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Find out more about UC Scholarships

How do I find out about scholarships?

UC offers over \$20 million in scholarships and prizes each year. In this brochure you will find many scholarships for those who are starting study in 2023. There are many more available and new scholarships are established regularly; make sure that you search for all that you could be eligible for at www.canterbury.ac.nz/scholarships/

How do I know if I am eligible for a scholarship?

Each scholarship has different eligibility criteria (e.g. subject/course, level, citizenship, age, gender, ethnicity, school, region, etc).

Check the regulations to see if you meet the criteria. Apply for all the scholarships you are eligible for, as it is often possible to hold more than one scholarship at a time.

What if I've taken time off after school?

Check the scholarships' regulations. Many of our scholarships are open to students commencing their first degree programme while others can be applied for during a gap year.

How do I apply for a scholarship?

Students should apply through the UC Scholarships website. Applications can be submitted online from 20 June 2022. The closing date for applications is **15 August 2022**.

To submit a scholarship application online, students will first need to register for a **myUC** account.

Referees will also be invited by the student to submit their references through the online system.

Note: The selection criteria for scholarships are listed in their regulations – you should be aware of these when completing application forms.

For more information

UC Scholarships Office

Ph: 03 369 4900 or 0800 VARSITY (0800 82 77 48)

Email: scholarships@canterbury.ac.nz

Other organisations also offer scholarships that UC students can apply for. Check with your school or local community groups for further information.

Glossary

Award	General term for an amount of money given out to a student.
Bursary	A financial award conferred primarily, but not exclusively, on the basis of financial need.
Tuition fees	The tuition fees for the year, which is the sum of fees for all courses a student is enrolled in.
First-year undergraduate student	A student starting the first year of their undergraduate degree, who has not enrolled at another tertiary institution since finishing secondary school.
Gap year	A period of no more than 12 months spent in non-academic activities by a school-leaver.
International student	A student who is not a NZ citizen or holder of a NZ residence class visa. Australian citizens or Australian permanent residents, if residing in NZ are classed as domestic students.
Regulations	The rules governing an award, scholarship, or bursary.
Scholarship	General term for an amount of money given out to a student.

‘The emerging leaders program was an awesome way to start my University career as I was connected with like-minded people who wanted to make a difference. The Horomata scholarship gave me a different perspective on the opportunities offered at the University of Canterbury and gave me resources to meet my goals.’

Meg T

Mount Aspiring College

UC Horomata

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Steps to apply for a scholarship:

- 1 Research**
Find out what is on offer for you.
- 2 Check you qualify**
Read through the scholarship information to see if you meet the criteria.
- 3 Check application dates**
Scholarship applications open eight weeks before the closing date.
- 4 Prepare your information**
Start thinking about what you want to include and, if required, who to use as your referee(s).
- 5 Complete your application**
Take the time to complete your application and ensure you submit before the closing date.
- 6 Selection process**
Be patient. The selection process typically takes six – eight weeks but may take longer. We will notify you as soon as a decision has been made.

