

2019 Māori Education Trust Postgraduate Scholarship Application Form New Scholarships

The Māori Education Trust is offering two new postgraduate scholarships in 2019. If you are eligible to apply and meet the criteria, we encourage you to submit an application.

ELIGIBILITY

Postgraduate applicants must:

- i. be of New Zealand Māori descent;
- ii. be enrolled at a tertiary institute in 2019;
- iii. meet the criteria for the scholarships applied for;
- iv. submit the application and supporting documentation on time.

MĀORI EDUCATION TRUST POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP: HAPŪ OR IWI DEVELOPMENT

Criteria: Available to Māori postgraduate students undertaking study in a field that will support the strategic interests and direction of their Hapū or Iwi. Applicants must submit a letter of support from the Chair (or equivalent).

Value: \$7,500

No. of recipients: 5

MĀORI EDUCATION TRUST POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP: STEM

Criteria: This scholarship is available to Māori postgraduate students undertaking study in science (biology, chemistry, physics), technology, engineering or mathematics. Applicants must meet all criteria and submit two references, one of which must be an academic reference.

Value: \$7,500

No. of recipients: 6

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

1. Incomplete or late applications will not be considered.
2. Additional information including missing or corrected information, must reach the Māori Education Trust by the closing date.
3. The Māori Education Trust does not accept any responsibility for lost or delayed application packages caused by incorrect mailing instructions or delays in delivery.
4. You must advise the Māori Education Trust of any changes to your application. All changes must be advised in writing (email or post).
5. If you meet scholarship criteria, you can apply for as many scholarships as you wish, however you can only be awarded one.
6. All applicants (successful and unsuccessful) will be notified in writing within three months after the scholarship closing date.

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(You may attach additional paper if required)

Note: These two scholarships are offered by the Māori Education Trust for the first time in 2019.

PERSONAL DETAILS			
Surname			
First Name			
Middle Name(s)			
Gender		Date of Birth	/ /
Postal Address			
Suburb / RD Number			
Town / City			Postcode
Home Phone	(0)	Daytime Contact / Mobile	(0)
Email Address (1)			
Email Address (2)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Tick this box if you would like to receive email confirmation that your application has been received			

PERSONAL STATEMENT
In 50 – 75 words, please complete the following: <i>I believe I will be successful this year because</i> _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____

INVOLVEMENT IN MY MARAE, HAPŪ, IWI AND/OR WIDER MĀORI COMMUNITY
In 50 – 75 words, please describe the involvement you have with your marae, hapū, iwi and/or wider Māori community. _____ _____ _____ _____ _____

KOROWAI MĀORI			
Iwi	1.	2.	3.
Hapū	1.	2.	3.
Marae	1.	2.	3.

WHAKAPAPA			
Please complete this section of your whakapapa:			

Grandfather	Grandmother	Grandfather	Grandmother
_____		_____	
Father		Mother	

Applicant			
Whakapapa must be certified by a kaumātua (someone other than your parents/grandparents), Māori teacher or leader of your community, who is familiar with your whakapapa. We will also accept a copy of an iwi registration letter for either or both of your parents.			
Certifier's name: _____		Certifier's signature: _____	
Certifier's phone number: _____			

TE REO MĀORI				
He mea nui te reo Māori ki a mātou o Toitū Kaupapa Māori Mātauranga. Tena tohua mai ngā āhuatanga hei whakarite i to aroha ki te reo. Please indicate your level of te reo Māori proficiency by ticking the appropriate box; thank you.				
Te Reo Māori		Āe Yes	Kāo No	English
A	Kei te hiahia au ki te ako i te reo Māori.			I want to learn te reo Māori.
B	Kei te ako au i te reo Māori.			I am learning te reo Māori.
C	Kei te āhua mōhio au i te reo Māori.			I am familiar with te reo Māori.
D	Kei te maia au ki te reo Māori.			I am confident in te reo Māori.
E	I tipu ake au i te reo Māori.			I grew up in te reo Māori.
F	Kei te kōrerotia te reo i a rā, i a rā.			Daily language is spoken in te reo Māori.
G	Ka tuhia aku mahi whakamātautau i te reo Māori.			I write my school work in te reo Māori.
H	E tautoko ana i nga reo korua engari e marama ana au ki te mana o te reo Māori.			I believe in bilingualism where te reo Māori is valued and acknowledged.

