

# Robyn Dixon Nursing Award

<b>Code:</b>	968
<b>Faculty:</b>	Medical and Health Sciences
<b>Applicable study:</b>	Bachelor of Nursing
<b>Closing date:</b>	12 April 2023
<b>Tenure:</b>	One year
<b>For:</b>	Assistance with study
<b>Number on offer:</b>	One
<b>Offer rate:</b>	Annually
<b>Value:</b>	\$2,000

## Description

This Award was established in 2018 and is funded by Associate Professor Robyn Dixon, an academic staff member in the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences.

The intention of the Award is to provide financial support to an undergraduate Nursing student from West Auckland who is experiencing financial hardship.

## Selection process

- Application is made to the Scholarships Office
- A Selection Committee assesses the applications
- The Award is made by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee

## Regulations

1. The Award will be known as the Robyn Dixon Nursing Award.
2. One Award will be made annually, for a period of up to one year and will be of the value of up to \$2,000.
3. To take up and be paid the Award the candidate must have paid the fees, or arranged to pay the fees for full-time enrolment in a Bachelor of Nursing degree.
4. The Award is tenable by full-time students who are citizens or permanent residents of New Zealand who attended secondary school in West Auckland (see Note I).
5. The basis of selection will be academic achievement and financial hardship (see Notes II-III).
6. The Award will be made by the University of Auckland Council upon the recommendation of a Selection Committee comprising the Head of the School of Nursing, one member of Academic Staff from the School of Nursing, nominated by the Head of the School of Nursing, and a representative of the donor.
7. Payment will be made in one lump sum on award.
8. The Robyn Dixon Nursing Award may be held with any other study award or grant where the Regulations for that award or grant permit and where the University of Auckland Council so approves.
9. The University of Auckland Council has the power to amend or vary these Regulations, in consultation with the

donor, provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Award.

10. Applications close with the Scholarships Office on 12 April in the year of the award.

11. Notes [I] – [III] below are deemed to be Regulations.

## Notes

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- I. West Auckland is defined as the Auckland Council Local Board areas of Henderson-Massey, Waitākere Ranges and Whau.*
- II. Academic achievement is assessed as the GPA or GPE obtained over the applicant's two most recent years of fulltime graded study (or equivalent).*
- III. Financial hardship will be determined by a range of factors including eligibility for a StudyLink Student Allowance, and personal and financial circumstances.*