

5 October 2022

## **SFMS Scholarship – Open for Applications for Academic Year 2023**

St Francis Methodist School is currently accepting applications for the SFMS Scholarship for the Academic Year 2023.

The SFMS Scholarships were instituted with the following objectives:

- To recognise outstanding St Francians with outstanding academic and Co-AP achievements and a track record of service to others
- To support the development of talented St Francians to reach their fullest potential as leaders and scholars who will vie for scholarships and places in universities of repute around the world
- To establish St Francis Methodist School as an institution for talents regardless of economic standing

### **Value and Terms of the SFMS Scholarship**

- The SFMS Scholarship is valued at **\$7000**, tenable for 1 year (award of a scholarship in subsequent years will require a new application and evaluation, and subject to continued good conduct and academic performance).
- SFMS Scholars must complete their education through to and including Year 12 in St Francis Methodist School.
- SFMS Scholars will uphold and espouse school values and be role models and ambassadors of SFMS.
- SFMS Scholars will actively contribute to the school, in areas including but not limited to leadership and community service, publicity and marketing, and school events.
- SFMS Scholars will sign an Acceptance Agreement undertaking to abide by the terms of the award and the rules of conduct of a SFMS Scholar.
- SFMS reserves the right to withdraw the scholarship in the event of misconduct of the scholar.

### **Eligibility Criteria**

Applicants for the SFMS Scholarship should meet the following criteria:

- a) Have outstanding academic achievements
- b) Have good Co-AP, service and leadership track records
- c) Be of good conduct
- d) Have excellent recommendations from teachers
- e) Have been a student of SFMS for at least one semester (by 31 December 2022)

## Application

- Application forms can be downloaded from the SFMS website (Download Centre → Student Services → SFMS Scholarship Application Form).
- Each application requires an accompanying recommendation from an SFMS teacher of the student's choice.
- Completed applications, with all required supporting documents (pdf or jpeg format), must be submitted to Ms Du Yingqi ([yingqi@sfms.edu.sg](mailto:yingqi@sfms.edu.sg)) by 5pm on **17 October 2022**.
- Incomplete and/or late applications will not be considered.

## Approval and Notification of Applicants

- Short-listed applicants will be required to appear for an interview from October – November 2022. Interview dates and times will be disseminated to these applicants.
- Successful applicants will be informed in writing.
- The decision of the school is final.

## Important Note:

- St Francis Methodist School reserves the right to amend the eligibility criteria pertaining to the SFMS Scholarship as and when it deems necessary.
- SFMS Scholars are responsible for notifying the school in writing regarding any change in their academic and non-academic undertakings within St Francis Methodist School.

## Further Enquiries

All further enquiries on the SFMS Scholarship may be directed to Ms Choo Hung Yee ([hungyee@sfms.edu.sg](mailto:hungyee@sfms.edu.sg)).

# ST FRANCIS METHODIST SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP

## Application for Academic Year 2023



### TO THE APPLICANT

Complete Sections I – VIII of this form.

Your personal statement as well as at least one recommendation from an SFMS teacher are required with this application.

All required supporting documents (as specified in the checklist on page 3) should be submitted with your completed application form to Ms Du Yingqi ([yingqi@sfms.edu.sg](mailto:yingqi@sfms.edu.sg)) by **17 October 2022**. Incomplete and/or late applications will not be considered.

Section I: Personal Particulars		
Name:	Date of birth (DD/MM/YYYY):	
Class:	Name of CT:	Initial year of enrolment in SFMS:
Student's pass number:	Nationality:	
Email:	Contact number:	
Address of current residence (in Singapore):		
Name of other scholarships held (if any, incl. SFMS Scholarship):	Year(s) held:	
Name of other bursaries held (if any, incl. SFMS Scholarship):	Year(s) held:	

Section II: Particulars of Immediate Family Members				
Name	Relationship	Age	Occupation	Country of residence

Section III: Academic Record					
2022 SFMS Mid-Year Examination Results			2022 SFMS Year-End Examination Results		
			for official use only		
Subject		Marks (in %)	Subject		Marks (in %)
1			1		
2			2		
3			3		
4			4		
5			5		
6			6		
7			7		
8			8		
9			9		

Section IV: Co-AP, Service and Leadership Record (include activities outside SFMS <u>in Singapore</u> )				
Year	Duration	Name of activity	Description of activity	Position held

Section V: Competitions and Other Awards (highlight your more outstanding achievements <u>in Singapore</u> )		
Year	Description	Achievement

**Section VI: Record of Conduct**

No. of demerit points received in 2021:	for official use only		
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Verified	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Section VII: Declaration by Applicant**

I declare that:

- 1 I have not knowingly provided false information or deliberately withheld any material fact or information in this application.
- 2 I understand that if any entry is false or incomplete, my application will be rejected, and if I am awarded the scholarship, it may be withdrawn.
- 3 My parent (Name of parent: \_\_\_\_\_, Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_) is aware of the terms of the SFMS Scholarship has consented to my present application.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Section VIII: Personal Statement of applicant**

**Question 1**

- a) What do you feel you have gained from your education so far and what are you looking for now?
- b) What goals have you have set for yourself and how do you plan to achieve them?

**Question 2**

- a) What in your opinion, has been your greatest achievement and your worst failure?
- b) Why would you make a good SFMS Scholar?

**You may choose either to answer Question 1 OR Question 2 as your personal statement.  
Your personal statement should be between 400 – 500 words long  
and must be attached with your scholarship application.**

**Checklist: Required documents to be attached with this application**

(scanned documents should be in pdf or jpeg format)

<input type="checkbox"/>	Your personal statement
<input type="checkbox"/>	At least one recommendation from an SFMS teacher
<input type="checkbox"/>	Any other relevant supporting documents (certificates of service activities, leadership, awards/achievements etc)

For Official Use				
Date of receipt of application:		All required documents received:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes
			<input type="checkbox"/>	No
Preliminary evaluation of application				
Shortlisted for interview:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No
Interview date:		Reason:		
Interview time:				
Result of application				
Recommendation of evaluation panel:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Recommended for scholarship	<input type="checkbox"/>	Not recommended
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Recommended for bursary		
	Remarks:			
Principal's endorsement:				
	_____		_____	
	Mr Wong Lok Oon (signature)		Date	
Approving committee's endorsement:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Approved for scholarship	<input type="checkbox"/>	Not approved
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Approved for bursary		
Final outcome:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Awarded scholarship	<input type="checkbox"/>	No award
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Awarded bursary		