NMIT

School Leaver Scholarship

Value: A one-off payment to the value of \$6,500 for selected NMIT degree programme fees only.

Selection criteria

To qualify for this scholarship, students must be enrolled to study on one of the following NMIT programme starting in February 2022.

- Bachelor of Aquaculture and Marine Conservation
- Bachelor of Viticulture and Winemaking
- Bachelor of Nursing
- Bachelor of Social Work
- Bachelor of Information Technology
- Bachelor of Counselling
- Bachelor of Arts and Media
- Bachelor of Career Development
- Bachelor of Commerce
- Bachelor of Computer-Generated Imagery

The student must meet the NMIT programme entry criteria as specified in the NMIT programme regulations.

The student must be a New Zealand citizen or must have New Zealand Permanent Residency.



The student must be School Leaver from 2021 enrolled to study on an NMIT Programme starting in February 2022.

- Applicants must demonstrate the potential to succeed in their studies by providing the following:
 - o Two references please see guidelines
 - o A short statement of approx. 500. words stating their future career plans.
- The applicant may also need to attend a Scholarship panel interview if required.

What do you receive?

- This scholarship is designed to assist with tuition fees for your NMIT study and is a one-off payment to the maximum value of \$6,500.
- The scholarship will be paid to StudyLink if a student loan debt exists or applied to your NMIT student financial account as part of payment for your programme.
- If no financial debt exists at the time of the Scholarship being awarded the amount will be applied to the following years study or to a nominated bank account.

What do you need to commit to?

- Must attend the scholarship presentation ceremony in 2022 at the Nelson or Marlborough Campus
- Agree to be available for NMIT promotions.
- Complete full NMIT programme or course requirements.

Terms & conditions

1. The scholarship may not be awarded in any given year if the calibre of the applicants does not meet the required standards, even if this decision is made after the application date for the scholarships has passed.



- 2. If you change to part-time study, withdraw, or do not complete course requirements, the scholarship may need to be repaid. This will be at the discretion of NMIT. You must advise scholarships@nmit.ac.nz of your change of circumstances.
- 3. The scholarship does not cover student association fees, re-sit costs, text books or any other programme materials.
- 4. This scholarship cannot be taken in conjunction with any other NMIT fee-based scholarship.
- 5. The student must have commenced study with NMIT and payment of the Programme of study has been made within the NMIT Guidelines, not relying solely on the outcome of the Scholarship being awarded.
- 6. This scholarship is not available to all NMIT programmes, only those specified in the Terms of Reference.
- 7. The scholarship award decision will be made by a panel which includes representatives from the Programme Area and NMIT. Decisions of the Panel are final and are not open to appeal.
- 8. Applications must be completed online via the NMIT website and received by the 5pm, 30 November 2021. Late applications will not be accepted. The scholarships will be announced early in the academic year and awarded at the Scholarship Ceremony which you must attend.
- 9. The award of a scholarship shall become void within two weeks after receiving official advice, unless you complete and forward the Acceptance and Agreement Contract to scholarships@nmit.ac.nz. This will confirm your acceptance of the scholarship and agreement to perform any obligations, as stated in the Terms of Reference associated with this scholarship.



- 10. The agreed scholarship amount will be paid to StudyLink or to NMIT. If the recipient has paid their fees themselves, the money will be returned to the recipient. If the recipient is eligible for the Governments first year fees free initiative, the funds will be applied to the second-year re-enrolment.
- 11. The award of the scholarship may be acknowledged in media and marketing material, all recipients must agree to be available for NMIT promotional purposes.
- 12. In accordance with the Privacy Act 1993, you will need to sign a Release Form giving your permission for NMIT use your personal information for publicity in relation to the scholarship. You can control the content and the length of time it is used.