General Scholarships

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
AIMS Scholarship	\$5,000	All first-year undergraduate students who completed MATH199 AIMS – Advancing in Mathematical Science in 2022	The scholarship will be offered to all eligible candidates who receive an A+ grade in the course MATH 199 AIMS – Advancing in Mathematical Sciences	No application required
Go Waitaha Canterbury	\$5,000 towards accommodation costs at University Hall, as well as personal development and educational recreational opportunities	For Year 13 students who are either attending an Auckland or Wellington school, or are living in the Auckland or Wellington region and who intend on living at a halls of residence in their first undergraduate year	Dependent on achievement of Merit or higher at NCEA Level 2, or an equivalent university entrance qualification Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
Lyttelton Port Company UC Scholarship	\$10,000	First-year students who have a parent working for the Lyttelton Port Company for at least 12 months prior to August 15 2022		15 August
Riccarton Rotary Youth Trust Scholarship	\$10,000 in any year that the recipient must pay tuition fees \$5,000 in any year that a recipient is not required to pay tuition fees	First-year undergraduate students who have resided in the Canterbury region and who are facing major financial and/or personal challenges to entering tertiary education	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
Rotary Club of Belfast–Kaiapoi Disability Scholarship	\$3,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol at the University of Canterbury who have a disability	Applicants must have a disability that would qualify them to be registered with the University's Equity and Disability Service Preference is given to applicants whose last year of secondary education was in North Canterbury	15 August
Rotary Club of Christchurch Blackgrove Scholarship	Up to \$5,000	First-year undergraduate students who have resided in the Canterbury region and who are facing major financial and/or personal challenges to entering tertiary education	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Alumni Scholarship	\$5,000	All first-year undergraduate students	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Auaha Scholarship – for Innovation	\$5,000 towards accommodation fees at a UC-recognised hall of residence in the year of tenure, or second year tuition fees, as well as an opportunity to participate in a UC-sponsored programme for budding entrepreneurs and innovators through the UC Centre for Entrepreneurship	All first-year undergraduate students	Dependent on achievement of Merit or higher at NCEA Level 2, or an equivalent university-entrance qualification Open to students commencing their first undergraduate year	15 August
UC Haupatu Scholarship – for Sports	\$5,000 towards accommodation fees at a UC-recognised hall of residence in the year of tenure, or second year tuition fees, as well as an opportunity to participate in a UC-sponsored leadership programme	Applicants must be age-group regional and/or national representatives in sporting codes and in their first undergraduate year	Dependent on achievement of Merit or higher at NCEA Level 2, or an equivalent university-entrance qualification Open to students commencing their first undergraduate year	15 August
UC Hiranga Scholarship – for Academic Excellence	\$5,000	Up to 500 first-year students who achieved NCEA Level 2 with Excellence (or equivalent)	Dependent on achievement of Excellence at NCEA Level 2, or an equivalent university entrance qualification	15 August
UC Horomata Scholarship – for Emerging Leaders	\$6,000 towards accommodation fees at a UC-recognised halls of residence in the year of tenure, or second year tuition fees, as well as an opportunity to participate in a UC-sponsored leadership programme	All first-year undergraduate students At least two scholarships are reserved for students who identify as rainbow and at least two reserved for students who are registered with the UC Equity and Disability Service	The awards are made each year in the following categories: a. All-round Excellence b. Student Leader: For applicants who were the Head Girl/Boy or Deputy Head Girl/Boy (or who held an equivalent position) in a New Zealand school in the year of application (open to students commencing their first undergraduate year.)	15 August

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Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
UC Kaitoko Māori Scholarship	\$6,000 towards accommodation fees at a UC-recognised hall of residence in the year of tenure, or second year tuition fees, as well as an opportunity to participate in the UC Māori leadership programme, Paihere, and a UC-sponsored general leadership programme	First-year Māori undergraduate students intending to enrol in any degree programme	Dependent on achievement of Merit or higher at NCEA Level 2, or an equivalent university-entrance qualification Open to students commencing their first undergraduate year	15 August
UC Kaitoko Pacific/Pasifika Scholarship	\$6,000 towards accommodation fees at a UC-recognised hall of residence in the year of tenure, or second year tuition fees, as well as an opportunity to participate in a UC-sponsored leadership programme	First-year Pacific/Pasifika undergraduate students intending to enrol in any degree programme	Dependent on achievement of Merit or higher at NCEA Level 2, or an equivalent university-entrance qualification Open to students commencing their first undergraduate year	15 August
UC Māpura Bright Start Scholarship	Tuition fees in the first year in which fees are payable, and all compulsory fees charged by the University	First-year undergraduate students who are facing major financial and/or personal challenges	The number of scholarships offered varies from year to year Open to students commencing their first undergraduate year	15 August

Arts, Fine Arts and Music

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
Chrystabel L Aitken Fund for Fine Arts	\$1,000	First-year students enrolling in a Bachelor of Fine Arts who face financial challenges to entering tertiary education	Applicants must be citizens of New Zealand or holders of New Zealand residence class visas Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
Leigh and Judith Pownall Scholarship	\$5,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to major in Geography or Music	Applicants must be citizens of New Zealand or holders of New Zealand residence class visas Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
Lissie Rathbone Scholarship	\$2,000 per annum for up to three years	First-year undergraduate students majoring in English or History, who have resided continuously in the territory of the Canterbury Regional Council for at least the 12 months preceding the closing date for applications	Applicants must be under 19 years of age on the previous 1 December	15 August
UC Mathematics and Statistics High Achievers Award	\$2,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a BSc or BA with a major in Mathematics, Statistics, Data Science or Financial Engineering	Must be enrolled in specific courses Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August

‘I’ve always loved volunteering and helping my community, and so through moving to a new city, the He Tetekura - Emerging Leaders Programme opened my eyes to new groups I could volunteer with. It also helped me to settle better into UC as well as allowing me to meet new people that share the same passion as me. Overall it’s definitely helped me in transitioning to a new city and from moving from high school to university.’



Jessica L

John Paul College

UC Hiranga Scholarship

UC Horomata Scholarship

Bachelor of Environmental Science

Business

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
John Waller Memorial Scholarship	\$6,000 per annum for three years, plus mentorship and internship opportunities	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Law, Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Criminal Justice programme	Not all majors are eligible – please check the regulations Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Business School First Year Scholarship for Excellence	\$5,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Commerce	Dependent on achievement of Merit or higher at NCEA Level 2, or an equivalent university entrance qualification	15 August
UC Business School Enterprise Scholarship	\$5,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Commerce and who are involved in entrepreneurial activities, either as an individual initiative, or through a school's Business Studies programme, the Young Enterprise Scheme, or some other entrepreneurship programme		15 August

Engineering

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
Edna Waddell Undergraduate Scholarships for Women	\$5,000	Female first-year undergraduate students studying Technology or Engineering	For more information please see www.universitiesnz.ac.nz	1 September
DIALOG Fitzroy University of Canterbury Engineering Scholarship	One-Year Scholarship: \$5,000 Two-Year Scholarship: \$15,000 per annum	First-year undergraduate students from the Taranaki region intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Chemical and Process Engineering, Civil Engineering, Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Mechanical Engineering or Natural Resources Engineering	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
Aruhiko - Power Engineering Excellence Trust Undergraduate Scholarship	\$3,000 (for school leavers)	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol/enrolled in a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Electrical and Electronic Engineering	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Engineering Top Achievers Scholarship	\$5,000 per annum, or \$1,500 per annum for two years	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)	Applicants must have studied at secondary level either (1) in Aotearoa New Zealand, or (2) overseas at Te Aho o Te Kura Pounamu. International students who meet these requirements are eligible to apply Open to students commencing their first undergraduate year	15 August
UC Engineering Māori Scholarship	\$5,000 or \$3,000 or \$1,000	First-year Māori undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)	Open to students commencing their first undergraduate year	15 August
UC Engineering Pacific/Pasifika Scholarship	\$5,000 or \$3,000 or \$1,000	First-year Pacific/Pasifika undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)	Open to students commencing their first undergraduate year	15 August
UC Mathematics and Statistics STAR Scholarship	\$5,000 per annum for three years	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in at least 60 points per academic year of taught courses that contribute to a degree programme with a major in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applied Data Science; or • Computational and Applied Mathematical Sciences; or • Data Science; or • Financial Engineering; or • Mathematics; or • Statistics 	Applicants must be enrolled in the STAR course offered by the School of Mathematics and Statistics at the University (MATH199)	1 November
Wairarapa Takahē UC Engineering Scholarship	\$4,500	First-year undergraduate students who studied in the territory of the Masterton District Council intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) in Civil or Natural Resources Engineering	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August

Health, Education and Sports Coaching

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
UC Te Kaupeka Ako Faculty of Education Pacific/Pasifika Scholarship	\$5,000	First-year Pacific/Pasifika undergraduate students intending to enrol in a degree programme in Education		15 August
UC Te Kaupeka Oranga Faculty of Health Māori Scholarship	\$5,000	First-year Māori undergraduate students intending to enrol in a degree programme in Health		15 August
UC Te Kaupeka Oranga Faculty of Health Pacific/Pasifika Scholarship	\$5,000	First-year Pacific/Pasifika undergraduate students intending to enrol in a degree programme in Health		15 August

Forestry

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
UC School of Forestry High Achievers Award	\$2,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Forestry Science	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August

Mathematics & Statistics

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
AIMS Scholarship	\$5,000	All first-year undergraduate students who completed MATH199 AIMS – Advancing in Mathematical Science in 2021	The scholarship will be offered to all eligible candidates who receive an A+ grade in the course MATH 199 AIMS – Advancing in Mathematical Sciences	No application required
UC Mathematics and Statistics High Achievers Award	\$2,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a BSc or BA with a major in Mathematics, Statistics, Data Science or Financial Engineering	Can be applied for during a gap year Must be enrolled in specific courses	15 August
UC Mathematics and Statistics STAR Scholarship	\$5,000 per annum for three years	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in at least 60 points per academic year of taught courses that contribute to a degree programme with a major in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applied Data Science; or • Computational and Applied Mathematical Sciences; or • Data Science; or • Financial Engineering; or • Mathematics; or • Statistics 	Applicants must be enrolled in the STAR course offered by the School of Mathematics and Statistics at the University (MATH 199)	1 November

