

PASSPORT PHOTO FORMAT (Minimum 35x45mm)

# **APPLICATION FOR ENROLMENT – OVERSEAS STUDENTS**

This application form is intended for students who wish to make an application and will attend on a student visa.

## CHECKLIST

- \$380.00 (AUD) Application fee (non-refundable). Cheque to Knox Grammar School or Credit Card details
- $\times$  A copy of applicant's birth certificate and passport.
- If applicant is already at school, a copy of his two most recent school reports and NAPLAN results (if available).
- If applicant was born or educated overseas, a copy of his current passport, visa details or extract of Australian citizenship and AEAS English assessment.
- Attach two written family references.
- Signatures for both parents/guardians along with acceptance of the Privacy Policy.

So that we can process your application, please ensure you submit all pages of the application form and supporting documentation

Thank you for your interest in enrolling your son as a student at Knox Grammar School. This application form along with the Enrolment Application Fee is to allow the School to consider offering a place to you for your son to attend the School. Completion of this form does not guarantee a place at the School.

Please carefully read this form and, in particular, the Conditions of Enrolment and the Fee information. If an offer of a place at the School is made to you, you will be required to agree to and sign the then current Conditions of Enrolment in order to accept that offer.

## HOW TO SUBMIT YOUR FORM

#### **EMAIL**

enrol@knox.nsw.edu.au

#### POST

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NAME OF BOY	BOY'S BACKGROUND INFO	ΒΜΛΤΙΩΝΙ
Given names	Student's residency status	
uvennames	Student's residency status	
Surname	Overseas student	
oununo	Temporary resident	
Date of birth		
	Please provide proof of citizenship for	
Country of birth	The following documents are accepte Copy of Passport	d:
	Copy of Extract of	Citizenshin
Nationality		e of Citizenship by Descent
	If born overseas, on what date did the	
Religion		
Place of worship	For Australian born citizens, if the sture or more years, on what date did the s	-
Admission in year group		
Please note, we are not registered by NESA or CRICOS to enrol overseas students for primary school (K-6)	If the student already holds an Austra provide a copy of the Visa Grant Notic	
	If this is not the student's first enrolm	
	school, what was the student's first da Australian school?	ate of enrolment at an
Admission type	Australian school:	
Boarder		
Year of entry	Are you aware of any social, emotion	
	special medical or learning needs whi ability to take full advantage of the pr	
Present school and year level (if applicable)	Failure to disclose any relevant inform enrolment, or continuation of enrolme	
	Please indicate below, and provide do	cumentation if applicable:
Child's <b>current residential</b> address. This information is required for government compliance - the School must be notified if the child's	Gifted	Support program in numeracy
	English as second	Integration*
	language	
	Support program in literacy	Medical conditions
	Other (please specify below)	
Parent signature to certify this is the child's current residential address.		
Date of signature		

Date of signature

\*Integration is program support for a disability or impairment

### (BOY'S BACKGROUND INFORMATION CONTINUED)

Has the boy had a brother at Knox Grammar School? ( <i>Give name, last year attended and House</i> )	Is the boy the son of an Old Boy? (Give name of OKG, final year and House)
Does the boy have a brother at Knox Grammar School at present? (Give name, year group and House)	Is the boy the grandson of an Old Boy? (Give name of OKG, final year and House)
Does the boy have a brother with a place at Knox Grammar School? <i>(Give name, year of entry)</i>	Is there any other connection with Knox Grammar School?

