



QUOTA NEW ZEALAND EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP REGION 21 QUOTA INTERNATIONAL INCORPORATED, NEW ZEALAND SUPPORTED BY THE PYE FOUNDATION

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE QUOTA NEW ZEALAND EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP DETAILS OF SCHOLARSHIP

1. The Scholarship shall be known as the Quota New Zealand Educational Scholarship and is available to young women aged 25 years and under planning to study full time for a qualification at a New Zealand Tertiary Institution for the first time in 2018. Tertiary institutions include Technical Colleges and a wide range of full time study courses will be eligible for assistance from this Scholarship.
2. Applicants must be citizens or permanent residents of New Zealand.
3. The Scholarship will not be awarded if the applicant accepts another Scholarship for the same purpose.
4. Each Quota New Zealand Scholarship will have a maximum value of \$5,000.00 and be tenable for one year. The Scholarship must be used towards tuition fees of a nominated New Zealand Tertiary Institute provider. Half the Scholarship will be paid in the First Semester and half in the Second Semester on production of a fees invoice from the nominated Tertiary Institute.
5. To receive the fees payment for the second semester the Scholarship student is required to pass all papers in the first semester. In special circumstances, students who do not achieve the required academic standard may appeal to the Selection Panel for special consideration.
6. The offer of the Scholarship is subject to the candidate fulfilling all requirements for admission to the Tertiary Institute of choice and enrolling in a **full time programme of study in the year of tenure.**
7. The Scholarship shall be administered by Quota International of Auckland Inc. supported by the Pye Foundation.
8. The selection criteria will be based on the applicant's need for financial assistance, academic merit, personal achievement, involvement in their school and in the local community.
9. The Selection Panel will comprise of one trustee of the Pye Foundation or their nominee plus members of Quota International clubs of New Zealand. The Judge's decision will be final and no correspondence will be entered into.
10. Application forms will be available on www.quotanz.org from 1 May 2017.
11. **Applications for the Scholarship will close on 15 July 2017 and the successful candidate will be notified by 15 October 2017.**



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12. Along with a completed application form, applicants are to include a curriculum vitae which highlights the student's eligibility in terms of the following selection criteria:
 - List of personal achievements
 - Reasons why you think you deserve to be awarded the Scholarship including your need for financial assistance.
 - Two references to be sent by the referees directly to **scholarships@quotanz.org or posted to the address below.** These should be typed or in legible handwriting.
 - An essay of how Quota International helps disadvantaged women and children and hearing and speech impaired individuals in New Zealand and in other Quota countries around the world. Applicants are to use the Quota websites www.quotainternational.org and www.quotanz.org to learn more about Quota and the way Quota operates to complete the essay. (No more than 500 words)
13. Please include a **summary** of the applicant's most recent secondary school results that are available and proof of New Zealand citizenship or permanent residency (if required).
14. Shortlisted applicants may be requested to be available for an interview.
15. The Scholarship may be recognised at an annual function with members of Quota International and Pye Foundation Trustees.
16. The Scholarship Panel may refrain from making a recommendation if it finds no candidates of sufficient merit
17. Applications must be submitted by 15 July 2017 to:
 - Quota New Zealand Educational Scholarship
 - Quota International of Auckland Inc.
 - PO Box 99-506
 - Newmarket
 - Auckland 1149