Deans Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Undergraduate Scholarship

This Scholarship is open to Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander undergraduate students who are commencing the Bachelor of Applied Science (Speech Pathology), or the Bachelor of Applied Science (Occupational Therapy) in the Faculty of Health Sciences.

Scholarship value and duration
$6,000 tenable for 1 year.

Eligibility criteria
− Open to applicants of Australian Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent who have obtained an Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) in the NSW Higher School Certificate (or equivalent),
− who have been offered a place and are commencing their first year of the Bachelor of Applied Science (Speech Pathology) or the Bachelor of Applied Science (Occupational Therapy) in the Faculty of Health Sciences at the University of Sydney
− Students must commence their studies in Semester One 2018.

For more information
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Background
Up to 2 Scholarships available.

Selection criteria
The Scholarship will be awarded based on:
− both academic achievement and a 1 page personal statement that describes:
  i. leadership experience,
  ii. future career goals, and
  iii. reason for choice of degree

Ongoing eligibility
− Ongoing payment is subject to the continued full-time enrolment of the recipient.

Payment schedule
− Payment will be made in two equal instalments after the census dates in both semesters.
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Terms and Conditions  

1. Deans Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Undergraduate Scholarships awarded to recipients who:  
   a. are of an Australian Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent who have obtained an Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) in the NSW Higher School Certificate (or equivalent), who are commencing the first year of an undergraduate award course at The University of Sydney through the Universities Admissions Centre (UAC);  
   b. have been offered a place in the Bachelor of Applied Science (Speech Pathology) or the Bachelor of Applied Science (Occupational Therapy) in the Faculty of Health Sciences; the University of Sydney; commencing the studies in the next academic year.  

2. The scholarship will be awarded based on both academic achievement and a 1 page personal statement that describes  
   a. leadership experience,  
   b. future career goals, and  
   c. reason for choice of degree.  

3. The scholarship will be awarded to two (2) Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Undergraduate students.  

4. The scholarship is valued at $6,000, will be paid in two equal instalments normally after the relevant census dates, the first in early April and second in early September, subject to the continued full-time enrolment of the recipient;  

5. The scholarship shall be terminated if the recipient  
   a. accepts any another scholarship of equal or higher value;  
   b. withdraws from the agreed degree.