

Smart and Skilled



Jobs of Tomorrow Scholarships

Information for students

Jobs needing skills in science, technology, engineering or mathematics (STEM) are expected to be in high demand in the future. If you are interested in training in these skills, you may be eligible for a \$1,000 Jobs of Tomorrow scholarship under the NSW **Government's Smart and Skilled Program**

Am I eligible to apply for a Jobs of Tomorrow Scholarship?

To be eligible for a scholarship, you must first meet the Smart and Skilled eligibility criteria:

- 15 years old or over
- no longer at school
- living or working in NSW
- an Australian citizen, Australian permanent resident, Australian permanent humanitarian visa holder or New Zealand citizen

You must also:

- have enrolled in a qualification that is eligible for a Jobs of Tomorrow Scholarship with an approved Smart and Skilled training provider
- commence training on or after 1 January 2016.

Who gets a scholarship?

The scholarships are available on a first come, first served basis. In 2016, the first 6,250 eligible students to successfully apply will be offered a scholarship.

How do I know if a qualification is eligible for a Jobs of Tomorrow Scholarship?

Selected qualifications at Certificate IV to Advanced Diploma level in broad areas such as nursing and healthcare, engineering and information and communications technology are eligible for a scholarship.

See the list of eligible qualifications on our web page at smartandskilled.nsw.gov.au/for-students/ scholarships/jobs-of-tomorrow-scholarships.

The qualifications eligible for a Jobs of Tomorrow Scholarship will have a yellow 'Jobs of Tomorrow' flag on the Course Finder, on the Smart and Skilled website (smartandskilled.nsw.gov.au).

How do I apply for a Jobs of Tomorrow Scholarship?

You will need to apply for a scholarship once you have enrolled in an eligible qualification.

Applications are expected to open in March 2016.

date and how to apply will be available soon. So make sure you visit our web page at smartandskilled.nsw.gov.au/for-students/ scholarships/jobs-of-tomorrow-scholarships regularly to check for any information updates.

Further information regarding the application opening

Remember, scholarships are limited to the first 6,250 successful applicants, so make sure you apply early.



When will I be paid my Jobs of Tomorrow Scholarship?

If your application is successful, you will be paid an initial instalment of \$500 after your training provider has confirmed you have commenced training.

The second instalment of \$500 will be paid to you after your training provider has confirmed that you have completed your training.

More information on scholarship payments will be made available once applications open.

Is there a limit to the number of scholarships I can get?

You can only receive one scholarship between 1 January 2016 and 31 December 2019.

INDUSTRY PARTNERSHIPS

What other benefits and opportunities are there for scholarship students?

The NSW Government is partnering with a number of employers and employer groups to provide additional support for scholarship recipients. By contacting an industry partner during your training, you could be offered opportunities such as mentoring, networking and work experience.

Further details will be available on our web page. We encourage you to check back on a regular basis as we continue to grow the number of industry partners.

For more information

Check the Jobs of Tomorrow page in the "For Students" section of the Smart and Skilled website

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for updates on eligible qualifications, available industry partnerships and when applications open.

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