

University of Auckland/Manurewa High School Business Academy Scholarship

Code:	939
Faculty:	Business
Applicable study:	Undergraduate study in BCom or BProp degrees or associated conjoint programmes
Closing date:	12 September 2023
Tenure:	Normal duration of a full-time programme of study for the degree chosen
For:	Assistance
Number on offer:	Up to three
Offer rate:	Annually
Value:	Compulsory tuition fees (refer Reg. 8)

Description

The Scholarship was established in 2017 and is funded by the University of Auckland Business School.

The main purpose of the Scholarship is to encourage and assist students engaged with the Manurewa High School Business Academy to undertake study in the Bachelor of Commerce or Bachelor of Property programmes and to develop outstanding entrepreneurs, business leaders and managers.

Selection process

- Application is made to the Scholarships Office
- A Selection Committee assesses the applications
- Short-listed applicants will be required to attend an interview
- The Scholarship will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Selection Committee

Regulations

1. The Scholarship will be known as the University of Auckland/Manurewa High School Business Academy Scholarship.
2. Up to three Scholarships will be awarded annually, and will cover compulsory tuition fees for the normal duration of the degree programme (see Reg. 8 and Notes I to II).
3. The Scholarship may be offered to students who are citizens or permanent residents of New Zealand, currently in their final year at Manurewa High School and intending to enrol full-time in a Bachelor of Commerce (BCom) or Bachelor of Property (BProp) or associated conjoint programme at the University of Auckland in the following year (see Note VI).
4. To take up the offer of the Scholarship, the awardees must achieve admission to the BCom, BProp or associated conjoint programme at the University of Auckland with an NCEA rank score of 200.
5. The basis of selection will be academic ability based on results at Level 2 or higher in the National Certificate of

Educational Achievement (NCEA) or an equivalent qualification and the potential to succeed in their chosen degree programme. In addition the following may be taken into consideration in the selection process: recommendation of the Principal and or Head of Manurewa High School Business Academy, evidence of school and/or community involvement and leadership. Preference may be given to students who can demonstrate significant financial need (see Notes III to IV).

6. As a condition of tenure, recipients will be required to maintain a grade point average (GPA) of at least 4.00 (equivalent to a B- average) in each semester of study (see Note V).
7. The Scholarship will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council upon the recommendation of a Selection Committee comprising the Associate Dean (Academic Programmes) of the University of Auckland Business School (or nominee), a senior academic or professional staff member of the University of Auckland Business School and the Head of the Manurewa High School Business Academy (or nominee).
8. The Scholarship will be paid as a tuition fees credit in each semester of enrolment. If the recipient's fees have already been covered by any fee paying scheme, scholarship or award, the value of the University of Auckland/Manurewa High School Business Academy Scholarship may be paid out in a lump sum in each semester of enrolment to assist the recipient with living costs (see Notes I to II).
9. The Scholarship may not be held concurrently with a University of Auckland Top Achiever Scholarship, University of Auckland Māori Academic Excellence Scholarship, a University of Auckland Pacific Academic Excellence Scholarship or a University of Auckland Academic Potential Scholarship. However, it may be held with any other scholarship, award or grant as long as a) the terms of that scholarship, award or grant permit and b) the University of Auckland Council is informed and approves. It is the responsibility of the recipient to declare to the Scholarships Office all other grant, award or scholarship funding received while in payment for this Scholarship.
10. The University of Auckland Council, in consultation with the donor, has the power to terminate or suspend a scholarship if it receives a report of unsatisfactory progress of a Scholar from Associate Dean (Academic Programmes) of the Business School.
11. The University of Auckland Council is not obliged to make an award if in any year there are not candidates of sufficient merit.
12. The University of Auckland Council, in consultation with the Business School, has the power to amend or vary these regulations provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the scholarship/s.
13. Applications close with the Scholarships Office on 12 September in the year preceding the award.
14. Notes [I]-[XI] below are deemed to be Regulations.

Notes

- I. Tuition/Compulsory fees are only those related to the relevant programme of study, plus Student Services Fee.*
- II. In the case of a student enrolling in a BCom or a BProp degree, the normal duration of the degree is 360 points or enrolment taken over three years. In the case of a student enrolling in an associate conjoint degree the scholarship will cover the tuition/compulsory fees for the BCom or BProp component of the conjoint degree programme only.*
- III. Financial need will be determined by a range of factors including eligibility for a StudyLink Student Allowance, and personal and financial circumstances.*
- IV. Students holding this Scholarship are expected to engage with the Head of the Manurewa High School Business Academy to make a reasonable contribution of their time to mentor and/or assist students at the Manurewa High School during the duration of their Scholarship.*
- V. For the purposes of this Scholarship, the recipient's grade point average (GPA) is based on all the courses they undertake in each semester of study.*
- VI. Except in cases where there are compelling medical reasons or adverse personal circumstances beyond a student's control, the uptake of scholarships cannot be deferred. Students who are offered a University of Auckland/Manurewa High School Business Academy Scholarship but who do not take it up in the year of offer may request that their application be reconsidered in the intake of applications for the year immediately following.*
- VII. Recipients must be enrolled continuously in their programme of study. Deferrals for students who have already*

commenced their degree will not usually be approved unless there are compelling medical or adverse personal circumstances beyond the student's control.

- VIII. Deferral requests must be made in writing to the Scholarships Office.*
- IX. If a student enrolls at another tertiary institution in New Zealand, the scholarship will lapse.*
- X. Payments under the terms of this scholarship remain tax-free as long as they are used directly for the payment of costs associated with an awardee's programme of study. Failure to comply with this regulation will result in the termination of the scholarship.*
- XI. Recipients of a University of Auckland/Manurewa High School Business Academy Scholarship will be required to give undertakings that they will comply with the regulations for the Scholarship and will notify the Scholarships Office of any change in their enrolment or funding status. The University of Auckland may, in the event that it can be established that a recipient of a University of Auckland/Manurewa High School Business Academy Scholarship is not complying with these regulations, terminate the Scholarship and require repayment of the funds received from the date of the breach.*