



4. Bi-Cultural Achievement Scholarship

*One Scholarship of up to \$1000 to be awarded to ONE extramural student of Maori descent, to assist in continuing study.
Closing date: Friday 15th January 2010*

Massey Extramural Students' Society (EXMSS) offers the Bi-Cultural Achievement Scholarship to assist in continuing study of an extramural student of Maori descent who has successfully completed his/her first year of extramural study in any Bachelor programme at Massey University, and enrolling extramurally the next year.

General Notes

1. Scholarship and Award monies will be determined annually.
2. Applications must be made on the appropriate form (attached).
3. Each Scholarship shall be tenable for one academic year and shall be payable upon verification of enrolment.
4. One reference will be required. This can be provided by any official who has had contact with the applicant, for example a teacher, Kaumatua/Kuia, supervisor, church minister, lecturer, or employer. This may accompany the application or be emailed or posted by the referee directly to the EXMSS office.
5. Applicants must provide a record of their Academic achievement to date. This can be downloaded from myMassey as long as it shows which papers were completed extramurally.
6. Applicants must be continuing their studies extramurally, and have identified as Maori either on enrolment at Massey University or on the Maori Electoral Roll.
7. The EXMSS Scholarship Selection Committee shall take into consideration the applicant's academic record, personal circumstances and commitment to the extramural mode of study at Massey University.
8. The EXMSS Scholarship Selection Committee shall finalise their decision no later than Monday 8th February 2010. The Executive committee may refrain from awarding the scholarship/s should there be no candidate of sufficient merit.
9. The Bi-Cultural Achievement Scholarship will be noted on the recipient's Academic Record.
10. The successful applicant will be required to submit a personal story of their study experiences for publication in the *Off Campus* magazine and EXMSS website, or be interviewed by the magazine editor.
11. Closing date of 15th January 2010 will be advertised on the EXMSS website www.exmss.org.nz



12. For further enquiries please call the Student Services Manager, Anne Moretti, 0508 4EXMSS (0508 439677) or 06 3569099, extn 81182, or email on anne@exmss.org.nz. The Award application form is available on the website www.exmss.org.nz but MUST be posted or faxed to EXMSS.

Notes to Assist with the Completion of the Application Form

The Scholarship is intended to encourage extramural students to progress from one successful year to the next. Note: "Success" in study is defined here as obtaining a pass grade in at least half of the papers taken in the first year.

- All the information requested on the application form is essential in order for the Scholarship application to be considered. It is not the responsibility of the Selection Committee to source missing information. Failure to provide information requested on the application form will lead to delays in the consideration of the application.
- If you have any queries or are unsure how to complete a particular section of the application please contact the EXMSS Student Services Manager in Palmerston North, rather than submitting an incomplete application. Contact details below.
- Please pay particular attention to the Supporting Statement section of the application form. It is worth spending some time on this section as it provides you with the opportunity to outline your circumstances and the reason you are applying for the Scholarship.
- Payment of this award will be paid to Massey University towards the recipient's tuition fees.
- This Scholarship can only be applied for once.

For further enquiries please contact

Student Services Manager, Extramural Students' Society Inc, Massey University, Private Bag 11 222, Palmerston North 4442

Email: info@exmss.org.nz or Phone: 06 3569099, extn 81182



SURNAME: _____
STUDENT ID: _____

4. BI-CULTURAL ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP FOR FIRST YEAR
EXTRAMURAL STUDENT OF MAORI DESCENT

PERSONAL DETAILS

Ms/Miss/Mrs/Mr _____ Name (print) _____

Permanent address: _____ Phone: _____

Email address: _____

Iwi/Hapu: _____

ACADEMIC HISTORY

Degree or diploma for which you are now enrolled: _____

Department/Institute/School in which you are enrolling: _____

Papers you are wanting to enrol in for which this Award will be used:

Year One	Year Two
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

SUPPORTING STATEMENT

Please attach a supporting statement detailing the purpose for which this award is required and how it would contribute to your academic success. (max: 600 words)

REFEREE'S REPORT:

Please provide a written statement from a known official or Kaumatua/Kuia, either attached to this application form or sent via email or post directly to the EXMSS office. Indicate which is applicable.

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BI-CULTURAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARD FOR FIRST YEAR EXTRAMURAL
STUDENT OF MAORI DESCENT

REGULATIONS

This scholarship is to assist students who are enrolled in their first year of extramural studies, and carrying on to the next year.

- One \$1000 award will be granted to one extramural student of Maori descent. Verification of Maori descent must be provided. A copy of your Academic progress will be required (*this can be downloaded from myMassey on the Massey University website*).
- Any scholarship or award from EXMSS is for EXMSS members.
- The recipient will be required to submit a personal story of their study experiences for publication in the *Off Campus* magazine and EXMSS website www.exmss.org.nz or be interviewed by the magazine editor.
- Awards are based on the recommendation of the EXMSS Scholarship Committee, not by Massey University staff.

DECLARATION

I consent to:

- the disclosure of personal information that I have provided on this form to the EXMSS Scholarship Committee, for the purpose of assessing my application for this award.
- publication of my name and details.

I have read and understand the regulations for the EXMSS Bi-Cultural Achievement Award and agree to abide by them.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION

It is the responsibility of applicants to provide all the information requested on this form.

EXMSS undertakes to collect, use and store the information you provide in this application according to the principles of the Privacy Act 1993.

Please send the completed form and attachments to:

The President
Extramural Student Society Inc
Level 2, Students' Centre Building
Massey University
Private Bag 11-222, Palmerston North 4442
Fax: 06 350 5650
Email: Info@exmss.org.nz

Thank you for submitting this application.