

Massey Halls Student Accommodation Scholarship

Scholarship Regulations

Focus

Accommodation

Level of Study

Undergraduate

Purpose

Accommodation scholarships support new students enrolling at Massey University. Applicants should have a record of academic excellence, leadership, and community engagement and contribution

Value and Tenure

Albany Campus:

Two \$5,000 scholarships; one to go to a student who identifies as Māori

Manawatū Campus:

Three \$5,000 scholarships; one to go to a student who identifies as Māori

Eligibility

All applicants must meet the following eligibility criteria:

- intending to enrol for full-time study and for a full academic year
- made an application to live at either Massey Halls Auckland or Massey Halls Manawatū
- intend to reside in the Halls for the year following the award
- be a New Zealand Resident and school leaver
- study at Massey Auckland University campus or Massey Manawatū University campus
- be a new Massey undergraduate student who has not studied at another tertiary institution, irrespective of country
- be prepared to enter into a residential agreement with Massey Halls Auckland or Massey Halls Manawatū

All applicants need to meet the entry criteria for the programme they intend to enrol in at Massey University.

School leavers must be able to demonstrate leadership at school or within the community; provide a personal statement or testimony, written by the applicant, including a justification as to why they should be considered for the scholarship.

Selection Criteria

Applications are assessed based on evidence of academic excellence, leadership, and community engagement and contribution:

- **Academic excellence:** A record of Excellence across subject areas relevant to the proposed course of study at Massey University, with supporting record of Excellence and Merit in other subjects.
- **Leadership:** Both in and out of school, as evidenced by leadership roles, skills and qualities, development and growth. This may include, for example, awards for leadership, engagement in clubs and organisations, opportunities for leadership growth and development, service-related engagement, marae responsibilities, church duties, or leading change initiatives.
- **Community Engagement and Contribution:** Evidence of contributions to the local, national and/or international community. This may include, for example, working with whānau, iwi or hapū, community action projects, marae engagement, church service, Scouting, Council work, volunteerism, education community partnerships, and awards or recognition for service.

Applicants must provide a completed scholarship application form. A personal statement or testimony separately in written, audio or video form. Copies of school reports for Year 12 and 13 and evidence of acceptance into Massey University, when available.

Selection Panel

The Massey Halls Scholarship Review Team is responsible for awarding of the Massey Halls scholarships. The panel reserves the right to not award all scholarships in a year if there are no or insufficient suitable candidates apply

Conditions of the Scholarship

If a scholarship recipient leaves Massey Halls for any reason, their scholarship will be terminated immediately and a lump sum applied to their account on a pro-rata basis and will be required to pay this sum immediately before departure.

The scholarship is in New Zealand dollars and is credited towards the accommodation fees the last 12 – 15 weeks of the residential agreement. The scholarship credit cannot be applied to any administration or contingency fees.

These scholarships are not tenable with other Massey University scholarships