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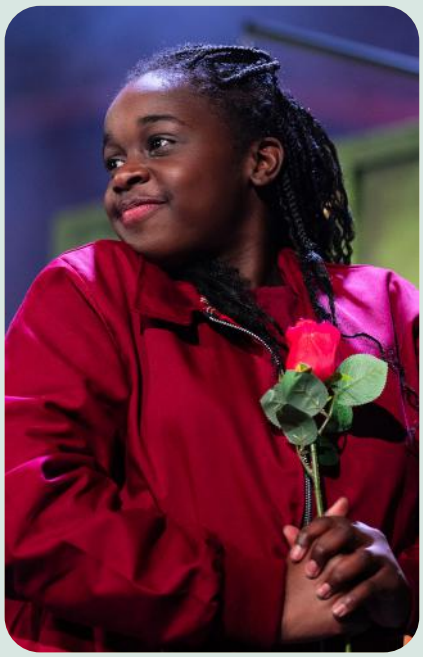
# 11+ Scholarships

## September 2027 entry



# Welcome to our 11+ Scholarship Programme

## We take pride at FHS in recognising and celebrating the exceptional abilities of all our pupils; offering Academic, Art, Classical Ballet, Drama, Music and Sports Scholarships at 11+.

The award of an 11+ Scholarship is the beginning of a unique and mutually beneficial relationship between our pupils and our specialist departments. All Scholars will be given the distinctive opportunity to develop their talent and inspire others; becoming a role model within the school. Having accepted a Scholarship, Scholars will be expected to fulfil certain criteria throughout their time at FHS.

You can find out more about each 11+ Scholarship on the following pages.

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# 11+ Academic Scholarship

## Does your daughter demonstrate exceptional skills and talent in her academic studies? We are looking for highly talented girls who are keen to unlock their full potential in our academically stimulating and supportive environment.

Academic Scholarships cannot be applied for directly, but will be offered to candidates who achieve the best academic results in our 11+ assessment process.

### What we expect of our Academic Scholars:

- To be the academic role models of their cohort;
- To demonstrate a consistently high standard in class work, in prep and in examinations;
- To make a full and positive contribution to the academic life of the school across the whole curriculum;
- To display curiosity and undertake independent study to broaden both their subject and general knowledge.

### What Academic Scholars can expect from Francis Holland, Sloane Square:

- Access to curriculum enrichment and extension opportunities e.g. sessions with external speakers, workshops with professionals in their field, enrichment trips and visits and leadership opportunities;
- The support of a member of teaching staff as an academic mentor, with whom they will meet every term;
- Introduction to one of our Sixth Form Scholars, who will guide them through the first stages of their academic journey at FHS.

11+ Academic Scholarships are worth 5% of fees.

# 11+ Art Scholarship

Is your daughter an exceptional and talented artist who is able to demonstrate through her observational drawing not only an understanding of composition, proportion and confidence with materials, but also sensitivity and expression in their work? We are looking for highly talented girls who love art and contributing to the co-curricular life at Francis Holland.

Our Art Scholarship application entails:

- Submitting six photographs of your daughter's own work through the Art Scholarship Application Form.
- Selected candidates will be invited to attend our Still Life exercise, where they will work with a choice of oil pastels, paints, colouring pencils and drawing pencils on A3 paper.
- Following the Still Life exercise, selected candidates will be invited to attend a specialist interview with the Head of Art and discuss their portfolio.

11+ Art Scholarships are worth 5% of fees.

**Please note:** Scholarships are applied for via the 11+ Examination Form which is sent to the parents of all registered candidates in the first half of the Autumn Term.

# 11+ Classical Ballet Scholarship

## Can your daughter demonstrate a good technique, a natural flow of movement, musicality and expression in Classical Ballet? We are looking for highly talented girls who love ballet and contributing to the co-curricular life at FHS.

Our Classical Ballet Scholarship application entails:

- Completing the information requested in the Classical Ballet Scholarship Application Form.
- Selected candidates will be asked to attend an audition to:
  - Participate in a 30 minute class demonstrating an engagement with warm-up exercises, a secure technical foundation, musicality and performance skills;
  - Perform a classical solo of their choice, 1 – 2 minutes in length;
  - Take part in an interview to discuss their classical ballet experience.

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# 11+ Drama Scholarship

Is your daughter able to demonstrate exceptional skills and talent as a performer and theatre practitioner as well as showing a commitment to drama? Will she be able to promote her talent in school productions and rehearsals as well as in curriculum drama lessons? We are looking for highly talented girls who love performing and contributing to the co-curricular life at Francis Holland.

Our Drama Scholarship application entails:

- Submitting a one minute filmed monologue, through the Drama Scholarship Application Form, demonstrating a range of vocal and movement skills.
- Selected candidates will be asked to attend an audition to demonstrate their acting skills and love of drama/theatre.

11+ Drama Scholarships are worth 5% of fees.

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# 11+ Music Scholarship

## Is your daughter passionate about music? Does she play at least one instrument or sing to a high standard? We are looking for highly talented girls who love performing and contributing to the co-curricular life at Francis Holland.

Our Music Scholarship application entails:

- Having achieved Grade 5 (ABRSM), or equivalent, standard in at least one instrument or singing.
- Completing the information required in the Music Scholarship Application Form, including submitting a 3-5 minute recording through the Music Scholarship Application Form on the instrument(s) named in their application.
- Selected candidates will be asked to attend an audition to:
  - Perform two contrasting pieces, no longer than 10 minutes in total, on their chosen instrument(s) or voice
  - Undertake a short piece of sight-reading.
  - Candidates are most welcome to bring along any of their own composition work for the interviewing panel to hear.

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# 11+ Sports Scholarship

Can your daughter bring excellence and dedication to Francis Holland through sport? We are looking for highly talented girls to participate fully in the sporting life of the school and represent the school in at least one of the following sports: Athletics, Cricket, Cross Country, Football, Gymnastics, Hockey, Netball, Swimming and Tennis.

Our Sports Scholarship application entails:

- Successfully competing in one or more of the above sports.
- Submitting details of sports undertaken and achievements as set out in the Sports Scholarship Application Form.
- Selected candidates will be invited to our Sports Scholarship Assessment Day where their physical competency and sport-specific technical capabilities and attitude will be assessed.

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