

St. Paul's Foundation
Scholarship Programme



Fundação St. Paul's

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Having provided outstanding education for almost a century, St. Paul's School has established a firm reputation as a place where strong tradition and innovation come together to help pupils flourish and contribute to the world as global citizens.

The St. Paul's Foundation aims to provide full scholarships for especially gifted children living in Brazil to study at St. Paul's School. We are proud to define "gifted" in the broadest manner, be it in academic subjects, sports, music or the arts.

We are a not-for-profit organisation, but do not see ourselves as a charity, rather an intermediary for fair exchange. Whilst our scholars will receive all of the advantages that St. Paul's has to offer, they will in turn enrich our school environment with their special talents and alternative perspectives on life.



St. Paul's School

With around 1000 boys and girls from 3 to 18 years old, St. Paul's was the first school in Latin America to be recognised as a British School Overseas by the British government. The school teaches the IGCSE and International Baccalaureate syllabuses, and the majority of our leavers go on to top universities around the world.

St. Paul's has a programme of continuous investment to support its teachers and pupils by providing world class facilities and opportunities. In 2018 it was selected as a Microsoft Showcase school, for its exemplary integration of information technology across the curriculum and all aspects of the school.

About the scholarships

The foundation aims to fund a minimum of two scholars per year to complete their education at St. Paul's School. Our scholars will be at least 13 years old and possess a pre-requisite level of academic and English language skills in addition to their special talent.

We aim to have our first scholars enter the school in August 2019. Both the potential scholars and their immediate families will be closely involved in the selection process, with strict means testing being applied.

To identify and prepare our scholars, the foundation works with many partners, including Ismart and Cultura Inglesa. However, their journey does not end when they graduate from St. Paul's. Our tertiary education partners, such as Fundação Estudar, will help match them with the best university places - be it in Brazil or elsewhere in the world.

How you can help

The work of the St. Paul's Foundation is funded solely through the generous donations of its patrons. The foundation is a separate legal entity from St. Paul's School and does not receive any funding or fee discount from the school. To fully fund a single scholar will cost R\$120,000 per year, including school fees, uniforms, computers, and other related costs. To reach our goal of having 10 scholars in the school at any one time, we estimate that we will incur annual costs of between R\$1.2 and R\$1.5 million including overheads.



Any donations, large or small, will help us commence our work and fund our first scholarships. Eventually the aim is to create an endowment fund large enough to provide for the St. Paul's Foundation scholars in perpetuity.



If you would like to make a contribution, please send an email to contato@fundacaostpauls.org.br, or call us on +55 11 3087-3399 ext. 217.

The St. Paul's Foundation is based at St. Paul's School in São Paulo. If you'd like to come in to see the school, and hear more about the work of the foundation, then please feel free to get in touch with us.





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