

H & U G McNeill Extramural Fund

Bursary Regulations

Focus

Distance students, hardship

Level of Study

Undergraduate and Postgraduate

Purpose

The H and U. G. McNeill Extramural Fund assists any distance student in need of financial assistance to continue study. Preference is given to students of Pacific ethnicity.

Background

This fund was established by a donation from Eugene McNeill in memory of his parents, Hugh and Ulrika Georgina McNeill. Eugene was a keen Massey University postgraduate student and supporter.

Value and Tenure

The value of the bursaries is determined each year from the interest earned on the capital. The tenure is for a single academic year.

Typical Number on Offer

Three bursaries are typically offered each year.

Eligibility

Applicants must be enrolled by distance in all courses taken in the year of application.

Selection Criteria

The award is made on the basis of the applicant's demonstrable financial hardship. Preference is given to students of Pacific Island descent and can provide evidence to that effect.

Selection Panel

The bursary is awarded by the University Scholarships Committee. It has the right to refrain from making an award if there are no suitable applicants and its decision is final.

Conditions of the Bursary

The bursary may be held in conjunction with other scholarships, bursaries or awards, so long as those scholarships, bursaries or awards permit co-tenure.