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# PARENTS' PARTICULARS

The student resides with:			If natural parents are not living to section below. ( <i>This is important ir and embarrassment</i> ).	gether please complete the formation to help avoid confusion	
Both Parents	Guardian	I	Parents Separated	Parents Divorced	
Mother	Father		Mother Deceased	Father Deceased	
Please attach copies of any Family Co	urt or other court order.	<i>S</i> .	Mother Remarried	Father Remarried	
PARENT/GUARDIAN A			PARENT/GUARDIAN B		
Relationship to boy:			Relationship to boy:		
Mother F	ather	Guardian	Mother	Father Guardian	
Given names <i>Mr / Mrs / Ms / Miss /</i>	′ Dr / Rev (circle)		Given names <i>Mr / Mrs / Ms / Miss</i>	s / Dr / Rev (circle)	
Surname			Surname		
Occupation			Occupation		
Employer			Employer		
Home address			Home address		
Telephone (home)	Telephone (work)		Telephone (home)	Telephone (work)	
Mobile			Mobile		
Email address			Email address		

# PARENT REFERENCES

The **written** Parent References must focus on the parents themselves, and include the length of time (a minimum of five years) that each referee has known and interacted with the family of the student.

They must not be close relatives. Church references are welcome. Please also provide the names, full addresses and contact details for the two referees below.

#### **PARENT REFERENCE 1**

Given names *Mr / Mrs / Ms / Miss / Dr / Rev (circle)* 

Surname

Home address

Telephone (home)

Mobile

#### PARENT REFERENCE 2

Given names Mr / Mrs / Ms / Miss / Dr / Rev (circle)

Surname

Home address

Telephone (home)

Mobile

## PAYMENT

#### **CHEQUE**

Please make cheque payable to Knox Grammar School.

#### **CREDIT CARD**

Please charge my credit card \$380.00 (AUD)

Mastercard	Visa	American Express
Name of cardholder		
Card number		
Expiry date	-	-
Signature		

SIGNATURES

Both Parents or Guardians (Responsible For Fees) must sign below in order for this application to be processed.

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We:

- Apply to have our son considered for enrolment at Knox Grammar School;
- Have read the information contained within this Application for Enrolment;
- Understand that we will need to agree to the then current Conditions of Enrolment to accept an offer for a place at the School;
- Confirm that the information contained in the Application for Enrolment is accurate and complete and that the supporting documentation has not been altered in any way and we agree to keep the School informed of any changes;
- Understand the Policy regarding refund of fees for Overseas Students

PARENT/GUARDIAN A

Date

**PARENT/GUARDIAN B** 

Date

Overseas students must sign below in order for this application to be processed.

# **ENROLMENT PROCESS - OVERSEAS STUDENTS**

This enrolment information is relevant to students with an International background, including students from schools outside Australia, and is not determined by the residential status of the student.

In order to be considered for enrolment at Knox Grammar School, International Students are required to:

- Fully complete an Application for Enrolment form signed by BOTH parents
- Pay the Application Fee (currently \$380.00)
- Provide a copy of the student's birth certificate, translated into English if necessary
- Provide a copy of the information page from the student's passport
- Provide a copy of the visa page from the student's passport or the visa paperwork, if applicable
- Provide a copy of the student's latest school report, translated into English if necessary
- Provide evidence of English language fluency

\* Students whose first language is not English are required to have their readiness for entry into the School supported by an AEAS Test report. Register for an AEAS Test at <u>https://aeas.com.au/howto-register</u>. The AEAS report must accompany the Application for Enrolment, or may be requested by the School prior to an offer of a place being made.

If the application is complete, and a place is available in the grade and the year requested, the applicant will receive a letter or email from the Head of Enrolments, or the Overseas Student Coordinator (OSC), offering a provisional place.

To progress the application, the applicant will receive an invitation to attend an Enrolment interview for their son with the Headmaster, Head of Enrolments and/or Head of Knox Boarding, after which an offer of enrolment may be made by the School.

## AEAS TESTING AND INTENSIVE ENGLISH LANGUAGE STUDY

Students whose first language is not English are required to have their readiness for entry into the School supported with a satisfactory AEAS Test report.

