SISTERS OF MERCY DOROTHY GRIFFIN SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION COVER SHEET

Dorothy Griffin received both her Primary and Secondary education from the Sisters of Mercy at Sacred Heart College, Ballarat. She went on to become a very successful businesswoman in the USA and gave credit for this largely to her early education. In gratitude to the Sisters of Mercy, upon her death, Dorothy left the Sisters a bequest which they decided to use for mercy and justice projects.

The Sisters of Mercy Dorothy Griffin Bequest provides small grants to a number of projects. Examples include capacity building in rural communities, scholarships for local students in Mercy schools and Australian Catholic Universities and secondary and tertiary education fees for students in Timor Leste.

The Sisters of Mercy have, for a number of years, given a scholarship to Year 10 students at Damascus College. The recipients will have achieved high academic results and also shown leadership skills and general concern for their fellow students.

The Dorothy Griffin Scholarship is offered to two students from Damascus College for their Year 10 year. The scholarship is worth $2,000 to each student and will be awarded according to the following criteria:
• All round academic endeavour and excellence
• Participation in a range of co-curricular activities offered by the College
• Active support of the College's Vision and Mission

Completed applications are to be addressed to the Principal and submitted by
Sunday 22 September 2024, 10pm to principal@damascus.vic.edu.au and should include the following:
• A written statement from the student demonstrating how he/she has met the above criteria
• Two written references in support of the application

In deciding on the successful applicants, the Panel may ask to interview candidates.

The scholarships will be announced at the Awards and Achievements Event on Thursday 5 December 2024.

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Student Name:

TAG:

Age:

Year:

Address:

Student Signature:

Parent/Guardian Name:

Parent/Guardian Signature:

Date: