



EDUCATION GRANTS

(Closing Date: 5.00pm, 30 June 2022)

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1. INTRODUCTION

Maru Ora Charitable Trust is committed to facilitating life-long opportunities for Ngāti Maru uri that enables them to be well educated, trained and confident in their Ngāti Marutanga.

Maru Ora Charitable Trust is offering education grants to invest in Ngāti Maru uri and assist them to embrace educational opportunities.

The key principles of the Education Grants are:

- Facilitating opportunities for Ngāti Maru iwi members to be well educated and to participate in life-long learning;
- Promoting and rewarding educational excellence;
- Facilitating access to quality education and training opportunities; and
- Fostering a commitment to contribute the knowledge and skills gained through education for the future benefit of Ngāti Maru iwi.

2. GENERAL ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

To be eligible to apply for any of the grants, applicants must satisfy the following criteria:

- Be of Ngāti Maru descent and a registered member of Ngāti Maru;
- Be enrolled with a government recognised tertiary institution or secondary school in NZ;
- Submit a fully completed application including a personal statement and all required information by the closing date (incomplete or late applications will not be considered);
- Provide proof of enrolment for year of the grant application and a transcript or report of the applicant's grades for the previous year;
- Provide acceptable evidence of a bank account e.g. bank deposit slip or letter from bank.

See Studylink for list of acceptable evidence

<https://my.studylink.govt.nz/my/studylink/help/evidence-regs.html>

The tertiary based grants are open to full and part time students who meet the specific eligibility criteria for the particular grant for which they are applying and grants are open to applicants of all ages that meet the criteria.

For Maru Ora Charitable Trust office use only:

Registration Number:		Reference Number:		
Checked:	Assessed:	Interview Required:	Interview Date:	Decision:
<i>Date:</i>	<i>Date:</i>	<i>Yes / No</i>	<i>Date:</i>	<i>Approve / Decline</i>
CEO Approval	Funds Approved:	Letter Sent	Payment Made	Payment Confirmed
<i>Sign:</i>	<i>\$</i>	<i>Date:</i>	<i>Date:</i>	<i>Date:</i>



APPLICATION FORM

ARE YOU REGISTERED WITH NGĀTI MARU	YES	NO	EMAIL
SURNAME			HOME PHONE
FIRST NAME(S)			MOBILE PHONE
DATE OF BIRTH	DD/MM/YYYY	AGE	POSTAL ADDRESS
GENDER (TICK)	FEMALE	MALE	

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SECONDARY SCHOOL GRANT

EDUCATION DETAILS AND ENROLMENT CONFIRMATION			
National Student Number (NSN)			
Name of Secondary School			
School Address			
School Contact Number		School Email	
Students' Year of Study	Year 11	Year 12	Year 13
EDUCATION HISTORY			
Yr 9 Secondary School			
Yr 10 Secondary School			
Certificates and Other Achievements or Awards			
Enrolment	Please provide documentation to verify your enrolment with this secondary school (eg: enrolment confirmation letter, enrolment documentation)		
Achievement	Please provide copies of your most recent NCEA or equivalent exam results. Please do not send each individual credit or unit standard.		
Proficiency in Te Reo Māori	Fluent	Intermediate	Beginner
			No Te Reo

PERSONAL STATEMENT

What are your education goals for the next 5 years and what Ngāti Maru Iwi activities or kaupapa would interest you? (100 words)



How do you see yourself contributing to Ngāti Maru Iwi in the future?
How does your field of study or research connect with Ngāti Maru strategic goals and assist Ngāti Maru to achieve its commercial and cultural objectives?

GUIDELINES

1. Applications for Secondary School Education grants and Tertiary Education grants open 20th June 2022 and close on 30th June 2022.
2. Applicants are eligible to receive one grant in a calendar year.
3. All applications will be reviewed for completeness and satisfaction of the application criteria. Any applications that are incomplete or do not satisfy the application criteria will not be considered. Applicants will be informed that their application has been unsuccessful.
4. Tertiary grant applicants will receive 50% of the available grant if they are studying part time.
5. All applications will be presented to the Grants Committee to review and the successful applications will be approved within the available budget.
6. Applicants may be required to participate in an interview. While the preference is for the applicant to do this in person, the Grants Committee will consider 'virtual' interviews if requested (ie: Zoom, Teams, etc).



7. Maru Ora Charitable Trust is under no obligation to grant the maximum number of grants and has the discretion to reallocate grants subject to the annual budget.
8. The Grants Committee’s decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.
9. All applicants, successful or unsuccessful, will be notified of the outcome within ten (10) working days of the Grants Committee meeting.
10. All tertiary grant recipients are required to attend and make a brief speech at the Annual General meeting or a Hui-a Iwi.
11. The annual grants will be advertised on the Ngāti Maru website, and in Te Kāhui Maru communications.
12. Recipients of the tertiary grants must sign a Grant Agreement form accepting the conditions of the grant.

DECLARATION

I confirm that the information provided in this application is true and accurate. I agree and understand that:

- I will be available for an interview if required.
- My name may be used to promote the grant through Ngāti Maru communications.
- I will only use the funds to advance my educational studies.
- If my application is incomplete that it will not be considered and will be declined.
- I am authorised to sign this application.
- I consent to sharing my email address with other Ngāti Maru grant recipients and applicants that are studying at the same institution.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

CHECKLIST FOR APPLICANTS

Requirements	Tick
Confirmed registration of Ngāti Maru	
Verified bank deposit slip attached	
Enrolment confirmation attached	
Verified results or transcript attached	
Declaration signed	



CLOSING DATE

All applications close at 5pm, 30th June 2022, any late applications received after this date will not be accepted.

Postal Address:

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New Plymouth
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New Zealand

Physical Address:

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New Plymouth
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Phone: 06 757 2766 / 0800 MARU ORA

Email: admin@ngatimaru.co.nz

If you require any further assistance to complete the application please call the office on 06 757 2766 or email admin@ngatimaru.co.nz

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