



# THE SSIS TECHNOLOGY & INNOVATION SCHOLARSHIP

## INTRODUCTION

SSIS celebrates more than two decades of excellence and anticipates more successes in the years ahead. The school wants to recognize our students' relentless effort in living up to the School Motto of "Strive for Excellence".

The Technology and Innovation Scholarship, recognizes students' achievements, nurtures students' passion, and commitment toward technology. The SSIS Technology Scholarship is given to tech-savvy individuals who possess outstanding technological achievements, embrace new technology as a learning tool, and harness technology to bring innovation and change to the community.

## RECIPIENTS

This Scholarship is open to students entering **grades 7 to grade 12**.

The scholarship **covers 100,000RMB of tuition fees** and is subject to renewal at the end of each academic year based on the maintenance of high technology achievement in representing SSIS and community involvement.

## ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Consistent initiative in purposeful, collaborative application of technology and/or innovation to create lasting beneficial solutions, tools, programmes, system, activity, or service for school, community, society
- Passion and commitment towards accomplishing goals
- Evidence of awards, leadership recognition or outstanding results.
- Good academic results across a range of subjects. All results should be C or above.
- Quality of communication during interviews.
- Being in excellent standing in the SSIS Community.
- The areas of technology to be considered for the SSIS Technology & Innovation Scholarship will be decided by the school.
- Additional awards may be made at any time at the discretion of the school.
- Ability to represent SSIS in and outside of school
- No discipline record.



### Terms & Conditions of Scholarships, including withdrawal

- Scholarships are available to new and existing students at Shanghai Singapore International School (SSIS).
- Scholarships only contribute to the tuition fee. The application fee and admissions test fee will still apply.
- Should the scholarship holder leave SSIS before successful completion of the academic year, the full school fees for the academic year must be repaid to the school.
- The scholarship cannot be held concurrently with any other award or scholarship without the prior written approval of SSIS.
- Scholarships recipients will cover the costs incurred during trips such as autumn excursions or competitions such as ACAMIS competitions etc...
- All scholarships are awarded for one year and may be renewed at the end of the year based on meeting the following conditions:
  - The recipient has maintained a high level of academic achievement in the area of Scholarship and community involvement. Please refer to the specific Scholarship documents for more detailed renewal requirements.
  - There has been no disciplinary action at the level of a suspension or greater.
  - The school has received a scholarship renewal request by the published due date.
- Nearing the end of each academic year, scholarship holders will be required to submit the Scholarship Renewal, outlining the success of their Scholarship Initiative and overall contribution to the school.
- The scholarship can be revoked:
  - At any time the school determines that the application included false statements, or if the scholar fails to uphold the excellent standing or integrity expected of a recipient,
  - If the scholar fails to attain the high level of academic achievement required,
  - Should the above happen, at least one formal warning in writing will be given to the student and the parents prior to the withdrawal of the scholarship.
  - In case of extreme disciplinary measures, the scholarship may be revoked without any prior written notification.
- Decisions made by the Scholarship Committee are final and specific questions with regard to the rationale of decisions made will not be entertained.
- The School Board reserves the right to vary the terms and conditions of the Scholarship without prior notice.



## APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Scholarship applications by currently enrolled SSIS students must be fully completed and submitted by the published deadline.
- Student applying as a new enrolment to SSIS may apply for a scholarship prior to enrolment.
- A copy of previous school reports, certificates, awards and/or transcripts must be submitted for new and existing SSIS students.
- Fully completed scholarship application form.
- Two Teacher, Director of Technology or Principal recommendation forms for new and existing SSIS students.
- A personal statement (essay).
- Shortlisted students will be invited to attend an interview.
- Scholarship holders will be informed in writing.

## APPLICATION PROCEDURES

All SSIS students will receive information from SSIS regarding scholarship information and submission deadline. This information will also be made available on our school website.

Candidates must complete the following process:

- Complete the application form which can be found on the school website.
- Submit a copy of current school reports, certificates, award and/or transcripts for new and existing SSIS students.
- Attach the required personal statement (essay), completed in the student's own words.
- Two Teacher, Director of Technology or Principal recommendation forms for new and existing SSIS students
- Submit additional portfolio/documentation. (eg. External Prizes and Awards, Leadership recognition etc.)

## SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION

Current SSIS students need to apply online via [SSIS Scholarship Application Form](#).

