



I3+ SPORTS SCHOLARSHIP NOTES

APPLICATION FORM FOR ENTRY IN SEPTEMBER 2022

Shrewsbury School Evaluation days: Sunday 3rd & Monday 4th Oct 2021 Deadline for Entry: Monday 13th Sept 2021

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR AWARD

Up to 10 Sports Scholarships are awarded annually. Most scholarships carry fee remission of 10%, although larger awards are sometimes made. The standard suggested is that the candidate is 'outstanding' in at least their first sport. In addition to being a leading player for 1st team at school/club level, a successful candidate is likely to be representing the sport at county level or above.

CONDITIONS

Candidates must be registered for entry into the Third Form in September 2022. Please contact the Admissions Office on **01743 280552** (email: admissions@shrewsbury.org.uk) for a Registration Form if you have not yet registered your son or daughter for Shrewsbury School.

The winner of a Sports Scholarship must also reach a satisfactory standard in Common Entrance, the Academic Scholarship Examination or Shrewsbury School I3+ entrance examination before entering the School.

A Sports Scholar holds his or her award for five years, provided that his or her conduct and progress are satisfactory, and the he or she continues to contribute fully to sport in the School, up to and including their Upper Sixth year. The School runs a Dedicated Athlete Programme, with twice yearly reviews of the Sports Scholar's progress, plus visiting lecturers, fitness assessments, strength and conditioning planning and goal setting exercises.

ASSESSMENT

Candidates will be required to attend the evaluation days at Shrewsbury School. These will be overseen by the Director of Sport and relevant coaches. The evaluation of candidates will take the form of trials in their chosen sport(s), and a variety of other fitness and agility tests. There will be one-to-one or group interviews for all candidates with the Director of Sport.

The Director of Sport will also take into account references supplied by the candidate's present school and by other individuals involved in coaching him/her (e.g. County coaches).

TIMINGS ON EVALUATION DAYS

Once the deadline for the applications has passed, we will construct an individual programme for each candidate for the two days. Both the candidate's school and his/her parents will be informed of the timings. Candidates who are due to board at Shrewsbury may be accommodated overnight. Prospective day pupils should be collected at the end of their commitments on Sunday and delivered back to school on Monday morning.

WHAT TO BRING

Candidates should arrive in informal home clothes suitable for a relaxing evening, bearing in mind that some will be interviewed during this time. Candidates should bring sports kit appropriate to their chosen assessed sports, plus PE kit for the fitness assessments.

N.B. Candidates may need to walk some distance between activities and may need warm clothing.

**Application forms (downloadable from our website) should be returned by
Monday 13th September 2021 to:**

**The Director of Admissions, Shrewsbury School, The Schools, Shrewsbury, SY3 7BA
Email: admissions@shrewsbury.org.uk Tel: 01743 280552**