The results required are:

- For entry to Year 7 AEAS 70
- For entry to Year 8-10 AEAS 75
- For entry to Year 11 AEAS 80

As the AEAS levels required by the School are high, students may need to undertake an English Language Intensive Courses for Overseas Students (ELICOS) prior to commencement. The School recommends International House Sydney (IHSydney), and Macquarie Education Group Australia (MEGA), in Sydney, and Avalon College, in Victoria.

## FORMALISATION OF ENROLMENT

Following review of an Application for Enrolment, if a position is available, and the applicant is successful, a Confirmation of Enrolment and offer of a place will be made with a Written Agreement being issued.

To accept the position, the School requires the following:

- 1. Payment of the Enrolment fee (currently \$A2620.00) and the Entrance fee (currently \$A2300.00); Total payable \$A4920.00 (2019 fees schedule)
- 2. A signed copy of the Overseas Student Written Agreement letter
- 3. A signed copy of the Conditions of Enrolment and Continuing Enrolment – Overseas Students

The offer of a place for the student is open for a period of 30 days.

In accordance with Australian Immigration guidelines and time frames, an electronic Confirmation of Enrolment (eCoE) and Confirmation of Approved Accommodation and Welfare Arrangements (CAAW), will be issued to enable the student to apply for a student visa to enter Australia.

Approximately one month prior to commencement an invoice for one semester's fees will be sent and this payment must be paid prior to the student's commencement at the School.

Tuition fees and other charges are subject to change and may vary from year to year. Any increase in fees during the period of study will apply to both new and continuing students.

# CONDITIONS OF ENROLMENT AND CONTINUING ENROLMENT

### **Overseas students - (CRICOS 00399E)**

These Conditions are to be agreed to by parents or guardians when they accept an offer of a place for a child at the School.

#### FEES AND OTHER CHARGES

- 01. We agree to pay the School all fees for tuition, boarding, extra subjects, excursions, camps, cadets, facilities and the supply of goods and services (including insurance for laptop computers) to the student as determined by the School Council and as published in the Schedule of Fees from time to time.
- 02. All fees are payable within 14 days of the date of the account. We understand that accounts for fees will normally be sent to us in January, April and July each year.
- 03. The School may suspend or terminate the enrolment of a student whose fees are in arrears. We understand that the student will not be permitted to return to School for another term if the fees for the previous billing are unpaid. In addition, the School may charge an additional fee where fees are paid after the due date to compensate the School for the loss that it has suffered because the fees were not paid by the due date.
- 04. A full terms notice in writing must be given to the Headmaster before any student is removed. The notice must be given no later than one week prior to the end of the preceding term. If this notice is not given, we agree to pay ONE term's fees in lieu of notice.
- 05. We understand that no remission of fees, either in whole or in part, will be made if the student is absent due to illness, leave or suspension.
- 06. We authorise the School to incur expenditure on our behalf such as purchases of books, stationery and equipment, and to advance such fares from time to time as the School considers necessary.

#### POLICY REGARDING REFUND OF FEES FOR OVERSEAS STUDENTS

- 07. Student visa application rejected: The School will refund within 28 days all enrolment and tuition fees where the student produces evidence that the application made by the student for a student visa has been rejected by the Australian Immigration authorities.
- 08. Student does not commence studies at Knox after completing the enrolment process: The student's Application Fee and 50% of the Entrance Fee will be retained by the school. All other fees will be refunded in full.
- 09. Student leaves Knox prior to the completion of studies and without giving one terms notice: The school will retain the current terms fees and an additional terms fees. All other fees paid in advance will be refunded in full.

# RIGHT TO FURTHER REFUNDS AND LEGAL REDRESS AGAINST THE SCHOOL

- 10. Under Australia's consumer protection laws an Overseas Student may take legal action against the school to recover other fees already paid in addition to those already refunded as mentioned above.
- 11. An Overseas Student may also take legal action against the school in relation to alleged defects in schooling or on other grounds in accordance with Australia's consumer protection and other laws.

