



Prem Tinsulanonda International School

An International Baccalaureate Boarding and Day School
Chiang Mai Thailand

The FuturePrem Scholarships for Music

Up to a maximum of two FuturePrem Scholarships for Music will be awarded for the first time in August 2018 and announced by May 2018.

The student(s) who will be awarded the scholarship will:

- ✚ be age-appropriate to join the Senior School;
- ✚ have good academic grades so as to be able to be admitted to Prem;
- ✚ have a level of English that will allow s/he to be able to be supported in mainstream classes or, initially, in our Intensive English Programme;
- ✚ have Thai national citizenship;
- ✚ have had experience performing in orchestra, band and/or choir;
- ✚ have performed a convincing audition
- ✚ have demonstrated a willingness to help others
- ✚ have clear support from teachers that s/he is a reliable, trustworthy, and committed music student
- ✚ Note: preference will be given to brass, woodwind, percussion, strings, and vocalists (in that order)

Step One

In January 2018, information about the scholarships will be published widely within Thailand together with details of the application process. Key dates will be confirmed and the timeline published to all concerned. All of this information will be published on the school website. From January 2018 to March 2018, applications will be received.

Applications will be sent to Admissions who will process the information, checking that all necessary information has been submitted. The names of all applicants will be sent to Dr. Gina Ryan.

A date for auditions will be sent to all applicants.

For the audition, students need to prepare:

- 1) two contrasting works of their choice, as well as 3-4 scales
- 2) a repertoire list of all pieces performed and with which ensembles (optional)
- 3) a letter of recommendation from their music teacher and/or music director

Step Two

Live auditions will take place during the designated week. Candidates may send in recordings, however preference will be given to live auditions.

Dr. Gina Ryan will form a panel of adjudicators who will assess the musical ability of each of the applicants. On that same day, each applicant will sit written test so as to assess their level of academic readiness for mainstream education in Prem. Each applicant will also have an interview with a panel of teachers, which will be chaired by the Chair of the Scholarship Committee.



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Step Three

The audition panel will then review the nominees and check that they meet the major criteria stated above.

If the nomination committee finds that any of the major criteria have not been met in full, the name of that student will be removed from the list of nominees. The nomination committee will present the list of finalists to the Head of School and to no other person.

Step Four

The Head of School will report the outcome of the audition procedure to the Chair of the Scholarship Committee.

The Chair of the Scholarship committee will receive all information and will, in consultation with the members of the Scholarship committee determine up to a maximum of two students who will be awarded the scholarships.

The scholarship awards will be for a one hundred percent (100%) tuition fee discount for the AY2018 academic year. The students will be closely monitored during the course of the year and may lose the scholarship if their attendance, academic progress or failure to attend music rehearsals and/or performances is not appropriate.

The Scholarship committee will determine whether the scholarship is to be continued in subsequent years until the student(s) graduates from Prem.