

## ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES FOR VICTORIA UNIVERSITY **EARLY ENTRY** SCHOLARSHIPS

These Guidelines apply to holders of:

### Victoria University **Early Entry** Scholarship

## 1 CONDITIONS OF AWARD TO SCHOLARS

Must be:

- Students must be Australian citizens, Permanent Residents, or New Zealand citizens;
- Students must be enrolled full-time\* in a Commonwealth Supported Place in an undergraduate degree or VET Course; \* *Full-time enrolment in a HE course is equal to at least 75% of a full-time load – minimum 36 credit points per semester and at least 540 hours over a study year (270 hours per semester) for VET studies;*
- Scholarships cannot be deferred or intermitted in the student's first year of the degree.
- Meet all eligibility guidelines at census date (25th March).

## 2 ONGOING ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES

- Enrolled in a full-time undergraduate degree or VET Course at Victoria University;
- May not transfer the Scholarship to study in a different course or at another institution;
- Must notify the Scholarships Office immediately if you:
  - Discontinue full-time study;
  - Transfer to another institute; or
  - Transfer to another course within the University.
- Must maintain satisfactory academic progress in accordance with the University's Academic Progress policies (<https://www.vu.edu.au/current-students/your-course/enrolment/student-attendance-progress>).
- Must notify the Scholarships Office if they accept a University sanctioned international exchange to allow the continuation of the Scholarship.
- Comply with University standards with regard to academic misconduct

If the above conditions are not met, the scholarships office may discontinue your scholarship.

## 3 VALUE AND DURATION

- \$5,000 for one academic year.
- Scholarships will be paid by Electronic Funds Transfer direct to the student's nominated bank account. Two half yearly payments of \$2,500 each will be made in April and September. Payments are made only after confirmation of student enrolment status and eligibility at each census date (25th March & 25th August).