 The Overseas Students Ombudsman investigates complaints about problems that overseas students have with private education and training in Australia. The Ombudsman's services are free, independent and impartial. Contact details (for further information & complaints) Web: www.oso.gov.au

Email: ombudsman@ombudsman.gov.au

#### **EXPECTATIONS AND BEHAVIOUR**

- 13. We understand that our acceptance of the School's offer of a place for the student implies that he will complete his schooling at the School (and, where he is enrolled as a boarder, as a boarder) unless unforeseen circumstances arise.
- 14. We acknowledge that the School is built on the foundations of Faith, Wisdom, Integrity, Compassion and Courage, and on the behaviours and attitudes that these qualities engender. We agree that all communication between students, parents, visitors and staff members should be conducted in a courteous and respectful manner and where, between us and the School, using appropriate channels. We agree to avoid confrontation and criticism in public and accept that there is no place in the School community for sarcasm, derogatory remarks, inappropriate familiarity or offensive comments.
- 15. We agree to support the ethos and to abide by the policies and rules of the School as set out in the appropriate publications such as the Parents' and Students' Handbooks and yearbooks and as published from time to time at the Headmaster's discretion. We note that the student must do the same and we agree to encourage him in this. We have particularly noted the School's requirements for discipline, home study, attendance and leave.
- 16. If the student is a boarder, we agree to abide by those rules governing the boarding house, including leave provisions, as set out in the Boarders' Handbook and as published by the Boarding Housemaster. We note that the student must do the same and we agree to encourage him in this.
- 17. We accept the School's discipline policy contained in the students' School Diary, the Student Handbook and other relevant documents. We agree to support the administration of the School's discipline policy. In particular, we accept that the Headmaster (or his delegate) may in his absolute discretion, but subject to affording the student procedural fairness, suspend or dismiss the student:
  - (a) for breaches of rules or discipline; or
  - (b) for behaviour prejudicial to the welfare of the School, its staff or students
- 18. We accept that the School may determine which particular courses and activities are offered and/or provided at any time and which of these courses and activities are compulsory. All students must participate in and/or attend the following activities, as determined by the Headmaster:
  - (a) religious education classes and Chapel;
  - (b) co-curricular activities including all school camps and Cadets in Year 9;
  - (c) the School sports program including twice weekly training, playing when chosen, and supporting school teams as required - both after normal school hours and on Saturdays;
  - (d) important School functions such as Presentation Day, Anzac Day and other events as required by the Headmaster from time to time;
  - (e) various excursions that occur from time to time as an integral part of the School curriculum.

- 19. We acknowledge that the Headmaster may, by giving us reasonable notice, ask us to remove the student from the School at the end of a school year where the student has, in the Headmaster's opinion, failed to meet the requirements of the New South Wales Education Standards Authority.
- 20. We understand that the School requires parents to be actively involved in the School through attendance at parent-teacher interviews and parent forums, participation in courses offered by the School relevant to the student's education and assistance to the School in a voluntary capacity from time to time.
- 21. We agree that the Headmaster may exclude a student if the Headmaster considers that a mutually beneficial relationship of trust and cooperation between us and the School has broken down to the extent that it adversely impacts on that relationship.

#### **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

- 22. We acknowledge that we have fully disclosed any special needs (including but not limited to any medical, physical, learning or psychological needs) of the student. Where any disclosed special needs change or where any special needs arise, we agree to notify the School immediately. We also agree to complete the student's medical form accurately and provide annual updates for the School.
- 23. If the student is ill or injured, necessitating urgent hospital and/or medical treatment (for example injections, blood transfusions, surgery) and if we are not readily available to authorise such treatment, we authorise the Headmaster or, in his absence, a responsible member of the School staff, to give the necessary authority for such treatment. We agree to pay all medical and ambulance expenses incurred on behalf of the student.
- 24. We acknowledge that the School seeks to maintain an environment that is safe for all students and in which learning can take place. We also acknowledge that to this end the Headmaster or his nominee may search the student's possessions including bag, locker, mobile devices, computers and storage devices or other possessions where there are reasonable grounds to do so.
- 25. We understand that the School requires parents and visitors to observe School security procedures for the protection of students from direct contact with those outside the School during school hours and that we are only to make contact through the School office.
- 26. We acknowledge that the student's personal property is not insured by the School which does not accept any responsibility for loss or damage.

