



Sports Scholarships at Denstone College

Applying for a scholarship

Sports scholarships are available for talented boys and girls into the First (11+), Third (13+) and Sixth Forms and candidates who excel in one or more of our major sports are invited to apply. Assessments will take place at the College in December for First (11+) and Third Form (13+) entry or possibly during a competitive fixture or training session for Sixth Form scholarship candidates.

Applicants are expected to have the potential to play at regional level and above, and will have regularly represented their school at first team level. They will also be expected to supply details of achievements and a written statement of their commitment to a rigorous training programme.

Sports scholarships normally carry a remission on fees of up to 20% but all scholarships can be augmented by bursaries where there is a need.

For help on the admissions process please contact the Admissions team.
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Sports Facilities

Denstone College has an enviable reputation for its main sports of rugby, hockey and cricket for boys and hockey, netball and tennis for girls. Teams are regularly successful at county level and beyond, across the age groups. Because of the number of teams the College fields, every pupil has the opportunity to represent their school at sport.

The College has extensive facilities including an EGU Affiliated Golf Course, four cricket squares and numerous outside nets, many tennis courts, up to ten rugby pitches, two astroturfs and many netball courts used by the county. The sports hall accommodates a good number of indoor pitches and courts along with the indoor cricket nets used by Staffordshire Cricket during the winter months. It provides an opportunity for pupils to play different sports, as well as the main team games.

A swimming pool, Fives Courts, Performance Gym and CV Gym complete the line up from which all Denstonians benefit. The Adamson's complex, affectionately known as Addies, includes facilities for match teas and changing rooms, and a dry area for spectators on wet days.



Sports Scholars

Sports scholars at the College are expected to represent Denstone in the major sport of that term. They usually excel in two of the three major sports and they must maintain a level of sporting achievement commensurate with their ability. They should have the requisite character traits to take on the role of a sports scholar, and be absolutely committed to excellence in sport. In return they can usually expect:

- A pathway to elite level sport
- Holistic coaching
- Individualised elite athlete development programmes
- The support of a full time Strength and Conditioning department
- A strong fixture list
- The highest standard of coaching
- Sports scholar forums addressing nutrition, lifestyle, skill development, strength and conditioning.

