



# 2026 Junior Scholarship Programme

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## What is the Junior Scholarship Programme?

The Rotorua Girls' High School Junior Scholarship Programme recognises and supports exceptional Junior students who display excellence, passion, or potential in Leadership, Academics, Sports, Arts, or Culture.

Up to 50 scholarships are awarded each year, creating a visible and supported group of young leaders who are celebrated for their talents and commitment to our school values.

## What Do Junior Scholars Receive?

- Contribution towards school fees or related costs
- Official Junior Scholar badge and certificate
- Exclusive workshops, mentoring sessions, and leadership development opportunities
- Representation at school and community events
- Recognition at school prizegivings and in publications
- Connection to a network of like-minded students

**The 2026 Junior Scholarship recipients will be announced on Tuesday, 28th October.**

## Scholarship Areas of Excellence

**Academic** – For students with strong achievement, curiosity, and commitment to learning.

**Leadership** – For those who inspire, guide, and serve others with initiative and vision.

**Sports** – For students performing at a high level in their chosen sport or range of sports.

**Arts** – For creative talent in dance, drama, music, fashion, or visual arts.

**Culture** – For students who actively uplift Māori and/or Pasifika culture through leadership, performance, and pride in heritage.

## How to Apply...

- Complete the Junior Scholarship Application Form (available online or from the RGHS office).
- Provide a written testimonial from a teacher, coach, or mentor.
- Submit your application by Friday 29th August, 3 pm.
- Be available for an interview in Week 3, Term 4.

Apply online: [www.rghs.school.nz](http://www.rghs.school.nz)



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