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SCHOLARSHIPS GUIDE

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A guide for scholarships in Australia for high school students. Created by Study Work Grow Pty Ltd in 2022.

VERSION 1

The scholarships in this guide may be subject to change at any time. In our experience, scholarships may change at short notice, and you should always check directly with the provider before applying. We have verified the information in this guide, but in some cases the information may differ from that provided on third party websites or printed material.



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Scholarships are “a grant or payment made to support a student’s education, awarded on the basis of academic or other achievement.”

The money is donated by businesses, universities, organisations or individuals who see the value of further education. Federal and state governments may also provide scholarships to help make further education more equitable for everyone, or to encourage studies in areas or skills that are in demand.

YOU WON’T HAVE TO PAY IT BACK

Scholarships are debt free, so unlike a loan, you will not have to pay back any money. You might receive the award as a one-off payment, or as smaller amounts, e.g. annually or each semester.

If you’re awarded a scholarship, it could pay for part or all of your course or study fees.

Sometimes the scholarship provider can be specific and dictate what you need to spend the money on.

It could cover fees, textbooks, accommodation, study supplies, travel or living expenses, but in some cases the money comes with no strings attached.

WHAT ABOUT COVID?

We know that there has been lots of disruption to studies this year because of COVID-19. But Universities and other institutions are working to assist you in any way they can.

Even if you don’t meet all the requirements for a scholarship, or if it’s close to the closing date, we encourage you to apply anyway – there will be lots of students in the same boat as you, and the provider may be willing to take your situation into consideration.

who are they for?

It can help to understand the reasons why organisations offer scholarships - and it's not just to attract the 'best and brightest'. Scholarships are given out for three key reasons:

1

To make study possible for students who couldn't otherwise afford it

2

To encourage enrolment in specific courses or fields

3

To attract students with certain attributes, such as intelligence, sporting ability, or community service

Scholarships generally fit into two categories - one based on your personal achievements, and one that helps people who may have been disadvantaged:

equity scholarships

- Financial Hardship
- Disturbance/upheaval at school
- Remote & Regional Students
- Female Students
- Indigenous
- Refugee Status

merit scholarships

- Academic Achievement
- Sporting or Performing Ability
- All-round Achievement
- Leadership
- Community Service

There are also scholarships for special interest groups, such as for the children of veterans, agricultural industry scholarships, or for scholars studying specific subjects.

the fine print

Each scholarship is unique and has eligibility criteria associated with it; usually you will have to meet the criteria, otherwise your application won't be considered. However, there may be some exceptions this year due to exceptional circumstances.

There may be terms and conditions that you'll have to agree to, such as agreeing to mentor others, maintaining a certain grade, getting involved with specific activities, or simply writing a thank you letter to the benefactor.

There's no limit to the number of scholarships that you can apply for, but some scholarships might state that you'll only be awarded the money if you haven't been granted any other awards.

If you meet the criteria, apply.

A scholarship could help you achieve your goals, make your life less stressful, and allow you to enter the workforce with less debt.

While some scholarships are well known and highly competitive, others often fail to attract applicants – which means anyone who applies (and meets the eligibility criteria) could find themselves successful.

Plus, applying for scholarships is good practice for applying for jobs later on, and scholarships look amazing on your resume; so apply even if you don't think you'll get it. You never know what could happen.

finding scholarships

Once you've chosen a provider and course, check their website for scholarships available and see if you're eligible to apply.

If you can't easily find their scholarships, you could call their future student centre and ask them what's available - you never know, if you've got a good case for assistance, they may offer you a scholarship even if they don't normally have them.

The Study Work Grow Scholarships page is a great place to start your search, with over 1,000 listed and more going on each week.

find scholarships

What next?

