

11+ AND 13+ SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS FOR EXTERNAL CANDIDATES 2023-24



SCHOLARSHIPS

Scholarships are worth 10% of tuition fees and are awarded to top performing students. Scholars must make an outstanding contribution to the school in their chosen area and be all-round good ambassadors.

Selection for an 11+ or 13+ Academic Scholarship will be purely based on the Entrance Assessment.

Further 11+ and 13+ Scholarships are available to external candidates for Sport, Music, Drama and Art. Please apply for these by completing the relevant Scholarship Application Forms. Candidates may only apply for one extra-curricular Scholarship.

For Sport, Music, Drama and Art, selection will be based on an interview and, where relevant, an audition. Candidates are encouraged to put together a portfolio to illustrate their achievements to date.

MAYNARD AWARDS

...because talent is spread evenly throughout society but opportunity is not.

The Maynard Award programme is an initiative which mirrors the strong ethos of The Maynard School – that an excellent education should be available to the most talented and gifted girls, regardless of household income. Awards are made at the Headmistress's discretion, with the aim of providing greater access to this leading independent girls' school in the South West.

These awards will be available to girls who can demonstrate outstanding academic and extracurricular achievements, which would further enhance our vibrant community, exemplifying the ethos of our school.

The Maynard Awards can provide significant reductions in school fees and are given based on two criteria:

- A strong academic ability enhanced by other extra-curricular talents.
- Eligibility for a means tested bursary which is based on total family income and calculated by the Finance Office.

If your daughter would benefit from the educational experience at the Maynard School, but your family is not in a position to cover the full fees, she may well be eligible for a Maynard Award.

BURSARIES

The Maynard offers means tested bursaries which can be stand alone or applied for in conjunction with a scholarship or Maynard Award. If you are applying for a Maynard Award you must also complete a bursary application as this is an integral part of the process.

Means tested bursaries can provide a fee remission of up to 45%.

MATCH FUNDING SIBLING DISCOUNT

If your daughter would like to attend the Maynard School and a sibling attends an alternative independent school, we will match fund the sibling discount offered.

HOW TO APPLY

If you would like to join The Maynard School in September 2023, or apply for any of the above, please contact our Registrar, Kirstyn Munro (**01392 355998** or via **admissions@maynard.co.uk**) to register. Our registration deadline for our main January assessment day is **Wednesday 4th January 2023**.

Your daughter will be invited to attend our Entrance Assessment morning on **Saturday 7th January 2023**. Her performance in this assessment will be part of the Academic Scholarship and Maynard Award criteria.

If your daughter is also applying for a further Scholarship or Maynard Award, she will be invited to attend the relevant day below:

11+ Scholarship & Awards Day on **Wednesday 25th January 2023**.

13+ Scholarship Interviews on **Friday 27th January 2023**.

Although we have set dates each January, Entrance Assessments can be arranged all year round, and Scholarship and Maynard Awards can be offered throughout the year at the Headmistress' discretion, but this will be dependent on availability as there are a set number offered each year.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR ALL CANDIDATES

- Scholarships and Maynard Awards are offered by The Maynard School to recognise and encourage excellence.
- Scholarships and Awards can be offered all year round at the discretion of the Headmistress, depending on availability.
- If Scholarships or Maynard Awards are oversubscribed, a short-listing process will be implemented.
- Scholarships are generally honoured up to the end of Upper 5 (Year 11) and are then reviewed going into the Sixth Form.
- The school reserves the right not to award a scholarship or award if, in the opinion of the selection panel, no candidates meet the required standard. There is no appeals process.
- Scholarships and awards are reviewed annually, and scholars will be expected to participate regularly in relevant school activities, maintaining standards of attainment and conduct to continue their scholarship in future years.

