







# **GLENELG SHIRE COUNCIL**

# Aboriginal Education Scholarship

2023

**Guidelines** 



# What is an Aboriginal Scholarship?

This scholarship has been developed to encourage an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander person residing in the Glenelg Shire, to continue to study by providing financial support to assist in several ways. Glenelg Shire have two scholarships each to the amount of \$3,000 which will be paid in two instalments to successful applicants.

## **Eligibility**

- Must be an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander person aged between 16 –
  24.
- Must live in the Glenelg Shire but can be studying outside of shire i.e., Deakin University, South West TAFE or Secondary Colleges across the region etc.
- Be currently studying or plan to undertake further study.
- Community involvement would be an advantage i.e., Sporting groups or cultural activities etc.

#### **Conditions**

- Be committed to studying for the duration of the scholarship.
- Provide evidence of course/school enrolment.
- Provide contact details of your mentor/teacher at your institution/school to confirm ongoing participation over the year.
- Scholarship funds can be used for:
  - 1. Course fees
  - 2. Course requirements such as schoolbooks, stationery, and equipment
  - 3. Compulsory clothing/footwear
  - 4. Travel expenses
  - 5. Tutoring

## How to apply

To apply, go to <a href="www.glenelg.vic.gov.au">www.glenelg.vic.gov.au</a> or visit one of our Customer Service Centres for an application form. Once completed post or email the application and supporting documents, by the closing date to:

Community Wellbeing Manager Glenelg Shire Council

Phone: 5522 2200

Email: enquiries@glenelg.vic.gov.au



#### **Assessment Process**

Applications will be reviewed by the Glenelg Aboriginal Partnership Group and a recommendation of the two scholarship recipients will go to Council for endorsement.

#### **Grievance Procedure**

Council's decisions are final and will not be reviewed. No further correspondence will be entered in to.

#### For more information

For further information or to apply please contact:

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