- Contact [it-support@ssis.asia](mailto:it-support@ssis.asia) if you face technical issues filling out the form.

Non-SSIS students need to submit the above documents via the following ways:

- Mail to: Shanghai Singapore International School, 301 Zhujian Road, Minhang District, Shanghai, China PC 201106
- Email to: [scholarships@ssis.asia](mailto:scholarships@ssis.asia)



## KEY DATES

- Refer to [SSIS Website Scholarships page](#) for current year dates

## SCHOLARSHIP RENEWAL

- Scholarship holders who achieve excellence in the area of technology and innovation identified at the end of the academic year are eligible to request the renewal of their scholarship in the next academic year.
- The Scholarship Recipient Report has to be submitted to the Director of Technology/ Divisional Principal.
- The current scholarship holder has to submit/upload the renewal form before the published dates.
- The scholarship holders will be informed on the status of their scholarship renewal on the last school day.



# SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

This application form serves as an important document for the Scholarship Committee to get to know an applicant. Thoughtful responses are much appreciated and it is encouraged that each applicant takes time to complete this application.

## SCHOOL REPORTS, CERTIFICATES AND/OR TRANSCRIPTS

Submit the most recent End-of-Year reports showing your final grades and teacher comments. Documentation of participation in any relevant fields where awards/recognition were received.

## THE PERSONAL STATEMENT (ESSAY)

This section allows students to express in writing his/her own views about the topic. The length of the essay is to be confined to one A4 sheet, double-spaced, 12-point font size and must be written personally by the student.

## SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

Additional information, certificates, awards, performance results or testimonials will be accepted. Please clearly label all supporting documents with the applicant's full name. These will be returned, if requested.

## TEACHER OR PRINCIPAL RECOMMENDATION FORMS

Two (2) recommendation forms are required from a current teacher or principal.

## FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information or clarification regarding the application, please contact the Director of Technology/Divisional Principal.



**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM**

Put "X" for your answer.

<input type="checkbox"/> New application
<input type="checkbox"/> Existing SSIS scholarship renewal application

**PERSONAL PARTICULARS**

Name:

Gender:

Date of Birth:

Current grade:

Form Class:

Nationality:

Passport ID Number:

Attach a recent passport-style photo:

Address:

Email:

Phone (Home):

Mobile (if applicable):



**FAMILY PARTICULARS**

Name of parent/guardian:

Email:

Phone (Home):

Mobile (if applicable):

**SIBLINGS**

Name	Date of Birth	Present School

Do you currently hold a scholarship? \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No

If yes, what scholarship and what amount?

Are you planning to apply for a scholarship at another institution? Please provide details.



## PERSONAL STATEMENT

In no more than one A4 sheet, double-spaced, 12-point font size, write a personal statement on the following topic. The essay must be written personally by the applicant.

**How would your passion in Innovation and Technology benefit the development of the society (school, community)?**





### SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

List any other information that may be helpful in evaluating your application for the scholarship.



### COMPLETION CHECKLIST

- I have checked and fulfilled the required criteria for this scholarship.
  
- I have fully completed the scholarship application form.
  
- I have submitted a copy of current school reports with comments, certificates and/or transcripts.
  
- I wrote the personal statement on my own and have attached it with this application.
  
- I have attached the teacher or principal recommendation.
  
- I have submitted additional portfolio or documentation.



**STUDENT’S ENDORSEMENT**

I have read the information regarding The SSIS Technology and Innovation Scholarship, the terms and conditions and I understand the selection criteria. I understand that incomplete and late applications will not be considered. I hereby certify that the statements and information in this application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand and agree that any misrepresentation, falsification or material omission of information on this application may result in the failure to receive an offer, or withdrawal of an offer at any time. The Scholarship Committee has my permission to verify the information.

Name of Applicant:

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Signature:

Date:

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**PARENT/GUARDIAN’S ENDORSEMENT**

I have read the information regarding The SSIS Technology and Innovation Scholarship, the terms and conditions and I understand the selection criteria. I understand that incomplete and late applications will not be considered. I hereby certify that the statements and information in this application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand and agree that any misrepresentation, falsification or material omission of information on this application may result in the failure to receive an offer, or withdrawal of an offer at any time. The Scholarship Committee has my permission to verify the information.

Name of Parent/Guardian:

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Relationship to Applicant:

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Signature:

Date:

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**FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY**

Applicant is shortlisted for Interview: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Date:
Scholarship granted: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Date: