

## Scholarship for TAFE students 2022

### Scholarship Snapshot

<b>Overview</b>	The scholarship aims to assist high achieving and highly motivated local students who have been offered a place at an Australian TAFE institute and are experiencing financial and/or social challenges.
<b>Eligible course / level of study</b>	<b>Eligible courses include:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Full-time or competency based completion (Apprenticeships)</li><li>• Certificate I, II, III or IV</li><li>• Diploma, Advanced Diploma or Associate Degree</li><li>• <b>Course must be of at least 10 weeks' duration for full-time study or the part time equivalent</b></li></ul> <b>Courses ineligible</b> for this scholarship include VETiS, Foundation level training and short courses
<b>Study area</b>	All
<b>Scholarship type</b>	Need based, Merit based
<b>Duration</b>	One year initially but may be awarded for up to two years (dependent upon academic performance)
<b>Intention of Scholarship</b>	Study related expenses including accommodation and course costs, study related materials/equipment, text books, tutoring and/or educational related travel (within Australia)
<b>Award Value</b>	\$5,000 (per annum) per student
<b>Eligibility</b>	<b>To be eligible the student must meet the following criteria:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident</li><li>• must reside in postcodes 4221, 4223, 4224, 4225, 4228, 2485, 2486</li><li>• should be able to demonstrate the challenging circumstances (financial &amp;/or social) hindering the student's ability to undertake further study</li><li>• should be academically motivated</li><li>• should be able to demonstrate community involvement.</li></ul> <b>TAFE Scholarship Specific Qualification criteria:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• must be aged 16 – 25 as at 31 January 2022<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– students under the age of 18 years will require parental / guardian consent to accept this scholarship</li></ul></li><li>• must have left secondary school — having completed Year 10 as a minimum</li><li>• must have been offered a place to study at an approved Australian TAFE institute campus, in an approved Australian course in 2022</li><li>• Applicants can be studying on campus and/or off campus (including on-line)</li><li>• Applicants can be studying on a full-time or part-time basis</li></ul>
<b>Nationality</b>	Australian citizen or permanent resident
<b>Application dates</b>	OPEN: 23 August 2021 CLOSE: 31 January 2022
<b>How to apply</b>	Applications are invited from 23 August 2021 and can only be submitted online. Please visit <a href="http://bendigobank.com.au/scholarships">bendigobank.com.au/scholarships</a> for more information from this date.
<b>Criteria</b>	Scholarships will be awarded on the recommendation of a selection committee and will be based on how an applicant addresses the following criteria: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Academic achievement</li><li>• Financial and/or social challenges</li><li>• Evidence of leadership and citizenship within their communities</li></ul>
<b>Further Information</b>	The website will contain full information from 23 August 2021 If you still have a query, please contact Maris Dirx on 0421 215 596

The summary above is intended to provide you with a quick snapshot only. Please ensure you review all information provided on the website (during the application open period) thoroughly before you consider applying.