

THE JAMES & EVELYN GANE SCHOLARSHIP

*Established by the Late Miss Grace Margaret Gane, Speech Therapist of Christchurch
who died on 6 May 2003*

The late Miss Grace Gane provided funds to set up the scholarship fund in memory of her grandfather James Gane who farmed in Marlborough and in memory of her mother, Evelyn Edith Gane. In her Will she wanted the funds given to the Board of Trustees of Nelson College for Girls to enable them to provide scholarships or assistance to worthy country children to obtain a good secondary education from the income.

CONDITIONS OF AWARD

The Board of Trustees of Nelson College for Girls offer for competition a Scholarship open to any girl from a rural background who wishes to enter Nelson College for Girls as a new boarder.

The Scholarship is tenable for up to five years but is subject to annual review and renewal at the discretion of the Trustees.

The value of the Scholarship is 50% of the current boarding fee for each year the Scholarship is held.

Conditions

1. The Scholarship will be awarded annually, as funds allow.
2. The criteria for selection will be the areas of academic ability, leadership, character, breadth of interests and likely contribution to school and boarding life but with general emphasis on all-round ability.
3. Selected applicants may be required to visit Nelson for interview and character information.
4. Applicants must have received an offer of a place in boarding before the closing date for this Scholarship.
5. Scholarships will be awarded as follows:
 - (a) Regional – preference given to Marlborough, Golden Bay, West Coast and Wairarapa
 - (b) Year levels - maximum of two at Years 9 and 10
 maximum of two at Years 11 to 13
6. Completed application forms should be returned to:

The Principal
Nelson College for Girls
PO Box 842
Nelson 7040

Or her Personal Assistant:
Mrs Rosemary Mackinnon
OR
Email: admin@ncg.school.nz

Please attach a
passport sized
photo

Nelson College for Girls
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APPLICATION FORM

Contact Information (parent / caregiver to complete)	
Parents / Caregivers Name:	
Postal address:	
Email address:	
Phone Number / s	
Student's Family Name:	
Student's First Name/s:	
Student's Date of Birth:	
Year of entry into boarding	20
Year level at entry into boarding	9 10 11 12 13 (please circle one)
Date of boarding place offer letter	

Academic Information (student to complete)	
Secondary School Attended: <i>(include years)</i>	
Primary / Intermediate School Attended <i>(include years)</i>	
Distinctions: Academic, Sporting or Cultural	

Financial Information (parents / caregiver to complete)

Financial assistance being received or expected: <i>(other scholarships, bursaries, awards, student allowances, etc)</i>	
Please attach a brief outline of how this scholarship will help towards the student's studies	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>(tick when attached)</i>

Personal Information (student to complete)

Please attach a written presentation of no more than 200 words outlining your involvement in school and community activities.	<input type="checkbox"/> <i>(tick when attached)</i>
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References

Two confidential letters of reference are required to support your application. One must be a reference from your school. The referees should send their reference direct to The Principal at Nelson College for Girls.

Please provide the name, title, address, phone number and email address for each of your referees:

Referee 1:	Referee 2:

Declaration:
 I declare that the information contained in and provided in connection with this application is true and correct. **I acknowledge that giving false or misleading information is a serious offence.**

STUDENT Signature:	Date:
Name:	
PARENT Signature:	Date:
Name:	

Please submit your application to Nelson College for Girls no later than 4.30 pm on Monday 11 October 2010.

Candidates shall submit applications directly to the following address:

The Principal, Nelson College for Girls PO Box 842, Nelson 7040	OR Email: admin@ncg.school.nz
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PRIVACY PROVISIONS

The information requested in this application form and your academic record will be used solely for the purposes of assessing your application for the Scholarship(s) for which you are applying. Personal information contained in this application will be made available to members of the Selection Committee for this award, the membership for which is detailed in the award regulations.

Nelson College for Girls undertakes to store your application in a secure place in the event that you are successful in gaining an award or are selected as a reserve candidate for an award, and to destroy your application to preserve its confidentiality in the event that you are unsuccessful in gaining an award.

Should you have reason to believe that information held about you in either your application or your academic record is incorrect, you have the right of access to, and correction of, that information.

Personal references from the persons you have named are obtained on the strict understanding that they are confidential, and you may not have access to those reports without the written authorisation of the author.

I, agree to the above conditions with respect to my scholarship application(s) to Nelson College for Girls.

Signed: Date:

ADVICE TO APPLICANTS

Applications must arrive by the date shown on the application form. No undertaking is given to accept late applications.

It is your responsibility to contact your referees, and ask them to send their references to Nelson College for Girls. References should be clearly marked with your name and the name of the scholarship(s) for which you are applying. Referees should **not** be asked to send their references to you, as they must have the opportunity to be completely frank. Non receipt of referees reports or incomplete applications may prejudice your eligibility.

If requested, please do not send original birth certificates or other original documents. Send only copies that have been certified by a J.P., a solicitor, or a staff member in the college registry. Nelson College for Girls accepts no responsibility to return original documents.

Please send your application with all pages attached with ONE staple in the top left hand corner. **All pages should be A4 size.**

If you have any queries regarding your eligibility or how to apply, please contact the Principal's Office on 03 548 3104 or admin@ncg.school.nz