

Criteria for Warburton & Yarra Junction Community Bank® Branches Scholarships 2018

Overview

The Scholarship aims to assist academically capable and committed, but disadvantaged students, from the **Upper Yarra** area, who have been offered a place at an Australian university or college for the first time or will be attending a TAFE for the first time studying at a Diploma or Advance Diploma level.

Faculty:	All
Study area:	All
Scholarship type:	Need based, Merit based, demonstrates a commitment to others
Year of study:	First year undergraduate degree at a University or First year Diploma or Advanced Diploma at a TAFE
Duration:	One year
Intention of Scholarship:	Accommodation costs and/or other expenses directly related to the study by successful applicants (e.g. course costs, travel, study related materials/equipment, text books, tutoring)
Award Value:	Award values within the range of \$1000-\$5000 remain at the discretion of the Selection Committee

Eligibility

To be eligible, you must meet the following criteria:

- Be an Australian citizen or permanent resident. Be a resident of the Upper Yarra region (residing in the postcode areas of 3799 or 3797)
- Be a First Year undergraduate in 2018 (first attendance at an Australian university) or first attendance at a TAFE, studying at Diploma or Advanced Diploma level
- Be studying full-time or part-time in 2018 (all study must take place in Australia)
- Have graduated from secondary school in either 2017 or in 2016 (took a gap year)
- Be able to demonstrate disadvantage (economic and/or social) that would prevent further study
- Be able to demonstrate strong academic commitment
- Be able to demonstrate local community involvement

Applications open – 15 December 2017

Applications close – 29 January 2018

How to apply

Please visit www.upperyarra.net.au for more information.

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Scholarships will be awarded on the recommendation of a selection committee and will be assessed on academic achievement, demonstrated disadvantage and community contribution.

Further Information

The website www.upperyarra.net.au will contain additional information – FAQ, Application form.

Any further queries please contact suyinchan@warburtons.own.net.au