



**Nelson Soroptimist Education Trust**  
**Supporting the Education**  
**of Women and Girls**

### NMIT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Nelson Soroptimist Education Trust scholarship of \$1,500 is available to female student who is a New Zealand citizen or permanent resident enrolled in a second year of full time study for a degree at the Nelson Marlborough Institute of Technology (NMIT).

In considering applicants, the Nelson Soroptimist Education Trust will give preference to applicants who have performed well in the previous year's study and are experiencing personal or financial hardship in completing requirements for their degree.

<b>Name of applicant:</b>	
<b>Postal Address:</b>	
<b>Telephone (daytime):</b>	<b>Email:</b>
<b>Date of birth:</b>	<b>Place of birth:</b>
<b>Nationality (citizenship):</b>	<b>If <u>not</u> a New Zealand citizen, do you have permanent residence in NZ? Yes / No (delete one)</b>

**1. ACADEMIC RECORD BEFORE ENROLLING IN CURRENT DEGREE COURSE**

Highest qualification gained at	Qualification gained or subjects passed (quote grade for each subject)	Year	Name of school, college, institution or tertiary provider
<i>1. Secondary school</i>			
<i>2. Other course(s) successfully completed</i>			

2. NAME OF YOUR CURRENT DEGREE COURSE: .....

Are you studying full time or part time? .....

When do you expect to complete your degree (month/year) .....

Grades achieved for major subjects completed last year:

Subject	Grade	Subject	Grade

3. FUTURE GOALS:

State the overall aim of your study, and how you expect the degree to help:

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4. FINANCIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

Please explain briefly, your financial circumstances:

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Outline any special circumstances which may help your application for a Nelson Soroptimist scholarship on grounds of financial hardship.

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**Have you applied for other scholarships this year? ..... If so, please list:**  
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**7. REFEREES**

Please provide names and contact details for two people who are not family members but who are familiar with your education and background and willing to provide a reference to the Trust.

If your application is placed on the shortlist, your chosen referees will be contacted by the Trustees.

<b>Name and relationship of referee to applicant (e.g. colleague, supervisor)</b>	<b>Email address</b>	<b>Daytime Telephone</b>
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Successful applicants will be required to sign a Letter of Agreement similar to that attached to this application. Please read this carefully to be sure you can agree to these requirements.

Your application should be sent to Joy Oakly, Secretary, Nelson Soroptimist Education Trust by post or email to:

Mailing address: 346 Wakapuaka Road, RD1 Nelson 7071  
Or email to: [jl\\_oakly@xtra.co.nz](mailto:jl_oakly@xtra.co.nz)

## NELSON SOROPTIMISTS SCHOLARSHIP - PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT

**Contact person mailing address:** 14 Fifeshire Crescent,  
Stepneyville, Nelson 7010

**Email:** [sandygoogling@gmail.com](mailto:sandygoogling@gmail.com)

Dear .....

### Sample Letter of Agreement (LOA)

Trustees of the Nelson Soroptimist Education Trust are pleased to advise that your application for funding towards your (*name degree course*) has been approved, and undertakes to provide \$1,500.00 upon receipt of a signed copy of this letter. Please acknowledge receipt of the funds as soon as they are received.

You may be asked to speak or make a presentation on your (study/work/research) at a trustee meeting on completion of your degree course work.

You are required to keep us informed on your progress via your contact person, and to seek approval should you wish to make significant changes to your stated plan.

You are also required to provide a brief report on your progress and achievements by email mid-year and upon completion of your study.

Two copies of the letter are enclosed. Please sign both, and retain one copy for your records. The other is to be returned to (*name*) who is your contact person for the Scholarship. She will be happy to provide further information or assistance to you.

Signed: .....

Date .....

Print name: .....

Position.....

**(for the Trust)**

I accept the above terms and conditions.

Signed.....

Date.....

Print name .....

**(Scholar/Awardee)**