

Yungkurrinthe Indigenous Commencing Student Payment



Purpose

The Yungkurrinthe Indigenous Commencing Student Payment aims to increase the participation and retention of Indigenous commencing undergraduate and postgraduate students who are enrolled in their first-degree program at Flinders University. The scholarship provides financial assistance towards education costs for Indigenous students enrolled at Flinders University.

Source of funds

The scholarship is funded by the Shirley Matthews Indigenous Education Fund.

Benefits

The scholarship will have a value of \$500 to be paid in a single instalment after the census date of the first semester of study. 200 scholarships will be available in 2025. From 2026 onwards 20 scholarships per annum will be available subject to funding.

Eligibility

Applicants for the Scholarship must:

- be of Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander descent; and
- identify as an Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander; and
- be accepted as an Australian Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander by the community in which they live or have lived; and
- be commencing their first undergraduate or post-graduate course at Flinders University.

Selection

The scholarship will be awarded in order of completed applications. The scholarship will continue to be awarded until the annual quota is filled.

Leave

Leave from the scholarship is not available.

Applications

Applications can be made online through the Flinders University Student Management System.

Advertising

The Scholarship will be advertised on the University website and other appropriate media as determined by Flinders University.