



2022 TEACHING BURSARY OPPORTUNITY

The St Mary's Old Girls' Association sponsors a bursary for an individual who wishes to take up a career in teaching. Applications from any candidate with an **undergraduate degree** in **two teaching subjects** from a **recognised tertiary institution** and a passion for education will be considered.

The bursary covers full tuition for a **correspondence post-graduate course in education (PGCE)**. The bursary is contractual and successful candidates will have to complete a **simultaneous one-year internship programme** at St Mary's School. Once the recipient has qualified, the recipient **must teach at any registered school** within the Republic of South Africa for a period equal to the **duration** of the bursary funding.

Minimum criteria: a strong academic record as well as involvement in leadership and/or co-curricular activities from a recognised tertiary institution. A commitment to the teaching profession is essential. Applicants must be South African citizens or permanent residents in order to be able to fulfil their contractual obligation. Qualifying applicants will be interviewed by representatives from the school as well as a representative from the Old Girls' Association at a date to be advised.

Applicable disciplines: the bursary is available for **all teaching disciplines** and **teaching phases**. Please note that **this is a tuition bursary** and an applicant who has already completed her/his B.Ed or PGCE will not be considered.

How to apply: applicants should complete a questionnaire accessible through the following link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DSD7VX5>

By no later than **Wednesday 31 March 2021**, the applicant will need to complete the aforementioned questionnaire as well as upload the following documents:

1. Certified copy of his/her Grade 12 Umalusi certificate
2. Certified copy of his/her university academic record, and
3. One reference letter

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted for the interview process. We reserve the right not to grant this bursary. An application will not in itself entitle the applicant to an interview.