



Pilbara Kimberley Universities Centre Scholarship Programme Terms & Conditions

PKUC Scholarship Programme Purpose

The purpose of the Pilbara Kimberley University Centres (**PKUC**) Scholarship Programme (PKUC Scholarship Programme) is to provide financial support to students who may face challenges when completing their studies and to further develop the equitable and inclusive environment at the PKUC.

PKUC Scholarship Programme Terms & Conditions

The PKUC Scholarship Programme Terms & Conditions (**Terms & Conditions**) covers all PKUC Scholarships or awards. Students that are in receipt of a PKUC Scholarship must meet all conditions as outlined in the PKUC Scholarship Terms & Conditions.

Eligibility:

To be eligible for Pilbara Kimberley University Centres' Scholarships, you must be:

1. An Australian citizen, Australian Permanent Resident, New Zealand Citizen, or Permanent Humanitarian Visa holder.
2. Residing in the Pilbara or Kimberley regions; and
3. A student registered with the Pilbara Kimberley Universities Centre (**PKUC**).

Additional details for eligibility of named Scholarships are listed below (or from time to time on the PKUC's website) under each Scholarships' heading.

Selection Process:

1. Applicants will be assessed for all Scholarships for which they meet the eligibility criteria. Only complete applications received on or before the due date will be considered.
2. Assessment will be based on the information provided by the applicant.
3. The PKUC reserves the right to award Scholarships in whole or in part to whomever it considers the most deserving applicants.
4. Scholarships will only be awarded where applications of sufficiently high merit are received.
5. All applications will be treated in strictest confidence.
6. The decision of the PKUC will be final and binding.



Conditions of Award:

1. The PKUC Scholarships will be administered by the PKUC.
2. Students may apply for more than one Scholarship, subject to any eligibility criteria.
3. Scholarship monies will be paid either in full or in equal instalments, following the census date in each study period the Scholarship is awarded.
4. Payment of Scholarship monies is subject to maintaining enrolment (full or part time depending on the conditions of the Scholarship) and Good Standing¹ with the delivering university.
5. A Scholarship recipient with unsatisfactory Good Standing, or who has engaged in misconduct (either academic or behavioural), or who breaches the PKUC Scholarship Terms & Conditions, shall be ineligible to retain the PKUC Scholarship and the PKUC Scholarship will be terminated. The decision to terminate a PKUC Scholarship will be at the sole discretion of the PKUC.
6. If a recipient needs to take leave of absence during the Scholarship study period(s), the recipient must immediately apply for and seek approval from the PKUC to suspend the Scholarship for the period of leave.
7. A recipient who withdraws from their course of study during the study period(s) of the Scholarship will forfeit any future payment and will be required to repay the Scholarship funds for that study period(s) in full.
8. If a recipient intends to change their course of study from one university to another university during the Scholarship study periods(s), the recipient must apply for and seek approval from the PKUC to transfer to another university prior to their application. Failing to inform PKUC of course changes will result in the recipient being required to repay the Scholarship funds for that study period in full.
9. A Scholarship recipient must maintain their Pilbara or Kimberley residency status and advise PKUC within fourteen days if their residency circumstance is changing/has changed.
10. Recipients of a PKUC Scholarship are ambassadors of the PKUC. As such, Scholarship winners agree to participate in promotional marketing activities as part of the PKUC Media Policy.
11. The awarding of Scholarships is based on information provided by applicants to the PKUC. A Scholarship may be withdrawn at any stage if an applicant has provided incorrect, false or misleading information or withheld relevant information.
12. All Scholarship recipients are required to keep their student contact details up to date.
13. For all Scholarship enquiries contact scholarships@pkuc.edu.au.

¹ This means you are achieving satisfactory results and you can continue your course and re-enrol. Students on a status of Good Standing have a weighted average (SWA) of 50 or higher and have passed more than 50% of enrolled units in each study period.