

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

I acknowledge that Rural Women New Zealand has the right to directly contact the referees for further information.

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

Signed: Applicant Date/...../.....

Conditions

Agricultural Tertiary Bursary for Hawkes Bay District Residents

Agricultural includes

Horticulture; Agriculture; Veterinary; Bee-Keeping; Aqua-Farming; Viticulture; Silviculture. The course of the study must be full-time for at least one year.

1. This application form must be accompanied by the following:
 - a) a letter, written by the applicant, outlining the reasons for requiring this financial assistance, the reasons for the proposed course of study and the intended use of the qualification
 - b) a copy of the previous year's study results, or the last school report (if within three years), or an academic reference.
 - c) Three character references, other than a teacher, confirming the circumstances of the family and the need for financial assistance for the applicant's education, of which one will be from the agricultural sector
 - d) proof of enrolment at University or Polytechnic for at least a one year full time course

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

2. Application to be received by
Rural Women New Zealand
PO Box 12-021
WELLINGTON by **1 March** in any given year

LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED

Applications must be signed by a Rural Women New Zealand office holder or ex office holder

3. Applications will be considered by the Bursary Committee of Rural Women New Zealand Council at the **May** meeting. The decision of the Committee is final and all candidates will be notified of the results of their application.
4. Payment of the Bursary will be made by **1 June** to the applicant.
Rural Women New Zealand National Office must be advised immediately if the applicant withdraws before completing the academic year. A proportional refund will be required if there is no reasonable explanation.
5. The Bursary is payable for up to two years only.
6. Any person meeting the criteria who is a New Zealand citizen and a resident in the Hawkes Bay District is eligible to apply for this Bursary.
7. The decision of National Council of Rural Women New Zealand is final and no discussion will be entered into.

2 COPIES OF EVERYTHING REQUIRED PLEASE