



Remembrance Day Education Grants Program Entry Information

General

The Remembrance Day Education Grants Program (EGP) is a charitable program sponsored by the Forestville RSL sub-Branch, the purpose of which is to provide financial assistance to eligible applicants who are entering Year 7 in the year following the closing of applications.

The Grant

The grant will be valued at \$2,000. It is expected that the grants will be spent on school uniforms and computer equipment to assist in the cost of transitioning from primary school to high school. A maximum of five (5) grants will be awarded.

Eligibility Requirements

An eligible applicant for the Remembrance Day EGP may be defined as:

- a. the child of a serving ADF member living and schooling within the Forestville RSL sub-Branch geographic area (contained within postcodes of 2084 (but excluding Cottage Point), 2085, 2086 2087 or 2100 (but excluding Brookvale, Manly Vale and Warringah Mall); **or**
- b. the child of the family of a Service member of the Forestville RSL sub-Branch (whether the Service member is living or deceased) living and schooling within the Forestville RSL sub-Branch geographic area; **or**
- c. the child of the family of a Service member of any RSL sub-Branch (whether the Service member is living or deceased) living and schooling within the Forestville RSL sub-Branch geographic area; **and**
- d. the child is entering Year 7 of High School the year after the application is made.

Family of a Service member of the Forestville RSL sub-Branch or any RSL sub-Branch includes the children; grandchildren; or the direct descendants of the Service member.

The onus is on the applicant to provide evidence of their eligibility for the grant. This includes evidence of their home address, primary school attendance, the service of their ancestor and their direct link to their ancestor.

Entry Requirements

In addition to meeting the eligibility requirements applicants need to:

- a. submit by hand, post or email by Thursday 7 November 2024 a written 500-word biography on their ancestor, which includes a short outline of their military service, and
- b. prepare a three-minute talk to be delivered to the Grant organising sub-committee on Saturday 23 November 2024.
- c. Thereafter, be prepared to deliver the talk to the sub-Branch General Meeting, held on the evening of Wednesday 4 December 2024 at the Forestville RSL Club.

Application Form

The attached application form needs to be completed by the applicant and submitted with the written biography of the RSL Service/ADF member. It is also available at www.forestvillersl.org.au/school-grants/.