Law

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
John Waller Memorial Scholarship	\$6,000 per annum for three years, plus mentorship and internship opportunities	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Law, Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Criminal Justice programme	Not all majors are eligible – please check the regulations Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Kaupeka Ture – Faculty of Law First Year Award for Excellence	\$5,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Law	Dependent on achievement of Merit or higher at NCEA Level 2, or an equivalent university entrance qualification	15 August

Product Design

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
UC Product Design Scholarship	\$5,000 per annum for up to two years	First year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Product Design	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August

Science

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
Edna Waddell Undergraduate Scholarships for Women	\$5,000	First-year undergraduate female students studying Technology or Engineering	For more information please see www.universitiesnz.ac.nz	1 September
Elaine P Snowden Scholarship in Astronomy	\$4,000 towards tuition fees and \$1,000 towards expenses	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a degree programme that includes at least one Astronomy course	Students must be under 19 years old on 1 January 2023	15 August
John Waller Memorial Scholarship	\$6,000 per annum for three years, plus mentorship and internship opportunities	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Law, Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Criminal Justice programme	Not all majors are eligible - please check the regulations Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
Leigh and Judith Pownall Scholarship	\$5,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to major in Geography or Music	Applicants must be citizens of New Zealand or holders of New Zealand residence class visas Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Computer Science High Achievers Award	\$2,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
UC Mathematics and Statistics High Achievers Award	\$2,000	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in a BSc or BA with a major in Mathematics, Statistics, Data Science or Financial Engineering	Can be applied for during a gap year	15 August
The UC Mathematics and Statistics STAR Scholarship	\$5,000 per annum for up to three years	First-year undergraduate students intending to enrol in at least 60 points per academic year of taught courses that contribute to a degree programme with a major in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applied Data Science; or • Computational and Applied Mathematical Sciences; or • Data Science; or • Financial Engineering; or • Mathematics; or • Statistics 	Applicants must be enrolled in the STAR course offered by the School of Mathematics and Statistics at the University (MATH 199)	1 November

International*

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
UC International First Year Scholarship (NZ School Leaver)	\$15,000 towards tuition fees	First-year, full-fee-paying, international undergraduate students	Applicants must have completed, or be completing, a University Entrance qualification or equivalent and have studied at secondary level in New Zealand in the year of application (or in the previous year if they are on a gap year) Open to students commencing their first undergraduate year	15 August
UC International First Year Scholarship (Offshore)	\$15,000 towards tuition fees	First-year international undergraduate students Students who are completing/ have completed a programme at the UC International College (UCIC) are eligible to apply	Recipients must be full fee-paying international students Open to students commencing their first undergraduate year	31 October 15 April
UC Engineering International Scholarship	\$15,000	First-year international undergraduate students who intend to enrol in a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours). Students who are completing/have completed a programme at the UC International College are eligible to apply	Recipients must be full fee paying international students	15 August 31 October 1 March
Tan Sri Datuk Oh Siew Nam P.S.M, P.J.N Malaysian Scholarship	Up to \$20,000 towards tuition fees	Malaysian students intending to enrol/enrolled in an undergraduate degree programme	Applicants must be citizens of Malaysia	31 October
Kuching Malaysian Alumni Scholarship	Up to \$10,000 towards tuition fees	Undergraduate students from the Kuching Division, Sarawak, Malaysia	Applicants must have been born in the Kuching Division, Sarawak, Malaysia and/or have attended a primary or secondary school in the Kuching Division for at least five years	31 October

* International students may also be eligible for other scholarships, please check the regulations for other scholarships to confirm eligibility.

