

## AVONDALE COURSE SPECIFIC SCHOLARSHIP

Avondale offers up to 8 Arts, 8 Business, 16 Education and 8 Science scholarships to **new** students from Australia and New Zealand, who have a passion for their chosen course and a desire to study at Avondale.

### DETAILS

These Course Specific scholarships are worth \$2,000 (\$1,000 for each semester) for one year of study for students enrolled in an undergraduate degree in Arts, Business, Education and Science.

### ELIGIBILITY

You are able to apply for one type of Avondale scholarship only. If you have submitted an application for a Service/Leadership scholarship, you are not eligible to apply for the Course Specific scholarship.

### CONDITIONS

- 1 The scholarship is available to any **new** student from Australia or New Zealand, who have citizenship or permanent resident status in any of the states or territories within these countries;
- 2 The scholarship is not transferable;
- 3 The scholarship cannot be deferred;
- 4 The recipient can only receive benefit from one Avondale College funded scholarship per year;
- 5 The scholarship is awarded subject to the applicant meeting normal admission requirements, and will be implemented once all academic enrolment procedures are finalised;
- 6 The semester value of the scholarship will be applied to the recipient's account at enrolment and cannot be redeemed for cash, in part or in whole;
- 7 If the conditions of the scholarship are no longer being met at census date, the scholarship will be discontinued;
- 8 The recipient must undertake a full study load of at least 24 credit points (4 units) per semester. Any approved cross-institutional study will be included when determining a student's study load for each semester;
- 9 Continuance of the Scholarship for the second semester of study is contingent upon satisfactory academic progress;
- 10 All offers are made subject to confirmation of academic status;
- 11 All recipients should be of good standing in the community. Scholarships or part thereof may be revoked at the discretion of the Discipline Committee, where the recipient brings the name of Avondale into disrepute.

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### CRITERIA

Your application should address all of the following criteria and provide examples of evidence in relation to each of them.

*Commitment to Avondale's Adventist Christian values and lifestyle –*

- 1 **Nurture:** Explain how you have responded to your own needs and the needs of others in the past.
- 2 **Spirituality:** Describe how you respond to God's invitation to commune with Him in prayer, meditation, fellowship, study of the Bible and Sabbath rest.
- 3 **Balance:** Explain how you develop a balanced program of spiritual growth, intellectual development, cultural enrichment, physical activity, relaxation and recreation.
- 4 **Excellence:** Provide some examples of how you have aimed to reach the highest standard possible in your work and human relationships and how you know that you have reached the level of excellence that you have set for yourself.
- 5 **Service:** Provide some examples of how you have responded when you became aware that others are in need of care and support both in Australia or New Zealand (as relevant) and overseas.

*Involvement in intra and inter-school activities such as competitions, talent quests and challenges, related to your chosen course of study.*

- 1 Describe some events in which you have been involved such as debating, writing, participation in clubs, drama groups, artistic displays and exhibitions, and sporting and other competitions;
- 2 Provide a certificate of achievement or participation, copies of major awards/prizes and referee reports or testimonials where you have received any of these;
- 3 Describe what you did to receive the certificate or prize above.

*High levels of academic achievement, as evidenced by state-wide or nationally standardised tests, academic awards and university entrance rankings.*

- 1 Academic achievements such as academic prizes, external academic competitions (e.g., such as scores on the Australia-wide university initiated mathematics competition); and/or internal school competitions, or Eisteddfod results;
- 2 Your most recent school report, trial HSC results, or if you are a TAFE/VET student please attach the most recent copy of your results notice;
- 3 Any university subjects/units, VET units of competency, or Certificates/Diplomas completed.

*Commitment to a career in the course of your course.*

Describe the type of career you have in mind and how your chosen course will help you achieve this. Include a description of how important this career is for you. What impact do you envisage that this career will have on your life following graduation and in the longer term?

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### APPLICATION DETAILS

- 1 Applicants are required to complete the attached Avondale Course Specific Scholarship Application Form 2012;
- 2 Please also attach the required documentation addressing the listed criteria;
- 3 In some cases Avondale will contact a person who knows the applicant well. Applicants are to provide the name and phone number of two people, such as a school teacher, pastor or employer, who are willing to provide a character reference for them.

### AWARD PROCESS

- 1 Scholarship applications will only be processed for students who have also submitted an Avondale Application for Enrolment form. Students requiring an Application for Enrolment Form can contact The Enquiry Centre on +61 2 4980 2377 (NZ) or 1800 991 392 (Australia) or email the Enquiry Centre at: [enquiries@avondale.edu.au](mailto:enquiries@avondale.edu.au), or apply on-line;
- 2 First round scholarship applications will be processed in the first week of February and offers will be made within 7 days; second round scholarship applications will be processed in the first week of March and applicants will be notified within 7 days;
- 3 Where there are scholarships still available in the second semester, applications will be processed in the last week of July and applicants will be notified with 7 days;
- 4 Applications are to be submitted by **31 January 2012**, or by **15 July 2012** for **new** students commencing in second semester.

### POST OR FAX APPLICATIONS TO:

The Scholarship Office  
Avondale College  
PO Box 19  
COORANBONG NSW 2265  
Australia  
Fax +61 2 4980 2124

### OTHER SCHOLARSHIP ENQUIRIES

Phone: + 61 2 4980 2377  
Freecall (Australia) 1800 991 392  
Email: [scholarships@avondale.edu.au](mailto:scholarships@avondale.edu.au)  
Website: [www.avondale.edu.au](http://www.avondale.edu.au)

## AVONDALE COURSE SPECIFIC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (mobile or home) \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Course applied for** \_\_\_\_\_

### Referee 1

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

### Referee 2

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

If submitting multiple scholarship applications please state your order of preference:

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Please indicate which account you would like your scholarship applied to – (tick one box only)

General Fees Account (This includes accommodation and/or miscellaneous expenses)

Tuition Account

Any changes must be made in writing to Student Finance before census date.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Tick to confirm that an Avondale Application for Enrolment has been submitted.

Contact the Avondale Enquiry and Enrolment Centre for an application for enrolment if you do not have one (see contact details on the scholarship information sheet) or apply online on our website at [www.avondale.edu.au](http://www.avondale.edu.au)