



**MOSMAN HIGH SCHOOL
MILITARY ROAD, MOSMAN NSW 2088**

SPECIAL PROGRAMS 2023

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

How to apply?

Complete an application form and submit to Mosman High School by the due date, Wednesday 9th March, 2022.

Where do I get an application form?

Application forms may be downloaded from the Mosman High School website <http://www.mosman-h.schools.nsw.gov.au> or can be picked up from the School office.

What is the cost to apply?

\$50 per program, i.e. Academic / Academic – Maths Accelerated, Music, Visual Arts, Drama.

Can I apply if I am out of area?

Applications are open only to students currently residing within the catchment area or siblings. If you cannot prove that you live in the MHS catchment area you cannot apply for Special Programs.

What happens after I apply?

Your application will be processed and you will be notified of a time where your student will need to:

- participate in the audition process (in Drama and/or Music).
- submit a portfolio (in Visual Arts)
- sit an examination (for Academic Extension / Academic – Maths Accelerated stream)

Can I get a refund of the cost of the application?

No refunds are possible.

What does the Academic Test consist of?

English, maths and science and is based on problem-solving skills. There are multiple choice questions except for English which is writing. There isn't anything that you need to do to study prior. The test is unique to Mosman High School.

If you wish your student to also apply for the Academic Extension – Accelerated Maths stream they will be required to complete an additional 30 minute accelerated maths paper.

Can I receive feedback on my student’s performance?

No feedback or test mark is able to be provided.

What is the timeline to apply for our Special Programs?

Applications due	Wednesday 9 March, 2022
Academic Test (with optional Accelerated Maths paper)	Monday 21 March, 2022 - Mosman Public School students Tuesday 15 March, 2022 - All other schools 10.00am till approx. 1.00pm 10.00am till approx. 1.30pm
Auditions (Drama, Music)	Week commencing Monday 14 March, 2022
Presentation of Portfolios (Visual Arts)	Week commencing Monday 14 March, 2022

Is Special Programs Music open to singers also?

Yes. A singer may also have accompaniment if they choose, i.e. a parent or teacher play for them or a digital accompaniment. There is an expectation that they can read music.

How many monologues need to be learnt for Drama?

One – these are in the Special Programs booklet.

What happens after Test/Audition/Interview?

We will contact you in term 2.

What if my student is successful in more than one program?

They will be offered their first preference from the application form.