



**PLEASE NOTE:**

*Applications can only be submitted through the nominee's school by the school principal or their school representative.*

NB. School representative must be a registered teacher at the student's school  
*(e.g. Sports Co-ordinator, HPE Teacher, Class Teacher, Guidance Officer)*

**Eligibility**

Minimum requirements for all causes

- The student is registered with one of the three (3) major schooling systems in Queensland (State, Catholic, Independent)
- The student plays or intends to participate in current QSS sport and QSS Sporting events.
- The student is a minimum of 10 years old in the year of nomination
- The student is a maximum of 19 years old in the year of nomination

The student or the family meets the criteria for facing hardship, either financial or rural / remote, disability or chronic illness or a short term hardship issue that may prevent them from participating in current QSS school sport / sporting events.

## Disability and Chronic Illness

*This funding assists students who have a recognised and/or diagnosed disability or chronic illness. Evidence of the disability classification (if classified) or chronic illness is required.*

*This application must be supported with a written testimonial that demonstrates the barriers that the nominee faces due to their disability or chronic illness AND how this directly impacts on their capacity to participate in current QSS Sport.*

**Please note; all applications are assessed on a case by case basis**

### **Q1. Fully describe the disability or chronic illness of the nominee.**

a) How does their disability or chronic illness impact on their participation in sport?

### **b) List what type of support (s) this student is seeking AND how does this (support) add extra financial burdens for the nominee to participate in their chosen sport?**

For e.g. do they need a guide runner to assist them in the sport, do they need their caregiver to attend all events with them, do they need a specialist coach to train them etc.

The successful nominee must demonstrate a high standard of behaviour, attendance at school and an ongoing commitment to regular training and participation in sport.

### **Q3. Please add any further information that you think we should know about this nominee that will assist us to assess this application.**

For e.g. Are they committed to their sporting endeavours? What sports do they currently play? What are their future aspirations in this sport? Does the nominee actively seek opportunities to assist them to participate in sport? Do they mentor others with disabilities or chronic illness? Etc.

*Remember, the more relevant information you can provide can increase the chances of a favourable outcome*