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### Policy

Al Zahra College is committed to supporting financially disadvantaged orphaned students, guided by the principles of justice and equity found in Surah An-Nisa, verse 127:

*“And they ask you for a pronouncement concerning women. Say: Allah pronounces to you concerning them, and what is recited to you in the Book concerning the orphan women to whom you do not give what is appointed for them, while you desire to marry them, and also (concerning) the oppressed children, and that you should deal towards orphans with equity, and whatever of good you do, verily Allah knows it.”*

### Implementation

*Let us stand together as a community, supporting our own, defending the rights of women, children, and orphans, and ensuring every financially disadvantaged orphaned child at Al Zahra College has hope for a brighter future. Every act of justice and kindness will not be neglected verily Allah SWT knows it.*

### Orphan Support Fund & Community Involvement

Al Zahra College invites all members of our community, families, alumni, and friends to contribute generously to the Orphan Support Fund. This dedicated fund is held at the College and managed by the College Board.

- a. Donations may be made generally or directed towards a specific orphaned student;
- b. If a donor nominates a specific orphan but that student’s needs have already been met by other donors, the College Board will ensure that the donated funds are redirected to support another orphan in need; and
- c. This process ensures that all donations are used effectively while maintaining the privacy and confidentiality of all students and families.

The College Board retains full discretion over the allocation of funds to ensure support reaches those most in need and that every act of kindness benefits our orphaned students.

### Eligibility & Application

Support is available to students who have lost their primary financial supporter and are experiencing genuine financial hardship. Families must provide official documentation and evidence of disadvantage.

### How to Apply

Families and stakeholders should send all supporting documents for orphan support applications directly to the Headmaster at: [headmaster@azc.nsw.edu.au](mailto:headmaster@azc.nsw.edu.au)

The School Board will consider each application with compassion and confidentiality.

### Review

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