**Blacktown Girls High School**

**Gifted and Talented Program Application Package**



**CANDIDATE INFORMATION – 2019 for GAT class of 2020**

**Second Test Date**

**Test Date . . . . . . . . . . . . . . Tuesday, 11th June 2019**

**Test Time . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 10.00am – 12.00noon (please arrive promptly at 9.45am)**

**Test Venue . . . . . . . . . . . . . . TBA**

**Notification of offer to parents . . . . Week commencing 22nd July 2019**

***The School That Makes a difference***

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**TEST INFORMATION**

Blacktown Girls High School has partnered with the University of New South Wales and external authorities to administer the Gifted and Talented Placement Test

The ***second round test*** will be conducted at the school on **Tuesday, 11th June 2019**

**Details:**

Please arrive promptly at the school hall at 9.45am. Students will be asked to present receipt of payment as entry to examination hall.

**Test commences 10:00am**

Part 1 - Mathematics (40 minutes)

Part 2 - Reading and Language (40 Minutes)

Part 3 - Writing (40 minutes)

Administration: 10 minutes.

**Test concludes: 12.00 noon**

Students should wear their primary school uniform or other comfortable clothing.

The test is administered by our Head Teacher Wellbeing, Ms Simm. It is a secure test and papers are unavailable for scrutiny before or after the test session.

In general, academic research does not indicate that coaching or practice will significantly improve the results of students on ability tests. No electronic devices are permitted in the examination hall, this includes calculators.

**Cost for applicants is $40.**

The fee is **non-refundable** and must be paid prior to the test date.

This cost is incurred by the school hiring an independent assessor and administrators who will provide a written report on each student’s results.

**Applications will not be accepted without payment of the testing fee**

Payments can be made by cash or EFT at the school.

No confirmation letter will be sent. Receipt of payment confirms your place for the test, please keep this and allow your child to use it for entry to the examination hall.

**FIRST ROUND OFFERS**

Students who have demonstrated exceptional performance in the academic placement test will be offered a position in our program.

**SECOND ROUND OFFERS**

Students who have demonstrated high standards in the academic placementtest will be placed on a waiting list pending Selective Stream results.

**SECOND ROUND TEST**

In order to accommodate student who missed the initial test, the school may decide to offer an additional opportunity for students to undertake the entry test.

**REPORTS/RESULTS**

Reports will be sent to parents when the selection process is completed.

All students wishing to be selected must be present on the testing day.

**SELECTION COMMITTEE**

A Selection Committee for the school will meet to finalise offers using the *order of merit results* provided by the examination. The selection committee consists of at least two of the following: Principal, Deputy Principal, Gifted and Talented Coordinator, Year Adviser, and Head Teacher Wellbeing.

**ENQUIRIES**

Enquiries can be directed to the Principal, Deputy Principal or Head Teacher Wellbeing of Blacktown Girls High.

Enquiries about courses or programs offered can be made to the school or by visiting the school website or our Facebook page.

*Please complete the application form attached to this package and submit it on*

***Tuesday 11th June*** *the day your daughter sits the test*



***YEAR 7 GIFTED & TALENTED PROGRAM APPLICATION***

1. Please use BLOCK letters and a black or blue pen to complete this form. Completed application forms should be returned to Blacktown Girls High School.

**LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED**

2. Applications will not be accepted without payment.

 (please tick) I confirm that my child is currently in year 6 (school) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Student’s Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Date of Birth \_\_\_ /\_\_\_ /\_\_\_\_\_

Current school attended: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

High School catchment area (if known): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Carer1**

Title: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Given Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Surname: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Student (eg Mother): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Carer 2**

Title: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Given Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Surname: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Student (eg Mother): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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