



CHC Teacher Education Scholarships 2018

CHC will offer a limited number of scholarships in 2018 for applicants to our undergraduate teacher education courses, Bachelor of Education (Primary), Bachelor of Education (Secondary) and Bachelor of Arts/Bachelor of Education (Secondary). These competitive scholarships are open to Australian citizens and permanent residents applying to these courses and are valued at \$4000 over the first two years of the degree (\$1000 for each semester).

The value of the scholarship will be applied to the successful recipients' account once all the academic and enrolment procedures are finalised.

The successful applicants will be of good character and willing to uphold the core values and ethos of CHC.

You should submit your application in writing to:

Mrs Thia Ferero
Christian Heritage College
PO Box 2246, Mansfield BC QLD, 4122

Or by email to email address tferero@chc.edu.au

The closing date is Friday 25th August 2017

SCHOLARSHIP CRITERIA

Your application should address the following three criteria and provide examples of evidence in relation to each of them.

1. *Commitment to CHC's values and ethos*

- a) Write a short statement (200 words) that summarises how you would support and contribute to CHC's values, culture and community.

2. *Academic achievement and suitability to teacher education.*

- a) Academic achievements such as academic prizes, external academic competitions (such as scores on the Australia-wide university initiated mathematics competition), and/or internal school competitions, or Eisteddfod results.
- b) Your most recent school report.
- c) List any activities and experiences which you have been involved in (eg debating, writing, participation in clubs, drama groups, artistic displays and exhibitions, sporting and other competitions).
- d) Any university subjects/units, VET units of competency, or Certificates/Diplomas completed.

3. *Commitment to a career in education.*

In up to 300 words, describe why you are interested in pursuing a career in teaching and how important this vocation is to you.

APPLICATION DETAILS

1. Applicants are required to complete the attached *CHC Teacher Education Scholarship* application form 2018.
2. Please also attach the required documentation addressing the listed criteria.
3. In some cases, CHC will contact a person who knows the applicant well. You are to provide the name and phone number of two people, such as a school leader, teacher, pastor or employer, who are willing to provide a character reference for them.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

1. The scholarship is available to any **new/commencing** student from Australia, who is completing Year 12 in 2017, and who has citizenship or permanent resident status.
2. The scholarship is not transferable.
3. The scholarship cannot be deferred.
4. The recipient can only receive benefit from one CHC scholarship per year.
5. The scholarship is awarded subject to the applicant meeting normal CHC admission requirements, and will be implemented once all academic enrolment procedures are finalised.
6. The semester value of the scholarship will be applied to the recipient's account at enrolment and cannot be redeemed for cash, in part or in whole.
7. If the conditions of the scholarship are no longer being met at census date, the scholarship will be discontinued.
8. The recipient must undertake a full study load of at least 40 credit points (4 units) per semester. Any approved cross-institutional study will be included when determining a student's study load for each semester.
9. The recipient must be undertaking the units in "on campus" (that is, internal) mode.
10. Continuance of the scholarship is contingent upon satisfactory academic progress by passing all units each semester.
11. All recipients should be of good character and willing to support and uphold the core values and ethos of CHC. Scholarships or part thereof may be revoked at the discretion of CHC, if the recipient brings the name of CHC into disrepute.

SCHOLARSHIP OFFER and ACCEPTANCE PROCESS

1. Successful scholarship applicants will be notified. However, scholarships will only be processed once students provide evidence they have submitted a QTAC application;
2. All applicants will receive written correspondence in regard to the outcome of their application.
3. Applications are to be submitted by Friday 25th August 2017

CHC encourages applications from Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders.

FAQs

- *Is this a cash scholarship?*
No, this is not a cash scholarship. The amount of \$1000 is applied to your account for the first four consecutive semesters (not including Summer (Semester 3) or Winter semesters) thus reducing either the upfront payment you make of your student contribution amount or your HECS-HELP debt.
- *Can I redeem it for cash?*
No, you cannot
- *Can I accept a place in education and a scholarship and then transfer to another course and keep the scholarship?*
No, you can't take the scholarship to a course other than an undergraduate teacher education course.
- *Can I transfer the scholarship to another course or person?*
No, the scholarship can only be used by the person to whom it was given.
- *Can I defer my offer of a place and keep the scholarship?*
No, the scholarship must be used in 2018 and 2019 consecutively.
- *Do I have to pass everything to keep the scholarship?*
Yes, you must pass everything to maintain the scholarship, but you can continue to study if you don't pass everything.
- *If I take a unit at another provider (uni) will that be calculated in my fulltime study load?*
Yes, if you have permission to undertake a unit at another provider that will be included in the calculation of your full-time study load (4 units).



**CHC Teacher Education Scholarship 2018
Application Form**

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Name: _____

Address: _____

_____ Postcode: _____

Day phone number: _____ Mobile phone number: _____

Email address: _____

Course you are applying for: _____

Referee 1

Name: _____ Position: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Referee 2

Name: _____ Position: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

I declare that I have applied, or intend to apply, to study in the above named course at CHC through QTAC. The information I have provided is my own work and that it is accurate and true.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please ensure you have attached your written application to this form and that you have addressed the criteria as outlined on the information page of the CHC website.

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