

AWARD CONDITIONS - 2025

Indigenous Student Success Program (ISSP) Scholarships

Value

The scholarship/s will be paid in one instalment, to the maximum value as outlined below:

- \$4000 for Study Period 1 (e.g., Trimester 1 2025) recipients; or
- \$3000 for Study Period 2 or 3 (e.g., Trimesters 2 or 3 2025) recipients.

If awarded both the **Education Costs Scholarship** and **Accommodation Costs Scholarship**, the recipient will be paid at the same rate for <u>each</u> scholarship.

For example, if awarded both scholarships in Study Period 1, the recipient will be paid \$8000 (\$4000 for the Education Costs Scholarship and \$4000 for the Accommodation Costs Scholarship).

Eligibility

Education Costs and Accommodation Costs Scholarship recipients must:

- be a domestic student currently residing in Australia
- be an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander person of Australia
- be commencing or continuing their studies at UniSQ in an undergraduate or postgraduate coursework program in the study period of application (e.g., Trimester 1 2025)
 - continuing students have a current Grade Point Average (GPA) of at least 3.0
- be enrolled in a minimum of one study unit in the study period of application
- have an annual household income which demonstrates low socio-economic circumstances and financial need.

Accommodation Costs Scholarship recipients must also:

• have relocated from a regional or remote area in order to undertake on-campus study.

*Recipients cannot hold an ISSP Scholarship concurrently with the following Centrelink payments:

- <u>Student Start Up Loan</u> not eligible to receive the ISSP Education Costs Scholarship
- <u>Relocation Scholarship</u> not eligible to receive the ISSP Accommodation Costs Scholarship

Conditions

- The duration of the scholarship is for the calendar year in which it was awarded.
- If the recipient undertakes cross-institutional studies, they must provide the Scholarships Office, via email <u>study@unisq.edu.au</u>, with evidence of:
 - confirmation of enrolment in the second institution; and
 - \circ $\;$ approval to undertake the study unit/s from the appropriate UniSQ school.
- UniSQ reserves the right to alter the conditions of the scholarship, and to not award the scholarship in any given study period.



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Payment

- Payment is made within the first two weeks in the study period of application.
- Payment will be credited to the recipient's bank account in one instalment, as follows:
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