

FIANZ Scholarship Grant Scheme

As part of FIANZ's commitment to education, the FIANZ Education Development Committee has launched a scheme to provide scholarship grants for 15 New Zealand Muslim students who are already enrolled in a New Zealand Tertiary Institutions and have shown commitment to succeed in their chosen tertiary studies.

The scholarship is open to New Zealand Muslim students who are nominated or endorsed by their local Islamic Association/Trust or any other relevant body (subject to selection committee approval).

Scholarship Details

- \$2000 towards study related expenses (one-off for each recipient, committee discretion applies)
- 15 recipients to be decided nationally, with an aim for regional allocation to ensure fair distribution.
- To be awarded in March 2024.
- Scholarship applications due Sunday 4th February 2024.

Eligibility Criteria:

A student who:

- Has spent more than one year in tertiary studies with course fees applicable in the year they are applying for the scholarship.
 - I.e. Students receiving the Government's Fees-Free Scheme in 2024 are not eligible for this scholarship.
- Has shown great potential and commitment to succeeding in tertiary education;
- Is an active member of the local Muslim youth and/or is involved in local community activities more generally;
- Has not previously received a FIANZ Scholarship Grant, and is not a current recipient of another scholarship grant;
- Is willing to attend a scholarship award function if/when organised
- Students from "disadvantaged families or in financial hardship" may be given priority
- Must be NZ permanent resident or NZ citizen studying at a New Zealand tertiary institution

Application and Approval Process

- FIANZ Education Development Committee is managing the scheme. Once applications are received, the committee will go through them and make selection according to the above criteria.
- Application forms can be obtained on the FIANZ website, Facebook page, and are linked [here](#).
- Successful applicants will be advised in March.
- If you have any questions, please direct them to FIANZ EDC at info@fianz.com

Approved by FIANZ EDUCATION DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE (FIANZ EDC)

