



Sports Scholarships



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SPORT AT WHITGIFT

Foundation to Excellence

Whitgift has an outstanding and unrivalled record of national and international attainment in sport.

The School has extensive sporting facilities which include an excellent range of grass pitches, floodlit all-weather artificial pitches, 25m indoor swimming pool, squash, fives and tennis courts. The £9 million indoor sports complex is of outstanding quality. It contains a 44m x 28m sports hall with moveable partitions and tiered gallery for 250 spectators, four glass-back squash courts, fitness centre, multi-purpose room, a 25m swimming pool with eight lanes and variable-depth flooring, meeting national standards for swimming and water polo competitions, three classrooms, conference room, fully-equipped kitchen and other refreshment areas, extensive changing rooms for over 400 people, and a physiotherapy room. It is also able to accommodate a further 16 sports to national standard level.

The School prides itself on its *sport for all* ethos, and with over 40 different sports and activities available and almost 2,000 sports fixtures a year an incredible number of boys are involved at all levels of sport. Every year a large number of these individuals and sports teams gain National honours.

Whitgift regularly produces schoolboy internationals, and boys often go on to careers in professional sport. Professional clubs such as Harlequins RFC, Surrey CCC, Chelsea FC and Crystal Palace FC also use the School's exceptional facilities for training camps. We have exceptionally strong links with clubs such as Chelsea FC, Crystal Palace FC, Harlequins RFC, most of the Home Counties first-class cricket teams, Sutton Tennis Academy and GB Modern Pentathlon.

Over the last five years Whitgift has won over 120 national titles across a number of sports. The table below highlights just a few of those achievements:

2017

Football – Investec ISFA U15 Cup Winners
Football – ESFA U12B National Champions
Golf – ISGA National Champions
Hockey – U18 National Champions
Hockey – U16 National Champions
Hockey – U14 National Champions
Hockey – ISHA U15 National Champions
Hockey – ISHA U13 National Champions
Rugby – U13 School Sports Magazine Rugby Cup Champions
Table Tennis – U19 ESTTA National Champions

2016

Cross Country – U13 National Champions
Football – Investec ISFA U13 Cup Winners
Football – ESFA PlayStation Schools U12 Cup Winners
Football – ISFA U11 Seven-a-Side Cup Winners
Hockey – U16 Indoor National Champions
Hockey – U14 National Champions
Hockey – U13 National Champions

2015

Football – Investec ISFA U13 Cup Winners
Football – ISFA U11 Seven-a-Side Cup Winners
Hockey – U18 Indoor National Champions

2014

Cricket – U15 ESCA t20 National Championships
Football – Investec ISFA U13 Cup Winners
Hockey – U18 National Outdoor Champions
Hockey – U18 National Indoor Champions
Hockey – U13 In2Hockey National Schools Champions

2013

Cricket – U15 ESCA t20 National Cup Winners
Cricket – U13 ESCA Bunbury Cup Winners
Football – Investec ISFA U15 Cup Winners
Football – Investec ISFA U13 Cup Winners
Hockey – U18 Outdoor National Champions

2012

Cricket – U13 ESCA National Champions
Football – Investec ISFA U13 Cup Winners
Hockey – U18 Outdoor National Champions
Hockey – U18 Indoor National Champions
Hockey – U14 Outdoor National Champions

2011

Daily Telegraph/Aviva Sports Awards
Independent School of the Year 2011

Cricket – U15 ESCA t20 National Champions
Cricket – U13 ESCA National Champions
Cricket – U11 ESCA National Champions
Football – U15 ISFA Rensburg Sheppards National Champions
Football – U13 ISFA Rensburg Sheppards National Champions
Hockey – U18 Indoor National Champions
Hockey – U16 Indoor National Champions
Hockey – U14 Outdoor National Champions
Hockey – U13 Outdoor National Champions
Rugby – U18 *Daily Mail/RBS* National Champions

WHITGIFT SPORTS SCHOLARSHIPS

Sports Scholarships may be awarded to boys who have a significant strength, to national and county level, in one or more of the sports offered at Whitgift. In the case of certain sports, the selection to an Academy or national/regional elite training group may be seen as comparable. Fee remission varies from 5% to 50%, but boys must display a strong academic commitment in addition to their sporting prowess.

Potential scholarship candidates will need to have reached a suitable standard in the entrance examinations, and have been selected, in order to be invited in for a scholarship assessment. This will comprise of a series of physical tests on a separate sports testing day.

The scholarship testing day includes:

- Generic ball and spatial awareness skills
- Fitness testing
- Core sport sessions – football, hockey, rugby (contact/non-contact as appropriate) and cricket sessions
- Specific sports testing

The Sport assessments will be held on:

Monday 15 January 2018 – 10+ boys

Tuesday 16/Wednesday 17/Thursday 18

January 2018 – 11+ boys

Friday 19 January 2018 – 12+/13+/14+ boys

Sixth Form boys will be assessed in their specific sports on an individual basis.



Please attach
a passport
photograph

SPORTS SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

We would be grateful if the Scholarship Application Form could be completed and returned to the Admissions Office as soon as possible, and by Thursday 30 November 2017 at the latest, together with a passport-sized photograph, CV, and testimonials from relevant sports coaches or qualified teachers in your son's area(s) of sporting excellence (please do not attach certificates). This should accompany the main Whitgift Application Form.

Surname	<input type="text"/>	First Names	<input type="text"/>
Date of Birth	<input type="text"/>	Telephone Number	<input type="text"/>
Parental Email	<input type="text"/>	Parental Salutation	<input type="text"/>

Year of Entry to Whitgift (please circle) 6 (10+) 7 (11+) 8 (12+) 9 (13+) 10 (14+) 12 (16+)

Address	<input type="text"/>
Current School	<input type="text"/>
Principal Sports	<input type="text"/>

Please list teams your son has represented, including any representational honours, including relevant times, distances and honours

Please detail any other relevant information relating to your son's Sport Scholarship Application

Parent or Guardian (please print)

Signature

Date



Please return with the main Application Form to:
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