Māori and Pacific/Pasifika

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
UC Engineering Māori Scholarship	\$5,000 or \$3,000 or \$1,000	First-year Māori undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)	Open to students commencing their first undergraduate year	15 August
UC Engineering Pacific/Pasifika Scholarship	\$5,000 or \$3,000 or \$1,000	First-year Pacific/Pasifika undergraduate students intending to enrol in a Bachelor of Engineering (Honours)	Open to students commencing their first undergraduate year	15 August
UC Te Kaupeka Ako Faculty of Education Māori Scholarship	\$5,000	First-year Māori undergraduate students intending to enrol in a degree programme in Education		15 August
UC Te Kaupeka Ako Faculty of Education Pacific/Pasifika Scholarship	\$5,000	First-year Pacific/Pasifika undergraduate students intending to enrol in a degree programme in Education		15 August
UC Te Kaupeka Oranga Faculty of Health Māori Scholarship	\$5,000	First-year Māori undergraduate students intending to enrol in a degree programme in Health		15 August
UC Te Kaupeka Oranga Faculty of Health Pacific/Pasifika Scholarship	\$5,000	First-year Pacific/Pasifika undergraduate students intending to enrol in a degree programme in Health		15 August
UC Kaitoko Māori Scholarship	\$6,000 towards accommodation fees at a UC-recognised hall of residence in the year of tenure, or second year tuition fees, as well as an opportunity to participate in the UC Māori leadership programme, Paihere, and a UC-sponsored general leadership programme	First-year Māori undergraduate students intending to enrol in any degree programme	Dependent on achievement of Merit or higher at NCEA Level 2, or an equivalent university-entrance qualification Open to students commencing their first undergraduate year	15 August
UC Kaitoko Pacific/Pasifika Scholarship	\$6,000 towards accommodation fees at a UC-recognised hall of residence in the year of tenure, or second year tuition fees, as well as an opportunity to participate in a UC-sponsored leadership programme	First-year Pacific/Pasifika undergraduate students intending to enrol in any degree programme	Dependent on achievement of Merit or higher at NCEA Level 2, or an equivalent university-entrance qualification Open to students commencing their first undergraduate year	15 August

UC 150th Scholarship

Scholarship Name	Value	Who is Eligible?	Other Relevant Information	Closing Date
Te Kakau a Māui Scholarship	Tuition fees for the duration of an undergraduate degree	Applicants must have attended a decile 1-7 school in the South Island	Only open to domestic students	15 August



‘So grateful for the support I have been able to get through the UC Haupatu Scholarship. Gaining access to the sports facilities at UC has definitely helped me in the lead up to the winter sports season.’

Anna F

Selwyn College

UC Hiranga Scholarship

UC Haupatu Scholarship

Scholarships for Accommodation

Arcady Hall Scholarships

www.arcadyhall.org.nz

- x3 Arcady Hall Academic Merit Scholarships (\$2,000)
- Churchill Julius Scholarship (\$2,000)
- Warwick Sherwood Scholarship (\$2,000)
- Sadie Penny Scholarship (\$2,000)
- x5 Academic Excellence Awards (\$500)
Awarded to a student excelling in their studies in the following areas; Arts, Business & Law, Engineering, Science, Education, Health and Human Development
- Rita Angus Cultural Award (\$500)
- Daphne Fahy Cup (\$500)

Rochester and Rutherford Hall Scholarships

www.rochester-rutherford.org.nz

- Entrance Scholarship(s) for Excellence in Academic Performance at Year 13 (\$1,500)
- Rochester and Rutherford Academic Distinction and Merit Awards – based on Semester 1 results (\$50 – \$200)
- Leadership Scholarships in Cultural, Sport and Community areas (\$1,500)
- Leadership-Academic/Cultural-Academic/Community-Academic/Sport – awarded in third term (\$1,500.00 each)
- Rutherford Hall Board Community Service Award (\$1,500)
- Rochester Trust Board Community Service Award (\$1,500)
- Rochester Trust Board Scholarships to top performing students in Arts, Business and Law, Engineering, Education, and Science – based on Semester 1 Results (\$500)
- Rutherford Hall Board Art and Photography Competition (\$1,000)
- Rochester Trust Board Performing Arts Scholarship (\$1,000)
- Rochester and Rutherford Hall National Representative Scholarships (\$1,000)
- Rochester and Rutherford Merit Scholarships – financial hardship (\$2,000)

College House Scholarships

www.collegehouse.org.nz/scholarships

- Two College House Entrance Scholarships for financial need (50% of annual boarding fee)
- Three first-year scholarships for Academic Achievement and Excellence in Culture and Performing Arts, in Sport and Leadership, and for All Round Excellence (\$1,000)
- Lyall Holmes Scholarship – Engineering (up to \$1,000)
- Buller and Reay Scholarship – Arts: Visual and/or Performance (\$1,000)
- Rowley Scholarship – Science and/or Commerce (up to \$1,000)
- Crowley Weston Scholarship – Law (up to \$4,000)
- Mary Olif Davey Scholarship – one or more of Zoology, Botany, Biology, Chemistry, Biochemistry (\$1,000)
- George T Weston Memorial Bursary (\$2,000)
- The Fraser Flanagan Memorial Fellowship – financial need (up to \$3,000)
- McLaren East Scholarships – contribution to College House (\$500)
- White House Scholarship - for financial need (\$3,000)
- Nineteen College House Leadership Scholarships – for second-year residents who assume leadership positions (\$1,675)

Helen Macmillan Brown Bursaries – 15 August 2022

Up to six bursaries of \$2,500 available to female students. Students must be residents of a UC recognised halls of residence during tenure of the bursary.

