

Women In Trades Scholarship

UCOL in collaboration with an external provider, is pleased to offer grants to encourage women to study, enter and stay in the Trades industries.

About the grant

The aim of the grant is to support many female students in UCOL Trades, STEM or Trades & Technology courses* by providing financial help to assist with their identified needs. The grant aims to make the trades accessible to more women by increasing and retaining women in the trades training. The grant will bolster the diversity and inclusivity of UCOL Trades programmes by decreasing financial barriers and helping to transform our local and regional industries into more diverse and accessible spaces for all.

Applicants can apply for a grant of up to \$1,000. This grant can be used for costs to help you undertake your studies, as identified and justified by you (the applicant). The applications will be assessed on need and equity and the Committee will award grants to those for whom it will make to greatest impact on succeeding in their studies. The grant cannot be used for living or maintenance costs. Examples of applicable costs include course related costs, travel or driver license training, equipment, childcare, etc.

Criteria

- Be female.
- Be a New Zealand citizen or hold permanent New Zealand residency.
- Be enrolled in a UCOL Te Pūkenga Trades course, full-time or part-time, from the list of eligible programmes on the next page.
- Write a personal statement detailing your current situation, why you applied for Trades and your future.
- Provide at least one written and signed professional reference.
- All sections of the application must be completed.

You may be contacted by UCOL Te Pūkenga for additional information and supporting evidence to your application. Successful applicants must write a short report at the end of the semester commenting on how the grant has supported their progress. The report (in part or in full) may be used for publicity purposes.

Semester 1: Applications open first Wednesday of January and close last Wednesday of May
Semester 2: Applications open first Wednesday of July and close last Wednesday of August

*Eligible UCOL Trades Programmes are:

- NZ Diploma in Fine Furniture
- NZ Diploma in Construction
- NZ Diploma in Architectural Technology
- NZ Diploma in Engineering
- NZ Diploma in Applied Science
- NZ Certificate in Carpentry (Trade)
- NZ Certificate in Joinery (Trade)
- NZ Certificate in Construction Trade Skills (Carpentry)
- NZ Certificate in Building, Construction and Allied Trade Skills
- NZ Certificate in Construction Related Trades (Supervisor)
- NZ Certificate in Plumbing, Gasfitting and Drainlaying (Pre-Apprenticeship)
- NZ Certificate in Infrastructure Works
- NZ Certificate in Automotive Engineering
- NZ Certificate in Collision Repair and Automotive Refinishing
- NZ Certificate in Electrical Pre-Trade
- NZ Certificate in Engineering Fabrication (Trade)
- NZ Certificate in Mechanical Engineering (Trade)
- NZ Certificate in Mechanical Engineering

What To Do

- Complete this application form.
- Either email your application to ScholarshipPN@ucol.ac.nz OR hand in your application to the Information Centre, or post it to:

Information Centre
UCOL
Private Bag 11022
Palmerston North 4442
Attention: Scholarship Administrator

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1 PERSONAL DETAILS

Preferred Name(s):

Legal First Name(s):

Legal Surname:

Any previous Surnames (e.g. maiden name):

Date of Birth:

DAY

MONTH

YEAR

Please supply us with current contact information so that we can keep you informed of your application status.

STREET ADDRESS

SUBURB

TOWN/CITY

POSTCODE

Phone:

Email:

Student ID:

Programme Enrolled in

2 STATEMENT

Personal statement: please detail your current situation, why you applied for Trades and your future aspirations. Include why you are applying for this scholarship. Continue on a separate sheet of paper as required.

Funding request: Please include specific examples of service, equipment and products. In the justification box, please tell us how this will help you in your studies and future career. Continue on a separate sheet of paper as required.

	Item (please be as detailed as you can)	Cost	Justification
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2	<input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
3	<input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
4	<input type="text"/>	\$ <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
	Total Cost	\$ <input type="text"/>	

Signature:

Date:

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MONTH

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