

## Benowa SHS AARA Application Form

***This form must be completed by all students and parents wishing to apply for AARA in 2019  
 Completed application must include required documentation***

AARA are planned and negotiated as early as possible so that eligible students are supported appropriately to participate in, and complete the requirements for, a course of study and assessment.		
Name:	House Class:	
Date of Birth:	Year Level:	
Application Date:		
<b>Period Applied for</b>	Start Date:	End Date:
<b>Which AARA category do you wish to apply for?</b>		
AARA Category	Documentation Required ***Please see over page for documentation requirements***	Documentation Provided
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Cognitive</b> (eg. Intellectual disability; learning disorder)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Medical report</li> <li>School statement</li> </ul>	YES / NO
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Physical</b> (eg. Physical injury or disability)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Medical report <i>or</i></li> <li>EAP verification covering Unit 3 and 4 assessments</li> <li>School Statement</li> </ul>	YES / NO
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Sensory</b> (eg. Autistic Spectrum Disorders)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Medical report <i>or</i></li> <li>EAP verification covering Unit 3 and 4 assessments</li> <li>School statement</li> </ul>	YES / NO
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Social/Emotional</b> (eg. Anxiety, depression)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Medical report <i>or</i></li> <li>EAP verification covering Unit 3 and 4 assessments</li> <li>School statement</li> </ul>	YES / NO
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Illness and/or Misadventure</b> (eg. Sickness; accident; unexpected event)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Medical report <i>or</i></li> <li>Supporting Documentation (other)</li> </ul>	YES / NO
Please briefly describe the situation that is impacting your child's learning.		
Parent Signature	Student Signature	
<b>Office Use Only</b>		
Application complete	YES / NO	Principal Approved / QCAA Approved
Parent, student, HOD informed of decision	YES / NO	AARA recorded YES / NO

## **Supporting Documentation**

**Please note: supporting documentation must be included with your AARA application for consideration of submission as per QCAA guidelines.**

### **Medical report:**

To make an informed decision about an AARA application, the QCAA requires a medical report that includes the following details:

- the illness, condition or event (including details of a diagnosis, where applicable)
- date of onset or occurrence of the disability; illness and/or medical condition (must cover date of assessment)
- symptoms, treatment or course of action related to the medical condition or event
- explanation of the probable effect of the illness, condition or event on the student's participation in the assessment, particularly timed assessment when considering timed assessment
- professional recommendations regarding AARA

The medical report must be completed by a relevant practitioner who is a general practitioner (GP), medical specialist, or psychologist (registered under Queensland's *Medical Practitioners Registration Act 2001* and/or Queensland's *Psychologists Registration Act 2001*), and who is not related to the student or employed by the school.

### **Non-Medical Supporting Documentation:**

- for non-medical claims, must be written evidence from a relevant independent professional or other independent third party, such as a witness or police report
- Supporting documentation must cover the date of the assessment for which the application is made