Go Waitaha Scholarship – 15 August 2022

\$5,000 towards accommodation costs at University Hall, personal development and educational recreational opportunities.

For Year 13 students* who are either attending an Auckland or Wellington school, or are living in the Auckland or Wellington region. Applicants must have gained NCEA Level 2 with Merit or Excellence.

Check with your intended hall of residence for other available scholarships and for application details.



‘The Emerging Leaders development program has allowed me to meet such amazing people; outgoing and passionate individuals who take every opportunity to push themselves and others around them. It has been such an honor to be among so many talented students from across Aotearoa.’

Seamus T

Lincoln High School

UC Hiranga Scholarship

UC Horomata Scholarship

* Open to all students commencing their first undergraduate year.

Additional Information

Hints & Tips

1 Start your applications early

It takes time to complete a scholarship application and the earlier you start, the more time you will have to provide all the relevant information and documents, to have your referee supply a reference, and to write your statements. You will also have time to go back to your application and make changes and improvements.

2 Read the regulations

Each scholarship has a set of rules called 'regulations' which provide information to applicants and our selection committees. You can find scholarship regulations on the UC website within the scholarship pages. It is important you read these regulations to work out if you are eligible for the scholarship, what the selection criteria are, what conditions you need to meet while holding the scholarship and when you must complete your application.

3 Apply for all the scholarships you are eligible for

Each scholarship has different eligibility criteria that an applicant must meet so they can be considered for that scholarship. These criteria may include things such as:

- Specific gender, age or ethnicity
- Specific level of study
- Subject or course
- Citizenship
- Academic achievement
- Region you grew up in/went to school

International students may apply for scholarships unless the regulations specifically restrict the scholarship to NZ citizens or holders of NZ residence class visas.

4 Talk to your references

Some scholarships will ask you to provide names and contact details of a referee - sometimes more than one will be needed. Think about who you will use as a referee if required. Look at the information in the regulations, as well as the guidance provided in the application, to identify the most appropriate person. Make sure you ask your referees early on and that they are aware of their submission date. Remember that your referee may have been asked by other people to provide a reference and they need time to be able to complete all requests.

5 Submit your application by the deadline

Once a scholarship closes for application, the processing of all applications begins. To be considered you must have submitted your application. Every year we have applicants who did not submit their application and we are unable to progress them further. Late applications will not be accepted.

6 Sell yourself!

The reality is you have limited space in your scholarship application to let our committees know why you are the most deserving individual. Be specific and confident in who you are.



Are you eligible for the Fees-Free Scheme?

You may qualify for the equivalent of one year's fees-free if you are a New Zealand citizen or resident and:

- were at school between 2021 to 2022 (other than as an adult student) or;
- haven't recently left school but have done less than half a year of tertiary study or training

How will this affect your scholarship?

Students who receive a First Year UC tuition fee scholarship for 2023 and are eligible for fees-free study in 2023 will have their UC scholarship payment deferred until 2024, meaning up to two years of fees-free at UC, one funded by the Government, and one by UC.

Do you need to do anything now?

UC will be in touch with you about your scholarship in 2023. To check your eligibility for fees free tertiary study, visit www.feesfree.govt.nz.

Other places to look for scholarships:

- **givME www.generosity.org.nz/giv-me**
A paid subscription service which offers access to 1000+ funding opportunities through non-university organisations.
- **Careers NZ www.careers.govt.nz**
Links to a number of sources of scholarship funding in areas such as: area of study, community service or involvement, ethnicity, financial hardship, industry of trade of interest and leadership.
- **MoneyHub www.moneyhub.co.nz**
MoneyHub provides a complete list of all scholarships available to 2022 Year 13 students who are intending to study in 2023.
- **TeachNZ www.teachnz.govt.nz/scholarships**
TeachNZ provide scholarships that focus on areas where teachers are most needed.

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