



Zonta Club of Marlborough Scholarship Terms of Reference

Value: \$ 1,000.00

Aim of the Scholarship:

Zonta Club Marlborough seeks to have the scholarship awarded to women returning to study, who have a real need to improve their educational and financial position and have enrolled at NMIT Marlborough Campus in 2022 to start or continue a course leading to a recognized qualification.

This scholarship is designed to assist students with approved course fees or course related costs.

Application due date: 5pm, 11 February 2022

Selection criteria:

- Applicants who identify themselves upon enrolment as being female
- Enrolled on a full-time programme or a Career related part time programme at the Marlborough Campus and meet the specific entry requirements.
- The applicant must be a New Zealand citizen or permanent resident.

The applicant will need to demonstrate the potential to succeed in their studies by providing:

- Two references - please read scholarship guidance document
- A statement of approx. 500 words outlining their future study and career goals, as well as demonstrating how the financial assistance from Zonta Club Marlborough Scholarship, will assist them in achieving those goals.
- The applicant may also need to attend a Scholarship panel interview if required.

What do you receive?


A scholarship of \$1,000. to be applied to the **applicant's** NMIT programme fees firstly, or course related fees.

What do you need to commit to?

- Students must write to the Zonta Club of Marlborough and inform them of their progress during the year.
- The successful recipient must attend the Scholarship Presentation Ceremony in 2022 at the Marlborough Campus and agree to be available for promotional purposes by NMIT/Zonta Club Marlborough.

Terms & Conditions

1. The scholarship may not be awarded in any given year if the caliber 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. The scholarship does not cover student association fees, re-sit costs or repeat course costs.
3. If you withdraw, or do not complete course requirements, the scholarship may need to be repaid. This will be at the discretion of Zonta Club Marlborough and NMIT. You must advise scholarships@nmit.ac.nz of your change of circumstances.
4. This scholarship cannot be taken in conjunction with any other NMIT scholarship.
5. The student must have commenced study with NMIT and payment of the programme of study made within the NMIT Guidelines, not relying solely on the outcome of the Scholarship being awarded.
6. The decision about awarding the scholarships will be made by a panel which includes representatives from Zonta Club of Marlborough, One Allied and NMIT. Decisions of the Panel are final and are not open to appeal.

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7. Applications must be completed online via the NMIT website and received by 5pm, 11 February 2022. Late applications will not be accepted. The scholarship will be announced two weeks after the closing date and awarded at the Scholarship Ceremony which you must attend.
 8. 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 confirms your acceptance of the scholarship and agreement to perform any obligations, as stated in the Terms of Reference associated with this scholarship.
 9. If a debt exists to StudyLink or NMIT, it will be paid to those accounts in the first instance. If no debt is present and financial assistance is required to purchase course related costs, then this will be paid into a nominated bank account.
 10. The award of the scholarship may be acknowledged in media and marketing material by both NMIT and Zonta Club Marlborough.
 11. In accordance with the Privacy Act 1993, you will need to sign a Release Form giving your permission for NMIT and Zonta Club Marlborough to use your personal information for publicity in relation to the scholarship. You can control the content and the length of time it is used.

StudyLink Notes: Recent permanent residents and Australian citizens will now be subject to a three year stand down before they can access student loans via StudyLink. For more information please contact www.studylink.govt.nz.