

High Achiever Class Application



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Complete this form and return with attachments to the front office of your zoned campus by 2 April 2024

Student Name:
Current Primary School:
Current Teacher:

PART 1 - Supporting Statement

Please include a supporting statement of no more than one page, written by your child that:

- Explains how they have demonstrated high potential and/or high academic achievement in their primary school studies
- Describes how they learn in the classroom, both as an individual and as a member of a team
- Provides an example of their commitment to the broader school community

PART 2 - Achievement Data

Please include a copy of your child's Year 5 NAPLAN results with this application.

PART 3 - Commitment

I understand that, in applying for a high achiever class, I am required to demonstrate:

- Commitment to high academic achievement across all subjects
- Attentiveness, motivation, interest and commitment to learning including participating in all set activities such as excursions and extracurricular activities
- Organisational skills which enable submission of all homework and assessment tasks by set deadlines
- Ability to learn independently and in teams

If successful in this application for a place in the High Achiever class, I understand the importance of meeting these expectations throughout Year 6.

Student Signature:

Date:

Parent/Caregiver Name:

Contact Number:

Parent/Caregiver
Signature:

Date:

Address:

Email:

Please visit <https://schoolfinder.education.nsw.gov.au/> if you are unsure of the campus for which your child is zoned. The Selection Panel will review your application along with performance and assessment data. Contact will also be made with your primary school. All applicants will be advised of the outcome. The campuses of The Rivers Secondary College look forward to reviewing your application.

The Rivers Secondary College is committed to supporting and developing the potential of all our high achieving students with the central aim of providing the highest quality education for students in the Lismore region.

At Kadina High, Lismore High and Richmond River High Campuses, high achieving students are invited to apply to the High Achiever Class for their zoned campus.

Students will learn through a stimulating learning environment in which they can be engaged, supported, and challenged to excel in all areas of academic life.

Students enrolled in the High Achiever Class will be expected to demonstrate:

- Commitment to high academic achievement across all subjects.
- Attentiveness, motivation, interest, and commitment to learning including participating in all set activities such as excursions and extracurricular activities.
- Organisational skills which enable submission of all homework and assessment tasks by set deadlines.
- Ability to learn independently and in teams.

Key Dates 2024

Term 1	High Achiever Class Application information available from Primary Principals and The Rivers Secondary College Campus Open Evenings – 5 March
	Year 6 students and parents/caregivers return their application for the High Achiever Class to their zoned campus of The Rivers Secondary College – 2 April
Term 2	Campus panels consider applications in consultation with primary school contact
	Year 6 students, parents/caregivers and Primary Principals receive notification about High Achiever Class placement decision for 2025 cohort – 14 June