



Aurora Dairies Scholarship

Regulations

1. Purpose

The Aurora Dairies Scholarship was established in 2023 to assist and recognise students at Lincoln University with a passion for the dairy industry in New Zealand.

2. Number/Value

One scholarship will be awarded to a fulltime student who is registered in the third year of a Bachelor of Agriculture or Bachelor of Agricultural Science degree with a focus on dairy. The scholarship shall comprise, via a credit to the recipient's fees account, an amount of \$7,500 towards a fulltime course load of eight courses.

3. Eligibility

To be eligible to apply an applicant must meet all the following criteria.

- a. Be full time students registered in the third year of a Bachelor of Agriculture or Bachelor of Agricultural Science.
- b. Be New Zealand Citizens or Permanent Residents.

4. Selection Criteria

The criteria for selection will be:

- a. Academic merit
- b. Demonstrable interest in Dairy Agriculture in New Zealand, now and in the future

5. Selection Committee

The scholarship shall be awarded based on a recommendation of a selection committee which shall comprise:

- a. A member of the Scholarships Committee or nominee, and
- b. A representative from Aurora Dairies.

The selection committee may request the applicant to attend an interview as part of the selection process.

The selection committee may refrain from making an award if it finds no candidate of sufficient merit.

6. Tenure

- a. The scholarship shall be tenable for one academic year.
- b. The scholarship may be tenable with any other scholarship, bursary or award.
- c. An opportunity to work for Aurora Dairies through the summer break may be provided. There is no obligation to accept a position. Scholars who take up the opportunity to work for Aurora Dairies will have a separate employment agreement for this work.

7. Application

Application form is below.

Applications close on 31 March.

Applications to be emailed to scholarships@lincoln.ac.nz



AURORA DAIRIES SCHOLARSHIP



APPLICATION FORM

Student Information	
Family Name:	
First Name/s:	
Postal address:	
Email address:	
Mobile number:	
Lincoln Student ID:	

Academic Information	
Course of Study at Lincoln:	
Please attach a written presentation outlining your current or planned personal development and how this supports the New Zealand Dairy Industry.	Tick when attached <input type="checkbox"/>

Financial Information	
Please list any current Scholarships, Bursaries or Awards you have received during your course of study at Lincoln University.	

References

Please submit two confidential letters of reference with your application. Ask the referees to email their reference directly to the Scholarships Office.

scholarships@lincoln.ac.nz

Please provide the name, title, address, phone number and email address for your two referees:

Referee 1:

Referee 2:

Declaration:

I declare that the information contained in and provided in connection with this application is true and correct. **I acknowledge that giving false or misleading information is a serious offence.**

Signature:

Date:

Please submit your application to the Lincoln University Scholarships Office no later than 31 March.

Candidates shall email applications directly to the Scholarships Office.

Email: scholarships@lincoln.ac.nz

Web: www.lincoln.ac.nz/scholarships

PRIVACY PROVISIONS

The information requested in this application form and your academic record will be used solely for the purposes of assessing your application for the Scholarship(s) for which you are applying. Personal information contained in this application will be made available to members of the Selection Committee for this award, the membership of which is detailed in the award regulations.

Lincoln University will store your application in a secure place in the event that you are successful in gaining an award or are selected as a reserve candidate for an award, and to destroy your application to preserve its confidentiality in the event that you are unsuccessful in gaining an award.

Should you have reason to believe that information held about you in either your application or your academic record is incorrect, you have the right of access to, and correction of, that information.

Personal references from the persons you have named are obtained on the strict understanding that they are confidential, and you may not have access to those reports without the written authorisation of the author.

I, agree to the above conditions with respect to my scholarship application(s) to Lincoln University.

Signed:.....

Date:.....

ADVICE TO APPLICANTS

Applications must arrive by the date shown on the application form. No undertaking is given to accept late applications.

It is your responsibility to contact your referees, and ask them to send their references to the Scholarships Office. References should be clearly marked with your name and the name of the scholarship(s) for which you are applying. Referees should **not** be asked to send their references to you, as they must have the opportunity to be completely frank. Non receipt of referees reports or incomplete applications may prejudice your eligibility.

If Official documents are requested as part of your scholarship application please do not send original documents. Send only copies that have been certified by a J.P, a solicitor, or a staff member in the university registry. **Unless specifically requested, please do not send a curriculum vitae.** Lincoln University accepts no responsibility to return original documents.

If you have any queries regarding your eligibility or how to apply, please contact the Scholarships Office on 0800 10 60 10 or scholarships@lincoln.ac.nz