EDUCATION DETAILS AND ENROLMENT CONFIRMATION

Student NSN Number (NZQA):	
Intended programme of study:	<input type="checkbox"/> Postgraduate Certificate in _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Postgraduate Diploma in _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Honours Degree in _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Masters Degree in _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Doctorate in _____
Major subject/s:	1. _____ 2. _____
Degree length full-time (circle):	1 Year 2 Years Other _____
Year of study in 2019 (circle):	1 st 2 nd 3 rd 4 th 5 th Other _____

You must provide evidence of enrolment; have your tertiary institute complete this section. Alternatively, an enrolment confirmation letter or paid fees invoice is acceptable if all information is included.

NOTE: *An offer of placement does not* confirm you are enrolled.

a) Name of Institute: _____

b) Course start date: _____ / _____ / _____ Course end date: _____ / _____ / _____

c) Course of study: Full-time Part-time

d) Institute stamp or seal:



Certifier's name: _____

Certifier's signature: _____

Certifier's position: _____

Certifier's phone number: _____

SCHOLARSHIPS

Please indicate if you have received a Māori Education Trust scholarship in the past (tick or circle).

N / A	Secondary Scholarship	Undergraduate Scholarship	Postgraduate Scholarship		
I have applied for another grant or scholarship (tick or circle).			<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; padding: 2px;">Yes</td> <td style="width: 50%; padding: 2px;">No</td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No
Yes	No				
I am receiving another grant or scholarship (tick or circle.)			<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; padding: 2px;">Yes</td> <td style="width: 50%; padding: 2px;">No</td> </tr> </table>	Yes	No
Yes	No				
Name of Scholarship:			Value:		

OPTION 1:

<p>MĀORI EDUCATION TRUST POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP: HAPŪ OR IWI DEVELOPMENT</p> <p>Criteria: Available to Māori postgraduate students undertaking study in a field that will support the strategic interests and direction of their Hapū or Iwi. Applicants must submit a letter of support from the Chair (or equivalent).</p>	<p>Value: \$ 7,500</p>	<p>No. of recipients: 5</p>
<p>If you meet the above criteria, please complete the following:</p> <p><i>My study will benefit my Hapū or Iwi because (additional paper may be attached)</i> _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>I have attached a written letter of support from my Hapū or Iwi Chairperson: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>		

OPTION 2:

<p>MĀORI EDUCATION TRUST POSTGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP: STEM</p> <p>Criteria: This scholarship is available to Māori postgraduate students undertaking study in science (biology, chemistry, physics), technology, engineering or mathematics. Applicants must meet all criteria and submit two references, one of which must be an academic reference.</p>	<p>Value: \$ 7,500</p>	<p>No. of recipients: 6</p>
<p>If you meet the above criteria, please complete the following:</p> <p><i>My research which will benefit Māori because (additional paper may be attached)</i> _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>I have attached two written references, one of which is an academic reference: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>		

DECLARATION

Please read each statement and tick the box next to it if the statement is true; **sign and date the form.**

- To the best of my knowledge, the information I have given in this application is accurate.
- I understand that if I accept a scholarship and do not complete my study, I may be required to repay the scholarship.
- I understand that if my application is incomplete it will not be considered.
- If I am a successful recipient, I agree that my award and personal details may be used by the Māori Education Trust to promote the scholarship programme.
- If I am a successful recipient, I understand my details may be shared with the Ministry of Education. I am also aware I may receive a call during or after the term of my scholarship as part of the Ministry of Education's scholarship verification process.
- I understand that if I am awarded and accept a scholarship, I am required to provide:
 - A letter of thanks to the scholarship donor;
 - A copy of my academic transcript, copy of my degree or a progress report by Friday, 13 Hakihea (December) 2019.Failure to do so will be noted and may affect eligibility for future scholarships.

Name: _____ Date: _____ / _____ / _____

Signature: _____

I have attached the following documentation:

- Encoded bank deposit slip or bank verification of my bank account number.
- Certified copy of my academic transcripts.
- Two Written references, one of which is an academic reference (STEM Scholarship only).
- Applicants must submit a letter of support from the Chair (or equivalent). (Hapū or Iwi Development Scholarship only)
- Copy of my Curriculum Vitae.

IMPORTANT

Applications must be received by **4.30 pm, Friday, 5 Paenga-whāwhā (April) 2019.**

Please submit your application and supporting documentation to:

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COURIER	Level 1 65 Waterloo Road LOWER HUTT 5010
EMAIL	info@maorieducation.org.nz