

INFORMATION FOR APPLICANTS FOR YEAR 9 ACADEMIC PLUS SPORTS SCHOLARSHIP



At 13+ sports scholarships may be awarded to girls who have a significant strength at the sports offered at Croydon High School or who are outstanding “all rounders” in sport. Sports scholars must pass the entrance examination. Croydon High School has an excellent record of attainment in sport, at the highest levels.

The school has outstanding facilities, including a purpose built gymnasium, a sports hall, a 25 metre swimming pool, eight tennis courts, a floodlit all-weather pitch and ample space in our 20 acre grounds for athletics and games. In addition, there is a dance studio, a fitness room and six netball courts, three of which have floodlights.

We are very proud at Croydon High School to be able to offer a wide variety of activities and coaching not only to the elite sportswomen but to those who want to enjoy physical activity and widen their recreational opportunities. The school enjoys a national reputation for its high standard of sport. Major titles have been gained in a number of activities.

Each season girls are selected to represent the school in their various competitive sports. Recent successful tours have been organised in the UK and abroad, including Condoval Hall and South Africa.

Candidates whose application shows outstanding achievement and potential will be shortlisted to attend an assessment, with a variety of physical tasks. Candidates are required to nominate their three strongest sports to showcase and to be assessed on, should they be shortlisted.

Applications must be made by 14 December 2018. The sports assessments will take place on 7 February 2019.

PE SCHOLARSHIP ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Key stage 3 and 4

A pupil who is the subject of an Sports scholarship award is expected to play a leading part in the School's sporting activities. This includes:-

- Representing a minimum of 1 winter and 1 summer activity.
- Attending all practices and fixtures/competitions.
- Representing the PE department at open days/evenings as ambassador for the subject.
- Assisting with the organisation of teams for matches/competitions.
- Assisting in leading junior clubs when in key stage 3.
- Assisting in leading key stage 3 clubs when in key stage 4.
- The scholar will be encouraged to take the Sports GCSE course in Year 10.

Key stage 5 – Sixth Form (Years 12-13)

In Key stage 5 a pupil who is the subject of a Sports scholarship award is expected to play a leading part in the School's sporting activities. This includes:-

- Representing a minimum of 1 winter and 1 summer activity.
- Taking an active role in leading clubs in both the junior and senior school.
- Assisting with team organisation, captaining teams involved in herself.
- Keeping PE notice boards up to date with team sheets and competition information.
- Improve communication between teams and staff in assisting with team organisation.
- Writing and presenting the PE subject report at end of each academic year at prize-giving ceremonies.

APPLICATION FORM FOR YEAR 9 SPORTS SCHOLARSHIP

Name			
Address			
Date of Birth		Current School	
Telephone Number		Parent Email Address	
Please provide DETAILED information about OUTSIDE school clubs, clearly indicating their level of competition and performance.			
Sport	Name of out of school teams/clubs	Representative Honours	Outstanding Achievement

Please return this application form with the medical information sheet and reference to:
 Admissions Registrar, Croydon High School, Old Farleigh Road, Selsdon, South Croydon CR2 8YB by 14 December 2018

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Please provide **DETAILED** information about **INSIDE** school clubs, clearly indicating their level of competition and performance.

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Details of any other sporting experience:

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PERSONAL STATEMENT

Please tell us in your own words why you feel you could be considered for a Sport Scholarship:

(To be handwritten by the candidate in own words. Please attach additional paper if space is not big enough.)

PLEASE SELECT 3 ACTIVITIES FROM THE FOLLOWING LIST WHICH YOU WOULD LIKE TO PERFORM ON THE SCHOLARSHIP DAY.

When selecting your sports, please place them in rank order by writing number 1, 2, or 3 in the box, number 1 being your strongest activity.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> ATHLETICS | <input type="checkbox"/> NETBALL |
| <input type="checkbox"/> GYMNASTICS/DANCE | <input type="checkbox"/> SWIMMING |
| <input type="checkbox"/> HOCKEY | <input type="checkbox"/> TENNIS |

PLEASE NOTE:

if selecting Gymnastics or Dance you must come with a pre-prepared routine to perform to the department. Please remember to bring music if applicable. You must remember to bring the appropriate kit for the day:

Swimming: costume, hat and goggles Tennis: tennis racket Hockey: mouth guard, shin pads, hockey stick Gymnastics/Dance: leotard and leggings

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PROSPECTIVE SPORTS SCHOLARS MEDICAL INFORMATION SHEET

Student's Name	D.O.B
Address	
Contact details: On the day of the assessment I may be contacted by telephone as follows:	
Home If not available, please contact:	Work Mobile Telephone number
Is your daughter receiving regular medication for any condition? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If so, please give details	
Does she carry any medication to take in a specific medical emergency (eg Inhaler, EpiPen,)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If so, please give details	
Does your daughter have any other condition which may affect her ability to take part in the sports course? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Any allergies to specific medicine or food? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If so, please give details:	
<p>I confirm that my daughter can swim 50 metres confidently in deep water. I undertake to inform the organiser of any such conditions which may arise in the period between the return of this form and the date of the course, and I agree to authorise members of staff during the course of the visit to approve such medical treatment for my daughter as is deemed necessary in an emergency.</p>	
Signed _____ (Parent/Guardian)	Date _____
<p>To be countersigned also by your daughter's PE teacher or swimming coach to confirm her swimming ability as referred to above. (Your daughter will not be allowed to participate in the swimming activity unless this countersignature is obtained)</p>	
Countersigned _____ (PE or swimming teacher)	
Name _____ Position _____	Date _____

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CROYDON HIGH SCHOOL SPORT SCHOLARSHIP REFERENCE FORM

INTERNAL CANDIDATES: Please provide a reference from an external Sports Coach

EXTERNAL CANDIDATES: Please provide a reference from either your PE Teacher or Sports Coach

Name	
Position	
Name of School/club	
Address	
Parent Email Address	Candidate Name
Please write about the Candidate's suitability to be assessed for a Croydon High School Sport Scholarship:	
Signature	Date

Please return this Reference directly to:

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