



THE BRITISH
INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
BRATISLAVA
A NORD ANGLIA EDUCATION SCHOOL

Sport Scholarship

Conditions



Our ambition is to foster a passion for excellence in all sports. Through our commitment to nurturing talent and developing raw ability, we encourage all our young athletes to confidently strive for continuous self-improvement and towards sporting excellence. Sport Scholarship candidates are expected to demonstrate exceptional talent or potential in at least one sport in which they would make a significant contribution to School life. This is not an 'all-rounder' award but an award for excellence in a particular sport. Candidates would normally be of Regional or Country standard, although if this level has not been reached, scholarships may be based on the potential to reach it.

All Sports Scholars will be expected to:

- Play a leading role in the sporting life of The British International School.
- Demonstrate an outstanding attitude, ambition and internal work ethic towards Sport throughout their time at The British International School.
- Have high standards in regards to: on-field conduct, fair play, kit, organisation and communication.
- Display leadership qualities within the Sports environment.
- Be leaders, excellent role models and ambassadors within the school.
- Demonstrate high levels of commitment and motivation to training and competition.
- Continuously represent the school in both Festivals and Tournaments within sport during the academic year.
- Train and play with school teams during periods of academic study leave and after finishing public examinations.
- Participate in all House sporting events.
- Support the sporting life of the School by helping to organise and run events of a sporting nature.

Retention of the award will be dependent on consistently excellent effort and performance levels, exemplary conduct during training and competition, evidence of good contribution to team spirit and to be a credit to the School in their behaviour and attitude to learning.

Scholarships will be reviewed annually and their continuance is dependent upon attitude, conduct, participation and progress.

The Application Process

Scholarship assessment is not based solely on sporting ability, but also on whether the candidate demonstrates appropriate character, physical endeavour, resilience, coachability and initiative. All applicants will be required to complete an assessment. They will participate in a wide variety of sports during which they will be assessed on their fitness, technique, adaptability, initiative, response to coaching, team-spiritedness and behaviour.



We are looking to select candidates who display what we consider to be the most important physical attributes and mental characteristics that lead towards becoming an elite performer. You should apply if you:

- Aspire and work towards representing the school, your region and even your country
- Show passion, pride and sportsmanship in all that you do
- Have a genuine desire to contribute to the sporting life of the school
- Be prepared to be a leader
- Help to make sport relevant to fellow students, whatever your ability
- Have raw athletic ability
- Have positive emotional intelligence and are able to bounce back from setbacks
- Have good communication skills
- Have excellent hand-eye co-ordination
- Are coachable and willing to quickly implement given feedback
- Show self respect, as well as for others and coaching staff

