

Murdoch University Access Engineering Scholarship Application form - 2024

The Murdoch University Access Engineering Scholarship is available to domestic Year 12 students seeking to commence their studies in Bachelor of Engineering Honours in Semester 1 of the year immediately following graduation from secondary school, and who come from an equity, underrepresented, or marginalised background.

Personal Details

1. Given Name *

2. Surname *

3. Date of Birth *

4. Secondary School Attended for Year 12. *

5. TISC ID

*Please note - to be eligible to apply you must have one of the Murdoch Bachelor of Engineering Honours programs as a first or second preference on TISC. **

6. Personal Email Address

*Please note - do not use your school email account **

7. Contact Phone Number *

8. Home Address

*Please include your suburb and postcode **

9. I am:

*Please select one of the below options **

Australian Citizen

Permanent Resident

NZ Citizen

Humanitarian Visa

10. On what basis are you applying for the scholarship?*Please tick all that apply **

Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander

Financial Harship

Regional and/or Remote

First in Generation(Neither parent/guardians have attended University)

Female in STEM

LGBTQIA+

Other

11. If you selected "other" in the question above, please give more information:

Required Documents

With your application form, you will need to submit the following documents:

1. A **Personal Statement** of 250 - 300 words identifying:

- (a) The basis on which you are applying for this Scholarship, and any barriers you have overcome to complete your secondary schooling,
- (b) How receipt of this Scholarship will help you attain your study goals, and
- (c) How you hope to use your Engineering degree in the future.

2. A **reference** from your School and/or community leader who can comment on your personal situation, eligibility for this scholarship, your good character, and your motivation to study and succeed in Engineering.

3. In the case of **Financial Hardship**, a statement/evidence of same.

Please save all files and name them with your Surname, First Name Initial and Date - eg:

- ApplicationSmithJ25Aug23
- StatementSmithJ25Aug23
- ReferenceSmithJ25Aug23

Please send your completed application form with supporting documentation to scholarships@murdoch.edu.au

Terms and Conditions

As a successful recipient of a Murdoch University Access Engineering Scholarship, I agree to the following terms and conditions and understand that it is my responsibility to adhere to the following conditions:

1. I must remain enrolled in a full-time, internal Bachelor of Engineering Honours program at Murdoch University for the full duration of my scholarship, unless granted an exception for exceptional circumstances.
2. I must seek independent advice from the relevant authorities on the effect, if any, that the scholarship may have on my eligibility for income support; or any tax implications.
3. I must notify the Scholarships & Prizes Office in writing immediately if I:
 - a. Wish to transfer to another academic program within the University.
 - b. Wish to study abroad on a Murdoch University affiliated placement.
 - c. Wish to transfer to another institution.
 - d. Seek a retrospective withdrawal from any units I have enrolled in.
 - e. Apply for Approved Leave.
4. I understand that I will forfeit the Scholarship if I:
 - a. Defer my studies, and/or terminate my enrolment.
 - b. Transfer to another institution.
 - c. Transfer from full-time to part-time study (unless I have been granted an exemption).
 - d. Do not maintain a Pass average which is a Weighted Average Mark (WAM) of at least 50%.
 - e. Fail to provide up to date contact and/or financial details to the Scholarships and Prizes Office when requested.
5. I agree and acknowledge that changes in my enrolment may make me ineligible to receive scholarship payments. In the case that I am deemed ineligible I may be placed on a breached status of six months without payment. This status would provide me with the opportunity to improve my grades or study part-time, to then be considered for payments in the following semester. This opportunity would occur only once for the duration of the scholarship, and is at the discretion of the Scholarship & Prizes Office and the School of Engineering and Energy.
6. I understand that continuing to receive payments that I am ineligible for will result in action taken by the university. In the case of receiving ineligible funds, I will be required to repay all ineligible payments to the Scholarship & Prizes Office within a 3 month period.
7. I understand that I may be approached by the Scholarships and Prizes Team for a testimonial regarding receipt and impact of the Scholarship for future promotional purposes, but that I will be able to decline if I choose.

Declaration & Acceptance

I declare that:

- I agree that the information I have provided in this application form and associated supporting documentation is true and correct.
- I understand that providing false or misleading information will result in the cancellation of, and repayment of, my scholarship, and that I will be subject to the provisions of the Student Misconduct Statute.

By submitting this application form I am agreeing to the Terms and Conditions and the declaration of this form. Please contact the Murdoch Scholarship and Prizes Team for more information at scholarships@murdoch.edu.au.

Signature:

Date: