

Central Energy Academic Bursary

ABOUT THE BURSARY

The Trust awards up to a maximum of **TEN** bursaries each year.

Each Bursary shall be tenable for up to three years and have a value of:

1 st year	2,000
2 nd year	1,000
3 rd year	1,000
Total	<u>\$4,000</u>

Payments are made at the beginning of each academic year in February / March.

Current bursaries are reviewed annually and their continuation to the next academic year is contingent on satisfactory academic progress and personal development being made by the student.

APPLICANT REQUIREMENTS

Applicants for the bursary must be New Zealand citizens or permanent residents.

Applicants must reside in the Manawatu/Tararua region (the old CentralPower Electricity Trust Area) and be intending to reside in the Manawatu/Tararua region for the duration of their course of study. (See enclosed map)

The bursary is open to first year students enrolling at a Tertiary institution in the Manawatu / Tararua region for a course of study extending over a minimum of three years.

Applications must be at our offices by 5.00pm, Friday, 13 November 2009

**Shortlisted Applicants will need to attend an Interview on
Monday, 7th December 2009**

Please send your completed application form and supporting documentation to:

Central Energy Trust

**Secretary or Chairperson
Central Energy Trust**

**C/- BDO Manawatu Limited
4th Floor, Farmers' Mutual Building
55 The Square, PO Box 1242
PALMERSTON NORTH 4440**

CENTRAL ENERGY ACADEMIC BURSARY APPLICATION FORM

PERSONAL DETAILS

NAME: _____

HOME ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: _____

TERM ADDRESS: (IF KNOWN) _____

TELEPHONE: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

SCHOLASTIC QUALIFICATIONS

- NCEA Level 1 _____
- NCEA Level 2 _____
- NCEA Level 3 _____
- Scholarship / Bursary _____
- Copy of Academic record attached supporting above qualifications

REFERENCES

Please nominate two people as referees. Ask them to provide confidential written comments about your character and achievements, as well as your academic ability and potential and send their references directly to Central Energy Trust, PO Box 1242, Palmerston North.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: _____

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: _____

STUDY PROGRAMME

Where will you be studying? _____

What qualification will you be seeking? _____

How many years to complete the qualification? _____

FINANCIAL ASSESSMENT

Have you applied for or been awarded any other bursaries/scholarships? **YES/NO**

If **YES** please give details _____

BUDGET

Please complete the budget below as accurately as possible. All figures should be given on an annual basis.

INCOME

Student Allowances _____

Student Loan _____

Personal Savings _____

Earnings (Wages) _____

Parental support _____

Scholarships/Bursaries _____

Other (please itemise) _____

TOTAL INCOME _____

EXPENSES

Fees _____

Accommodation (Rent) _____

Meals _____

Utilities (phone, power etc.) _____

Text Books _____

Transport _____

Insurance _____

Entertainment _____

Other (please detail) _____

TOTAL EXPENSES _____

SUPPORTING STATEMENTS

All applicants must include the following statements with their applications:

- Confirmation that they fulfil the eligibility requirements for the Bursary, namely a New Zealand or permanent resident, who resides in the Manawatu / Tararua region.
- A detailed statement explaining why you need a Bursary and how it would be used if granted (eg living expenses, travel costs, course expenses, tuition fees).
- A description of your interests, achievements and extra-curricular activities.
- A description of any plans for further study or career plans you may have, as well as any other information you would like to include in support of your application.

DECLARATION

The above information is complete and correct.

Signature _____

Date _____

Note it is the responsibility of the applicants to provide all the information requested. Applicants must complete this form personally and answer all questions. If incorrect or misleading information is given, applicants may be disqualified from the bursary.

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