 8 academic scholarships in the year 2019/20 to students who achieve 7 or more GCSEs at grade 8 or above.

Applications are welcome from eligible students on joining the sixth form in September 2019 and must be made via our academic **scholarship application form**, available at this link:

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=UrB3H2AcAUC3Ib_EZKRZw6YpMrsk9PhGikmKXjveAqFUQRQTUY4SDdJTEINU1NZSOE5TU9EWE1VQj4u .

Applications will be shortlisted based on the strength of the application and applicants will be interviewed, with the awards being made at the discretion of the Headteacher and/or the Head of Sixth Form. Successful applicants will then be able to apply for financial reimbursement during the academic year up to the value of £200 by returning an electronic **scholarship claim form**. The link to the electronic claim form will be sent to successful applicants upon approval of their application and can be submitted to the Head of Sixth Form at any point during year 12, as required. Claims made via this form will be considered on an individual basis. Students are advised to check with the Head of Sixth Form before committing to any purchases for which they wish to be reimbursed.

The scholarship funds are intended to support things such as the purchase of subject resources e.g. text books, revision guides, journal subscriptions etc. and agreed high quality enrichment activities such as university summer schools in preparation for Higher Education.

The Scholarship is more than simply a monetary grant, it is a very prestigious academic award and we have high expectations of our Scholars.

Scholars will be expected to make a contribution to the academic life of the Sixth Form; this could be by acting as a Subject Ambassador, House Ambassador, Student Council representative, or undertaking another leadership role as agreed by the Head of Sixth Form.

- Maintain an attendance figure of at least 90% to all registered sessions in school.
- Maintain high standards of punctuality.
- Achieve consistently positive effort grades in PMR reports.
- Play an active role in the wider life of the sixth form.

Review of scholarships

The deadline for applying for a scholarship for the academic year 2019/20 is **27th September 2019**. The award will be reviewed on receipt of each claim form throughout the year to ensure that the expectations of our scholars are being upheld with no student being guaranteed to retain the privilege.