
*Florence Polson Secondary School
Boarding Bursary*

Rural Women New Zealand Branch

wishes to nominate as an applicant for a Rural Women New Zealand Secondary School Boarding Bursary.

Signed: Branch Officer Date:/...../.....

DETAILS OF APPLICANT

Name:

Phone: (.....) Mobile: (.....)

Dependent of Date of Birth:/...../.....

Address: Postcode:

Name of Secondary School to be enrolled at

Reasons for needing to live away from home to attend Secondary School

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Number and ages of children in the family

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Relationship to a RWNZ member

Does applicant qualify for a State Boarding Bursary?

What, if any, other financial assistance has been applied for?

Has this applicant or any member of this family had assistance from the Rural Women New Zealand Bursary and Education Fund? If yes, complete details below.

Name:

Type of assistance..... Year(s) received

DECLARATION

I understand that if my child is granted a Boarding Bursary, that I am obliged to inform Rural Women New Zealand National Office immediately if my child leaves school or ceases to board away from home, and that in these circumstances I may be obliged to refund the whole or part of the Bursary as determined by the Rural Women New Zealand Board.

I acknowledge that all information on this application will be kept only for the purpose for which it was collected and that it will not be used for other purposes.

I acknowledge that RWNZ has the right to directly contact the referees for further information.

I agree that a list of the successful applicants may be published.

Signed:
Parent/Principal Caregiver

Date:/...../.....

CONDITIONS

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1. This application form must be accompanied by the following:
 - a) a letter outlining the reasons for requiring this financial assistance, written by a parent or principal caregiver;
 - b) a supporting letter from the principal or a current teacher
 - c) a character reference from a responsible Officer of the Rural Women New Zealand Branch, concerning the circumstances of the family and the need for assistance in educating the applicant;
 - d) a character reference from a responsible citizen other than a teacher or member of the Rural Women New Zealand Branch.

Note: The above character references may be sent directly by the referee to Rural Women New Zealand, marked *Bursary/Confidential*.

2. Payment of the Bursary is for one year only and will be made by April, once confirmation of the applicant's enrolment at the secondary school has been received. Payment will be made direct to the principal caregiver, who must advise Rural Women New Zealand.

National Office immediately if the applicant leaves school or no longer boards away from home. A proportional refund of the Bursary may be required.

3. Confirmation of return to school must be sent in by the parent or caregiver on request to ensure payment of the Bursary in April each year.
4. Any student meeting the criteria who is a New Zealand citizen is eligible to apply for this Bursary.
5. The decision of National Board of Rural Women New Zealand is final and no discussion will be entered into.

Applications will be considered by the Bursary Committee of Rural Women New Zealand at the October meeting. The decision of the Committee is final and all candidates will be notified of the results of their application by 30 November.

**LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED
APPLICATIONS MUST BE SIGNED BY AN OFFICE-HOLDER FROM THE BRANCH**

2 COPIES OF EVERYTHING REQUIRED PLEASE

Application to be received by Rural Women New Zealand, by the 30 September

Rural Women New Zealand
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