At TAFE Queensland we give people the practical skills to do extraordinary things.

Whether you are about to finish school, upskilling or looking for a new career, find out how we can help you make great happen.

**TYPES OF SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE**

**Merit** scholarships are awarded to students who have achieved outstanding academic merit or demonstrate strong work performance along with the demonstrable desire to secure ongoing employment in the industry in which they have applied for the scholarship.

**Access and equity** scholarships provide equitable access to study at TAFE Queensland. They are awarded to students who can demonstrate a genuine interest in and commitment to their chosen career and identify themselves with one or more of the following categories:

- Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent
- significant caring responsibilities
- a disability or long-term medical condition or illness
- long-term unemployed (longer than 6 months)
- sole parent
- suffering significant financial difficulties or social barriers to study
- another specified disadvantage,

**INDUSTRY AREAS AND QUALIFICATIONS**

Scholarships are available across a wide range of study areas. A full list of eligible TAFE Queensland courses can be found at scholarships.tafeqld.edu.au

**ELIGIBILITY**

To be eligible to apply for a scholarship, you must be:

- an Australian citizen or Australian permanent resident (certified evidence must be provided)
- a current student enrolled or a prospective student intending to enrol in an approved TAFE Queensland qualification for the next period of study.

The TAFE Queensland Scholarships are awarded subject to the TAFE Queensland - Scholarship Programs Terms and Conditions which can be found at scholarships.tafeqld.edu.au

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SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS
You will need to attach copies of key documents as part of your application. The selection committee will use this information to make sure you are eligible and to assess your application.

Only complete applications will be considered, so before you submit your application make sure you have read the TAFE Queensland – Scholarship Program Terms and Conditions and have attached all the required information.

ASSESSMENT PROCESS AND TIMELINES
Scholarships will be assessed and awarded annually, for start of study in Semester 1 the following year.

The TAFE Queensland Scholarships Selection Committee will assess the information you provide in your application, against the identified selection criteria.

Following the selection process, you will receive notification of the outcome of your application.

SCHOLARSHIP PAYMENTS
For access and equity scholarships:
Scholarship money will be paid via electronic funds transfer directly into your bank account. The bank account must be in your name.

The total scholarship payment will be $5,000 split into three payments as follows:

- Payment 1: $2,000 will be paid at the commencement of the qualification on proof of enrolment and attendance
- Payment 2: $2,000 will be paid part-way through the qualification - on completion of a full semester of study
- Payment 3: $1,000 will be paid as follows:
  - For scholarship recipients studying a Bachelor degree with TAFE Queensland – on completion of the first half of the degree; or
  - for all other scholarship recipients – on evidence of successful completion of the qualification.

Access and equity scholarship payments can be used to meet costs including:
- course fees
- tuition costs
- cost of books and other study materials
- uniform/PPE
- tools or equipment
- cost of childcare
- living away from home
- travel costs.

For merit scholarships:
- Merit scholarships will be issued directly by TAFE Queensland and will be applied as a fee waiver to your course fees at the time of processing.
- Fee waivers will be applied to student contribution, after concessions in relation to the specific qualification for which the scholarship was awarded, up to the maximum tier values as follows:
  - $1,500 for Certificate III qualifications
  - $3,000 for Certificate IV qualifications
  - $5,000 for Diploma qualifications and above
- Merit scholarships cannot be converted into money or money’s worth.

Please refer to the TAFE Queensland Scholarship Terms and Conditions for full payment details.

To apply for a TAFE Queensland Scholarship, you will need to complete the online application form which can be found at scholarships.tafeqld.edu.au

You will need to complete all relevant sections, ensuring you provide answers to all of the questions.

If there is anything else you would like to tell us, you can upload up to 10 files to support your application.

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