# Ōtātara Trust Scholarship



#### What is the Ōtātara Trust?

The Ōtātara Trust is a charitable trust established in 1977 to encourage continuing education and assist EIT to achieve its role as the premier tertiary provider in Hawke's Bay.

Initially the trust had a broader role in management of separate businesses within EIT such as the Children's Centre and the Bookshop.

In 2008, five new scholarships were introduced to mark 30 years of support for EIT and the Trust's more focussed role on scholarship support.

#### Objectives of the new Ōtātara Scholarship Scheme are:

- · To encourage learning at all stages of life
- To encourage completion of studies
- To encourage consistent academic achievement
- · To diminish barriers to learning
- To recognise contribution to community

## Who May Apply?

Any returning EIT Hawke's Bay student undertaking Level 6 and/or Level 7 study.

## How to Apply:

Complete the application form (overleaf) or visit EIT Online, eit.ac.nz or the EIT Information Centre to obtain an application form.

## Applications close Friday, 11 March

Applications will be judged by a selection panel on the basis of student calibre in an all-round sense and not entirely on high academic achievement.

**APPLY TODAY** 







#### **Ōtātara Scholarship Application Form**

Five scholarships of \$2500 will be awarded annually to returning Level 6 and/or 7 EIT students who will benefit from assistance to complete their studies in the following year.

Name:	
Address:	
	Postcode:
Phone:	Mobile:
Email:	

#### Please attach the following:

- Record of Academic Achievement.
- Letter of Support from Tutor, Lecturer or Programme Coordinator.
- Personal Statement outlining why you have applied for this scholarship.

(The panel will be interested to know of your study and life goals and how this scholarship could help you achieve those goals. Any community activity involvement should also be listed.)

## Applications close Friday 11 March. Please send your application to:

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