External Scholarships

AFTRS students are often eligible to apply for scholarships offered by external organisations. If you have any questions, please contact the organisation offering the scholarship directly.

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↗ Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander $3000 sponsorship award

This annual sponsorship of $3000 will be awarded to someone who can demonstrate that the further education they are gaining will advance their community. This program is open to anyone of an Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander background that is currently, or about to, undertake any type of further education.

↗ Australian Disability and Indigenous Peoples' Education Fund

People with disabilities of any age living in Australia may apply for any assistance to help with both formal and informal education.

↗ Australian Government Department of Human Services Relocation scholarship

The Relocation Scholarship is an annual payment to help certain students in higher education who are required to live away from their family home while studying. This scholarship is for people who need to move to or from a regional or remote area for higher education study and who get ABSTUDY, Youth Allowance or Energy Supplement.

↗ AVCAT scholarship

The Australian Veterans' Children Assistance Trust scholarships are worth between $3000 and $5000 per year and may continue for up to four years.

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↗ Bendigo and Adelaide Bank scholarship for rural and regional students

Bendigo & Adelaide Bank Limited provide a number of scholarships for year 12 students undertaking University studies (undergraduate) for the first time in 2021.The Bendigo & Adelaide Bank 2021 Scholarship is aimed at students from rural and regional locations. The scholarship award value is $5,000 per year.

↗ Blacktown City Council Tertiary scholarships

BCC award 12 Tertiary Scholarships of $1,500 to 12 successful applicants who have completed at least 1 year of a current enrolment at a recognised Tertiary Institution by the end of the previous year. Applicants must be residents of the City of Blacktown and provide a copy of academic transcripts relating to their current studies.

↗ Charlie Bell scholarship for future leaders

The Charlie Bell Scholarship for Future Leaders will reward successful candidates with a contribution of up to $15,000 towards tuition fees for their chosen undergraduate or postgraduate study.

↗ Graduate Women NSW scholarships

GW-NSW Inc. is an association of women graduates from universities and institutes of higher education throughout the world. They award scholarships, bursaries and awards to support education for women.

↗ Hoskins Lithgow scholarship

The scholarship is to fund the cost of a tertiary course of study to a maximum sum of $30,000. It is open to any Lithgow LGA resident and Australian citizen under the age of 26 as at 1st July in the scholarship application year.

↗ Kenneth W Tribe scholarship

The Deaf Society of NSW awards this scholarship to people who are deaf or have a hearing impairment, for study that will lead to improved employment outcomes. The scholarships are awarded twice yearly and can be up to $5000.

↗ Nicholas Purcell Studio scholarship for creative practice

This scholarship of $3500 is for students enrolled into any creative practice degree either full or part-time. Preference will be given to the visual arts but any creative field, for example music, media or other creative practices may also apply.

↗ Online Induction scholarship

onlineinduction.com is offering $1,000 towards tuition or study expenses to the student who can best answer: "tell us in 1000 words or less why safety matters in and outside of the workplace."

↗ Pack and Send International student support grant

The Pack and Send Grant will award one international student a $1,500 prize to put towards study and living expenses.

↗ ParaQuad NSW scholarship

ParaQuad awards scholarships to students in NSW/ACT with spinal cord injuries to assist with education costs for TAFE, universities, and registered training organisations. Applicants must be Australian citizens living in NSW, have spinal cord injuries, have a high academic record, and show motivation and perseverance in their academic career.

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↗ SSI Allianz Refugee scholarships

The scholarships have been created to minimise the financial barriers experienced by refugees as they participate in the NSW education system.

↗ Tertiary Access Payment

The Tertiary Access Payment (TAP) is a one-off, non-indexed, means-tested payment of $5000 to school-leavers from outer regional or remote areas who relocate more than 90 minutes from their home to undertake full-time, higher-level tertiary education (Certificate IV or above). The payment is intended to assist students with the additional costs associated with relocating to undertake tertiary study.

↗ The Pinnacle scholarship

The Pinnacle Foundation provides Scholarships for LGBTIQ+ students between the ages of 17-26, who are planning to study full-time education at a public or private secondary school (final year) or public institution of higher education in Australia, for the purpose of gaining an educational or vocational qualification in any profession, trade or the arts. Scholarships available range from $5,000- $7,000.

↗ The Promotion Products Bi-Annual $3000 scholarship

This bi-annual scholarship of $3000 is offered to an eligible student currently studying at an Australian University or Further Education College, to assist them with the cost of living and the expenses of being a full-time or part-time student.

↗ The Smooth Movers scholarship

The Smooth Movers offer a $1000 scholarship to a student enrolled with a high school, college or University.

↗ Toptal Scholarships for Women: Empowering future female leaders to change the world

Toptal is awarding $10,000 and a year of mentorship to five future female leaders who want to change the world. This program is for ambitious women, 16 years or older, who are passionate about making some meaningful change for a community or cause they care about.

↗ Vision Australia further education bursary

Awarded to students from NSW, ACT or Victoria who are blind or vision impaired who, for financial reasons, may not be able to fully participate in further education, providing adaptive technology to assist their studies.

↗ Youth Off the Streets national scholarship program

Every year over 20 young people throughout Australia are awarded Youth Off the Streets scholarships. These scholarships are awarded to young people who have a clear need for financial assistance and are studying in Australia for the two-year period of the program. Recipients receive $6,000 towards educational or training goals over two years.