SMSHS Year 12 2018 Scholarship Opportunities

Every year the school offers a number of scholarships that Year 12 students may apply for - the Bernie Shepherd Award; the Bill Eason Award and the James Rowe Award.



The Bernie Shepherd Award is presented annually to a HSC student who, in the opinion of the school community, has consistently displayed an exemplary attitude towards their studies in the science and technology areas while at the same time demonstrating a significant contribution to the development of the local community or the school community of St Marys Senior High School.

Criteria - The successful applicant should address the following:

- 1. Outstanding performance in a minimum of three subjects in the science and technology fields.
- 2. Demonstrated commitment to the school community of St Marys Senior High School or their local community. This may be derived from a variety of fields, including:
 - a) Student leadership
 - b) School service
 - c) Community service

The Bill Eason Award is presented annually to a HSC student who, in the opinion of the school community, has consistently displayed an exemplary attitude towards their studies in the humanities area while at the same time demonstrating a significant contribution to the development of the school community of St Marys Senior High School.

Criteria - The successful applicant should address the following:

- 1. Outstanding performance in a minimum of three subjects in the humanities field.
- 2. Demonstrated commitment to the school community of St Marys Senior High School or their local community. This may be derived from a variety of fields, including:
 - a) Student leadership
 - b) School service
 - c) Community service

The James Rowe Award was instituted in 2012 and is presented annually to an HSC student who is pursuing a career as a teacher in education. The successful applicant needs to demonstrate a passion and commitment to teaching as well as being interested or involved in social change and have consistently displayed an exemplary attitude towards their studies.

Criteria - The successful applicant should address the following:

- 1. Outstanding performance in a minimum of three subjects.
- 2. Demonstrated commitment to the pursuit of a career in teaching. This is demonstrated by enrolment in a teaching degree at university. Areas to address in your application:
 - a) Passion and commitment to teaching
 - b) Interest and action in social change

To apply for the Bernie Shepherd, Bill Eason or James Rowe Awards

Please submit a written application to Danielle Ervine by Friday October 19, 2018.

The application should be no more than FOUR A4 typed pages in length (12 point font size and 1.5 line spacing) and address ALL of the criteria listed for the relevant award.