

**UNIVERSITY OF NEW ENGLAND**  
**Austin College Entrance Scholarship**  
**Terms and Conditions**

**1. Introduction**

The University of New England has established undergraduate scholarships to support students who have a record of academic achievement, and have been involved in leadership positions in school and the community. Some scholarships are funded by donations or grants from individuals or organisations and may include specific criteria beyond the usual University requirements.

The recipient will commence full-time, on-campus studies at the University of New England in an undergraduate course in the year following application.

The recipient must reside in Austin College.

**2. Details**

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| Value:          | <b>\$1,000 (towards payment of college fees for 1 year)</b> |
| Number Awarded: | <b>4 (one for each of the categories listed below)</b>      |
| Duration:       | <b>1 year</b>   |
| Study Mode:     | <b>Full-time, on-campus</b>                                 |

**3. Eligibility**

- The applicant must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident as defined by the Commonwealth (refer to [www.goingtouni.gov.au](http://www.goingtouni.gov.au)) who has applied, via UAC or QTAC, for admission to an undergraduate course at the University of New England.
- The applicant will have a record of high achievement in either academia, sports, community service or the performing arts and will intend to reside in Austin College.

**4. Selection**

- The scholarship will be awarded on the basis of academic merit as indicated by the applicant's performance in the NSW HSC, or equivalent and
- **One** of the criteria listed below:
  - academic excellence
  - sporting excellence
  - community service
  - performing arts.

**5. Report/s**

Number required: 1 (one) – School Principal's Report

**6. Closing Date**

31<sup>st</sup> December 2011

## **7. Conditions**

- Residential scholarships will only be awarded to applicants not receiving other UNE scholarships.
- The recipient must reside in Austin College.
- The scholarship shall be administered by and awarded on the recommendation of the Austin College Scholarship Selection Committee.
- There will be no commitment by the University to employ the recipient.
- The scholarship is intended for the nominated undergraduate course and may not be deferred or transferred without the written approval of the Austin College Scholarship Selection Committee.
- The scholarship shall comprise a payment of one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
- The scholarship is payable directly to the recipient's residential account after the second trimester census date (mid-August).
- If you make any changes to your enrolment after receiving your instalment you must notify the Undergraduate Scholarships Officer. If you no longer satisfy the conditions of the scholarship you may be required to repay the instalment.
- Recipients will be required to submit brief reports (by 30<sup>th</sup> June and 30<sup>th</sup> November) on their progress with their studies and involvement in sporting, cultural and community activities as well as participation in University life.
- Any request to vary the conditions of the scholarship must be made in writing and will be determined at the discretion of the Austin College Scholarship Selection Committee.
- The recipient will be required to attend the annual scholarships presentation evening, if they are invited to do so, and may be asked to participate in activities to promote this scholarship, including public speaking, donor liaison, media interviews and photographs.
- UNE may change these Conditions on written notice to the recipient.

## **8. Acceptance of Conditions**

- In accepting the Austin College Entrance Scholarship the recipient acknowledges that he/she is accepting the terms and conditions outlined above.
- Failure to meet the requirements of these terms and conditions may lead to the termination of the scholarship.