#### LEAVE

27. We understand that requests for leave from School activities, including academic and co-curricular programs, and for early departure at the end of term and/or late return from breaks are considered only in the most extreme cases and must be applied for in advance in writing to the Headmaster.

#### **PRIVACY**

28. We acknowledge that the School may from time to time collect personal information about parents and students which may be necessary for the School's function or activities. We authorise the School to use and disclose information in such a manner as the Headmaster may deem appropriate for the purposes of the student's education, health, care, welfare or development. We acknowledge having read the School's Privacy Policy and Standard Collection Notice. We give permission for photographs and videos of the student to be placed in the School's records, displayed from time to time around the School, be published in School publications, on its website, in the media, online in various forms including on social media and blogs and in other marketing and promotional material

29. Where relevant, we agree to provide to the School all current Family Court or other court orders relating to us and the student. We note that the School's Privacy Policy deals with the confidentiality of such information.

#### **PRIVACY POLICY**

31. For information regarding Knox Grammar School's compliance with the Privacy Act, please refer to our Privacy Policy which may be downloaded via the website.

## POLICIES

The policies referred to in these Conditions of Enrolment may be downloaded via the website: www.knox.nsw.edu.au/policies.

# FEES FOR 2022 - KNOX GRAMMAR SCHOOL - FULL FEE PAYING OVERSEAS STUDENTS

International students who attend Knox Grammar School on a Student Visa are required to pay the full fee paying overseas student fee. (CRICOS Provider Code 00399E)

The Schedule of Fees is set by the School Council and is reviewed annually.

#### **TUITION FEES 2022**

#### Senior School

YEAR LEVEL	PER INSTALMENT (x3)	PER ANNUM
7 - 10	\$13,850	\$41,550
11 - 12	\$14,637.50	\$43,912.50

Please note, we are not registered by NESA or CRICOS to enrol overseas students for primary school (K-6). It is the School's policy to enrol overseas students as Boarder students at the Senior School level from Years 7 to 12.

#### **OUTDOOR EDUCATION / CADETS**

YEAR LEVEL	PER INSTALMENT (x3)	PER ANNUM
7 - 10 (Compulsory Charge)	\$440	\$1,320

Outdoor education apparel and equipment, such as sleeping bags, back packs, hiking shoes and Cadet uniform are also required and are to be provided by the student at their own cost. The School provides approved equipment lists. Some items are available for purchase from the School and the School and also has recommended suppliers.

#### **TECHNOLOGY LEVY**

YEAR LEVEL	PER INSTALMENT (x3)	PER ANNUM
Years 7-12 (Compulsory Charge)	\$260	\$780

#### **BOARDING (IN ADDITION TO TUITION)**

YEAR LEVEL	PER INSTALMENT (x3)	PER ANNUM
All Levels	\$10,835	\$32,505*

\*Includes GST of \$705.00

The Boarding fee covers all meals and laundry services etc during term time.

#### **VOLUNTARY BUILDING FUND (TAX DEDUCTIBLE)**

YEAR LEVEL	PER INSTALMENT (x3)	PER ANNUM
Per family	\$300	\$900

Please consider your contribution as an opportunity to support the current generation of Knox students whilst 'giving back' to future Knox generations.

#### **PAYMENT POLICY**

All School fees and other charges are due and payable at the time specified on the account being rendered unless other arrangements are agreed with the School.

Transactions using Visa/Mastercard attract a surcharge of 0.5% and Amex 1.5%

Fees not paid by the due date will attract an administration fee.

