

CEF Teaching Scholarship Application (ACU Strathfield/Notre Dame Sydney)

Prospective Sydney Catholic School students who are intending to enrol in a Teaching Degree at ACU Strathfield or Notre Dame Sydney in 2026 are eligible to apply for this CEF Teaching Scholarship. (Value of \$5,000 per year over 4 years)

Personal Details

Name:

College:

School Student ID Number:

Date of Birth:

Residential Address:

School Email Address:

Personal Email Address:

Personal Mobile Number:

Do you identify yourself as Aboriginal or Torres strait Islander: Yes ☐ No ☐

Course Details

Please list below the courses you have applied for.

Name of University:

Name of Courses:

If the course is for Secondary teaching, please list the major/minor subject:

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Please answer the following questions:

1. What is your motivation for wanting to become a teacher? *(no more than 300 words)*

2. Identify your stronger subjects and why? *(no more than 300 words)*

3. Explain why you have made the choice for Primary or Secondary teaching? *(no more than 300 words)*

4. How will your studies complement your spiritual journey? *(no more than 300 words)*

5. Tell us about why you are applying for a CEF Teaching Scholarship and how it will benefit you whilst studying? *(no more than 300 words)*

6. Is there anything you would like to tell us about yourself in support of your application? *(no more than 300 words)*

Potential Part Time Employment

I would be interested in applying for a part time support role within a school whilst undertaking my degree:

Yes ☐ No ☐

Other Finance for Study

Current Applications for Scholarships or for Sponsorship

1. Are you also applying for the Sydney Catholic Schools (SCS) Future Teacher Scholarship?

Yes ☐ No ☐

2. If yes, which Scholarship would be your preference?

CEF Teaching Scholarship ☐ SCS Future Teacher Scholarship ☐

3. Have you arranged any other externally funded Scholarships or Sponsorships?

Yes ☐ No ☐

If "Yes" and you have already received a Scholarship or arranged Sponsorship, please provide the following details:

The name of the Scholarship or Sponsor:

Amount of Scholarship:

Academic Results

All applicants must provide their final Year 12 report by Friday 26 September and then provide HSC results including ATAR by Friday 19 December 2025.

Terms and conditions:

1. CEF Teaching Scholarships are only offered to Sydney Catholic School students who apply for admission to ACU Strathfield or Notre Dame Sydney who intend to commence full time study in the 2026 Academic Year.
2. Applications will be assessed on their academic qualification and other measures of merit, including their answers on this application form.
3. This Scholarship is non transferable to other degree programs.
4. Scholarship recipients must commence full time studies in the semester for which the offer is made. No deferment of a Scholarship is permitted, at the beginning or at any point during the course.
5. This Scholarship is designed to cover out of pocket University expenses for two successive semesters in one year of study for four successive years.
6. Scholarships are only designed for full time students.
7. Academic transcripts will need to be provided to the Catholic Education Foundation, foundation@syd.catholic.edu.au and a result of a 'pass' will need to be obtained for scholarship funds to be transferred each semester, prior to the commencement date of the following semester.
8. At the completion of the relevant University Teaching Degree I will agree to apply for a teaching position within a Sydney Catholic School.
9. I agree to participate in any events organised by Sydney Catholic Schools for successful participants of this scholarship.
10. Application Closing Date, Friday 4 July 2025 at 5:00 pm.

Declaration

Please sign and date this application below:

I declare that the information above is true and correct.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Principal/School Leadership Executive Endorsement

Your comments are required to support the student's application.

Name _____ Position _____ Signature _____

Date _____

Applications are due Friday 4 July 2025 at 5:00pm.

For submission, please email your application to: foundation@syd.catholic.edu.au