

## What is the Ōtātara Trust?

The Ōtātara Trust is a charitable trust established in 1977 to encourage continuing education and assist EIT | Te Pūkenga 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 | Te Pūkenga such as the Children's Centre and the Bookshop.

In 2008, five new scholarships were introduced to mark 30 years of support for EIT | Te Pūkenga 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 | Te Pūkenga Hawke's Bay student undertaking Level 6 and/or Level 7 study.

## How to apply:

Applications open from 30 January 2024. Complete the application form (overleaf) or visit [eit.ac.nz](http://eit.ac.nz) or the EIT | Te Pūkenga Information Centre to obtain an application form.

## Applications close Tuesday, 19 March 2024

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.



## Ōtātara Scholarship Application Form

Five scholarships of \$2500 will be awarded annually to returning Level 6 and/or 7 EIT | Te Pūkenga 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 Tuesday, 19 March 2024. Please send your application to:

Confidential  
Ōtātara Trust  
EIT | Te Pūkenga Hawke's Bay Private Bag 1201  
Hawke's Bay Mail Centre  
Napier 4142  
Attention: Liaison Team - Scholarships