SCHOOL FEE ACCOUNT	STATEMENT ISSUED	DUE DATE
1st instalment	January 2022	28 January 2022
2nd instalment	April 2022	6 May 2022
3rd instalment	July 2022	12 August 2022

#### **APPLICATION, ENROLMENT AND ENTRANCE FEES<sup>#</sup>**

FEE DESCRIPTION	FEE
Application Fee (to be sent with Application)	\$380*
Enrolment Fee	\$2,620
Entrance Fee (two years prior to commencement)	\$2,300

\* Includes GST of \$34.55

# Please refer to the Refund Policy for Overseas Students

## ADDITIONAL FEES AND COSTS

#### **HSC STUDY CAMP, HOLIDAY ACCOMMODATION**

Accommodation is available during the September holiday break for boarders in Year 11 and Year 12 only, for an additional fee. One term's notice is required if you wish your son to stay in the Boarding Centre for this program. Full details and tariff's available on request.

\$1,700 for 17 nights or \$110 per night

Approximate Fee, including service fees and meals

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HIGHER SCHOOL CERTIFICATE (HSC)	
The New South Wales Government Education Standards Authority (NESA) charges overseas students an administration and marking fee to cover costs associated with the Higher School Certificate (HSC). This is paid once only, usually when the student is in Year 12.	\$1,251 for 2022 HSC students
BUILDING FUND	
This is a voluntary donation of \$300 with each fee account to support ongoing improvements to our existing buildings and new developments.	\$900 per year
TECHNOLOGY LEVY	
All students in Years 7 -12 are issued with a school owned laptop device. A compulsory technology levy is payable to cover supply, insurance and maintenance. Students must use a School device and may not use a personal device.	Years 7-12 - \$780 per year
PRINT CHARGES	

Printing charge - a printing account is set up for students to print at School. An initial credit balance of \$20 is created.

15c per black & white page

#### **SCHOOL UNIFORM**

School uniform is compulsory. Regulation School uniform must be worn within the school grounds. Full school uniform (including blazers) must be worn to all formal day time events and at all evening functions. Correct and appropriate sports uniform is to be worn for when participating in sport. Price list available on request.

#### Full school uniform approx. \$1600 initial cost

#### **TEXTBOOKS\***

Students must attend class with the required textbooks. Textbook lists are provided for all year groups. Total cost will vary depending on individual subject selections in senior years.

\$900 per year (approx.)

\*Stationery is not provided by the School and students will need to supply their own as required.

#### **PRIVATE MUSIC LESSONS**

Music tuition is offered in a wide range of instruments and singing. Fees are payable each term in advance.

Pipe band

AMEB / Trinity Music Exam fees at cost

lesson; 8 lessons per term \$150 per term \$90-\$130 depending on instrument and grade

Approx. \$50 per half hour

#### **SPORTS**

Additional fees may be payable for participation in elite sports programs eg Sailing

Variable

#### SCHOOL OF LANGUAGES AND VET COURSES

Senior students who elect to undertake Language subjects through the School of Languages or Vocational Education subjects pay a course fee to the School of Languages, or TAFE NSW School of Languages Year 9 or 10 \$340 per year Year 11 or 12 \$800 per year

VET variable in the range of \$300-\$2,500 per course

Variable

#### EXCURSIONS AND ACTIVITIES – SUPPLEMENTARY CHARGES

Supplementary charges to cover the cost of local, regional, international and interstate excursions and camps, recreational sports, special support programs (eg Handwriting), extra-curricular activities (eg Speech and Drama Club), transport to and from events, and other incidental costs incurred by the School will be added to the fee account. Costs will be advised prior to the event and a permission slip requesting your consent will be forwarded before the event.

#### **INCIDENTAL BOARDING COSTS**

The following are not provided by the School and students will require their own funds for: travel to and from airport, medical appointments, weekend leave, personal care items such as toiletries, mobile phones, pocket money At the discretion of parents

\* Fees quoted are subject to change without notice



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