Once you've found a scholarship you'd like to apply for:

- Read the eligibility criteria
- Read all the terms and conditions
- Familiarise yourself with the application process, note down deadlines, interview days and other key dates
- Complete your application
- Triple check your application and make sure you've attached any necessary supporting documents
- Make sure your application is submitted on time

new south wales

UAC	University of Newcastle	Academy of Information Technolgoy	National Art School
Australian Catholic University	University of Notre Dame	Academy of Interactive Entertainment	National Institute of Dramatic Arts
CQUniversity	University of Sydney	Australian College of Applied Professions	SAE Creative Media Institute
Charles Sturt University	University of Tasmania	Australian Film, Television & Radio School	The Hotel School
Macquarie University	University of Technology Sydney	Australian Institute of Music	Torrens University Australia
Melbourne Institute of Technology	University of Wollongong	Avondale University	Whitehouse Institute of Design
Southern Cross University	Western Sydney University	Campion College	William Angliss Institute
University of New England	TAFE NSW	Endeavour College of Natural Health	
University of New South Wales	Academy of Film, Theatre & Television	International College of Management Sydney	

victoria

VTAC	RMIT University	Melbourne Polytechnic	Australian Institute of Music
Australian Catholic University	Swinburne University of Technology	South West TAFE	Collarts
CQUniversity	University of Melbourne	SuniTAFE	Endeavour College of Natural Health
Charles Sturt University	Victoria University	TAFE Gippsland	Marcus Oldham College
Deakin University	Box Hill Institute	The Gordon	SAE Creative Media Institute
Federation University	Chisholm Institute	Wodonga TAFE	The Hotel School
La Trobe University	GOTAFE	Academy of Information Technology	Torrens University Australia
Melbourne Institute of Technology	Holmesglen	Academy of Interactive Entertainment	Whitehouse Institute of Design
Monash University	Kangan Institute	Australian College of Applied Professions	William Angliss Institute

queensland

QTAC	The University of Queensland	The Hotel School
Australian Catholic University	University of Southern Queensland	Torrens University Australia
Bond University	University of the Sunshine Coast	
CQUniversity	TAFE Queensland	
Federation University	Australian College of Applied Professions	
Griffith University	Christian Heritage College	
James Cook University	Endeavour College of Natural Health	
Queensland University of Technology	Queensland School of Film & Television	
Southern Cross University	SAE Creative Media Institute	

australian capital territory

UAC

ADFA / UNSW
Canberra

Australian Catholic
University

Australian National
University

University of
Canberra

Canberra Institute
of Technology

Academy of
Interactive
Entertainment

south australia

SATAC

Endeavour
College of Natural
Health

CQUniversity

International
College of Hotel
Management

Flinders University

Playford Trust

University of
Adelaide

SAE Creative
Media Institute

University of
South Australia

Torrens University
Australia

TAFE SA

Adelaide Central
School of Art

Academy of
Interactive
Entertainment

Australian College of
Applied Professions

western australia

TISC	TAFE WA - North Regional
CQUniversity	TAFE WA - Central Regional
Curtin University	TAFE WA - South Regional
Edith Cowan University	Australian College of Applied Professions
Murdoch University	Endeavour College of Natural Health
University of Notre Dame	SAE Creative Media Institute
University of Western Australia	
TAFE WA - North Metro	
TAFE WA - South Metro	

northern territory

SATAC

Batchelor Institute

Charles Darwin
University

NT Government

tasmania

University of
Tasmania

Tas Government -
Education

TasTAFE

Tas Government -
Health

australia

academic

Choosi Futures
Grant Program

George Alexander
Foundation

Real Futures Grant

Westpac
Scholarships

disability

ADIPEF

Northcott
Scholarships

Redkite Dare to
Dream Scholarship

Vision Australia
Bursary

Walter and Eliza Hall
Trust Opportunity
Scholarship

Young Carer
Bursary

financial disadvantage

Atatürk
Scholarship

AVCAT
Scholarships

Gallipoli
Scholarship

The Theofilos
Foundation
Scholarships

Youth Off the
Streets

australia

indigenous

AIEF
Scholarships

AMA Indigenous
Medical Scholarship

Bendigo Bank
Indigenous
Scholarship Program

Indigenous
Pathways Portal

Indigenous Student
Success Program

Puggy Hunter
Memorial
Scholarship Scheme

lgbtqia+

Pinnacle
Foundation
Scholarships

refugee

Friends of Zainab
Tertiary
Scholarship

SSI Allianz
Refugee
Scholarships

australia

rural & regional

ACN Aged Care
Scholarships

APREF
Regional/Rural
Scholarships

Bendigo and
Adelaide Bank
Scholarship

CEF Extra

RAS Foundation
Rural Scholarships

RRES Program

Rural Bank
Scholarships

women

APREF Advancing
Women in
Property

Harding Miller
Scholarships for
Girls

WAI Australia
Scholarships

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WITH FUTURES THEY LOVE



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