SPGS INTERNATIONAL
SCHOOL BANGKOK

SCHOLARSHIPS

Academic Year 2027/28

The Paulian Scholarship Programme recognises exceptional students who can contribute meaningfully to the academic, creative, sporting and cultural life of the school.

Scholarships are available for students applying for **August 2027 entry**, primarily for **Years 7, 8, 9 and 10** with exceptional Year 6 applications considered.

Scholarship Awards

Academic Scholarship

Up to **30%** **Tuition Fee Remission**

For students who demonstrate exceptional academic ability, intellectual curiosity and strong academic potential.

Applicants should demonstrate:

- Excellent school reports from the previous two years
- Consistently high academic grades
- Strong attainment in English and Mathematics
- Evidence of working above age-related expectations
- Intellectual curiosity and enthusiasm for learning
- Strong performance in the school scholarship assessments
- Curiosity and critical skills at interview

Applicants undertake academic assessments. Assessment results form part of the overall decision but do not determine a scholarship award on their own.

Combined Excellence Scholarship

Up to **40%** **Tuition Fee Remission**

*For exceptional students who demonstrate **outstanding academic achievement alongside significant talent in at least one of the following areas: Music, Drama or Sport.***

Students may therefore qualify through a combination such as **Academic + Music, Academic + Drama, or Academic + Sport.** Students who demonstrate strength across multiple talent areas may present an even stronger application; however, the **maximum scholarship award is 40% of tuition fees.**

Combined Excellence Scholarships are highly competitive and recognise students with the potential to make a significant contribution across several areas of school life.

Talent Scholarship

Up to **25%** **Tuition Fee Remission**

Music

For students demonstrating outstanding musical ability through performance, examinations and evidence of achievement.

Music applicants should provide evidence of:

- Solo or ensemble performances, recital programs, audio/video recordings, competition results, or musical award
- Active participation in a school band, choir, or orchestra, regional/national youth ensemble, or music academy
- Formal evaluations from instrumental/vocal tutors, ensemble directors, or music teachers attesting to technical proficiency, musicality, and commitment
- Graded practical and theory exam certificates (e.g., ABRSM, Trinity, Rockschool), participation in masterclasses or workshops, and a documented history of regular practice and lessons
- The ability and willingness to contribute actively to music at the school

Drama & Performing Arts

For students demonstrating strong ability and potential in drama, performance and the performing arts.

Drama & Performing Arts applicants should provide evidence of:

- Roles in productions (school, community, or professional), awards, drama festival entries, or featured solo/lead performances
- Active participation in a school drama department, youth theatre company, drama academy, or recognised performing ensemble
- Written evaluations from directors, acting coaches, or drama teachers attesting to talent, work ethic, stage presence, and potential
- The ability and willingness to contribute actively to drama and performing arts at the school

Sport

For students competing at a high level and demonstrating commitment, discipline and leadership through sport.

Sports applicants should provide evidence of:

- Competitive participation and achievement
- Representation for a school, club, academy or recognised team
- Coach or teacher references
- Commitment to training and continued development
- The ability and willingness to contribute actively to sport at SPGSI Bangkok

Preference will be given to students involved in competitive team sports offered within the school programme.

Scholarship Criteria

Scholarship applications are considered holistically.

The Scholarship Panel will consider:

- School reports from the previous two years
- Academic grades and attainment
- Scholarship assessment performance
- Student personal statement
- Interview performance
- Relevant awards, certificates and achievements
- Audition, portfolio or sports trial performance where applicable
- Character and attitude
- Leadership potential
- Potential contribution to the wider life of the school

Scholarships are highly competitive. Meeting the published eligibility requirements does not guarantee that a scholarship will be awarded.

What Does It Mean to Be a Scholar?

Being a Paulian Scholar goes beyond receiving tuition fee remission. As positive role models within the school community, scholars embody:

- Curiosity and enthusiasm for learning
- Strong commitment to their studies
- Respect for others
- Perseverance and resilience
- High standards of behaviour
- Engagement in school life and the wider community
- Discipline commitments and expectations

Academic: Maintain consistently high academic standards.
Music & Performing Arts: Take a leading role in school performances, productions, and ensembles.
Sports: Represent the school in team fixtures and help foster a dynamic sporting culture.

Awards are reviewed in accordance with the school's scholarship terms and conditions.

How to Apply

1. Complete the Scholarship Application Form

Families should complete the online application form and select the scholarship category for which the student is applying.

2. Submit Supporting Documents

All applicants must submit:

- Scholarship Application Form
- School reports from the previous two years
- Student Personal Statement
- Relevant evidence as listed above

Applications without the required supporting documentation may not be considered.

3. Initial Review

Applications will be reviewed and shortlisted.
Only shortlisted applicants will progress to the assessment, audition or trial stage.

4. Assessment, Audition or Trial

- Academic Scholarship applicants will complete academic assessments.
- Music applicants may be invited to perform a live audition.
- Drama applicants may complete a performance task or monologue.
- Sports applicants may take part in a sports trial or observation session.

5. Scholarship Interview

Selected applicants will be invited to interview with relevant members of the school leadership or specialist teaching team.

6. Scholarship Decision

Successful applicants will receive a formal scholarship offer confirming:

- Scholarship category
- Award percentage
- Scholarship commitments and expectations
- Acceptance deadline

Scholarship Timeline

Applications Open	September 2026
Application Deadline	30 November 2026
Initial Review & Shortlisting	December 2026 to January 2027
Scholarship Assessments, Auditions & Trials	January to February 2027
Scholarship Interviews	February 2027
Scholarship Decisions Issued	February 2027
Scholarship Acceptance Deadline	March 2027
Students Join SPGSI Bangkok	August 2027

Apply for a Scholarship

Applications for the 2027 start Paulian Scholarship Programme are now open.
For further information, please contact the Admissions Team.