



Henderson Country Student Scholarship: RETURNING Residents

Closing date and time: Friday 2 December 2011, 4pm

The Henderson Country Student Scholarship for returning residents – rewards contribution to college for students in second year and above at Lincoln who normally reside in rural South Australia. Financial hardship also informs the criteria and applicants for this scholarship will need to provide financial statements.

To apply for scholarships at Lincoln College you must:

1. *Read the Scholarship conditions (attached)*
2. *Complete all the sections of this form and attach any required answers to questions*
3. *Attach your most recent COMPLETE academic transcript showing subjects studied and results for each subject**
4. *Ask for a written reference from your current Residential Corridor Tutor that is **sent directly to the Principal.***

Incomplete scholarship applications cannot be considered

***MBSS STUDENTS AND OTHER NGP STUDENTS:**

Medical students and other students who only receive a result of NGP on their transcripts must provide written evidence from their course advisor of more detailed results.

1. Name in Full

2. Date of Birth:

3. Permanent (non-college) address

4. Date on which you entered college:

5. Current course & Student ID

6. Year of study at University: 2nd / 3rd / 4th / 5th / 6th /

7. Academic Record – Applicants are required to provide a full transcript of academic work undertaken at the South Australian University which they attend.

I certify that the information I have provided is true and correct.

Signature of Applicant

Date

Section A

1. Provide details, and evidence where possible, of your involvement in Lincoln College activities in the current year. These may include College Club, Sport, Music, Academic Peer Support, Spiritual Activities or anything else that benefited the college and your fellow students. Remember to provide a detailed report on everything you contributed, as this will form a major part of the scholarships assessment, and if it is not included in this form, it cannot be assessed.
2. On an attached A4 page, indicate what you believe to be a) the benefits to you from residing at Lincoln College and b) the benefits to the College and your fellow students from your residence at Lincoln College. Give specific examples.

Section B

Provide written references from your Residential Corridor Tutor *and* a fellow student testifying to outstanding contribution to the College community.

- a. Senior residents applying for the Henderson Country Student Scholarship should ask their referees to make reference to their contributions throughout your time in residence.

Section C – Financial Criteria Form

The Henderson Country Student Scholarships were specifically created for rural South Australian students attending university in Adelaide and living at Lincoln College.

Applicants must demonstrate financial need and show evidence of academic competency, civic and community potential. Ben Henderson was a self made man who believed in “a hand up, not a hand out.” This scholarship is an encouragement to those who may very well one day help others in the same way.

To apply for the Henderson Country Student Scholarship, you will need to complete a Financial Criteria Form. This includes providing evidence of your family’s income level for the past two years.

Without this form, you cannot be considered for the Henderson Country Student Scholarship.

An important criterion of the Scholarship is genuine financial need. In order for the committee to determine the best candidates we ask that you honestly complete the following information. Whilst financial need is not the only criterion, it is a very important aspect of the decision.

- 1) Do you receive Commonwealth means-tested income support? eg Centrelink payments, Veterans Affairs, or Rent Assistance?
 - a) NO YES (attach evidence eg Centrelink CRN)
 - b) What is your total income from this per fortnight?

- 2) Who currently supports you and pays for your Lincoln fees? If the payment is shared please be specific.

- 3) Are you from a single income parent family? YES NO

- 4) Please list your family's combined total income after tax per annum – you will need to supply an income statement for each member of your household for the last two financial years:

- 5) How many dependents do your parents support at school age or below?

- 6) How many dependents do your parents support at university?

- 7) Do you have any siblings at a University College that are also supported by your parents?

YES NO

- 8) Does either of your parents receive a pension?
 - a) NO YES (see below)
 - b) What type of pension?

9) Does your family receive any grants or monetary gifts from other institutions or from the Government?

a) NO YES (see below)

b) What are they and what amount do they total per annum?

10) Are you in receipt of any other Scholarships, grants or bursaries?

a) NO YES (see below)

b) What is the total amount of money you receive per annum?

11) Please list any circumstances that impact on you or your family's ability to provide for you financially.

12) Please **sign** the following statement:

I, the undersigned, declare that I am in genuine financial need, that the above information is correct and true, and that I fulfil all of the criteria of the Henderson Country Student Scholarship.

Signature:

Dated:

Conditions for Scholarship Award

- 1) Each scholarship shall be offered for award annually (or until otherwise determined by the Lincoln College Council
- 2) The Scholarship shall be awarded according to the following criteria:
 - The Henderson Country Student Scholarships were specifically created for rural South Australian students attending university in Adelaide and living at Lincoln College.
 - Applicants must demonstrate financial need and show evidence of academic competency, civic and community potential.
 - Ben Henderson was a self made man who believed in “a hand up, not a hand out.”
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3) Scholarship Eligibility

The Henderson Country Student Scholarship: The Scholarships shall be available to members of the College who have completed at least one year of university study while in residence and who are full-time undergraduate students at a South Australian university. Final results will be counted.

- 4) Applications must be lodged with College Central no later than 2 December 2011 4pm. They must be made on the forms available from the website or College Central, which indicates the information required to be supplied.
- 5) The value of each full Scholarship shall be the equivalent of full semester fees (advance fees such as College Club fees, merchandise pack, limited contents insurance will still be paid by the recipient) until the Council determines otherwise. The Scholarship Committee may choose to award part-scholarships, the number to be awarded will depend on the funds available and the quality of the applicants.
- 6) Scholarships shall be paid in the form of a remission of fees to be given as four credits of equal value made to the Scholarship holder's account with the College over the course of the year.
- 7) If, in any one year, no candidate is deemed to be of sufficient merit, no award of the Scholarship shall be made.
- 8) If in any one year, candidates for the Scholarship are deemed to be of equal merit, the Scholarship may be shared between two or more candidates.
- 9) The holder of a Scholarship may compete in the following or a subsequent year but no-one shall hold a scholarship for more than two years in the aggregate. (i.e.: in your time at college you could receive a maximum of two out of the six scholarships, or be awarded the same scholarship twice, but not three times).

- 10) The selection of a candidate(s) to whom the Scholarship(s) will be awarded shall be made by a Committee (The Scholarship Committee) consisting of the Principal, the Dean, the Assistant Dean, a representative of the College Council, and such other members as are agreed by the Scholarship Committee.
- 11) The College Council may, on the recommendation of the Scholarship Committee, suspend or cancel a Scholarship after giving the Scholar an opportunity to be heard. The Scholarship may be suspended or cancelled if in the opinion of an absolute majority of Council members the Scholar:
 - a) is not adequately fulfilling the two-fold functions of satisfactory academic progress and service to the College Community; or
 - b) ceases to retain the status of a full-time student of at a South Australian University.
- 12) These regulations may be varied from time to time by the College Council provided that:
 - a) The purpose and title of the Scholarship shall not be changed; and
 - b) Any such variation shall not deny the rights under the foregoing rules of a current Scholar or of members of the College at the time of the variation to compete for a Scholarship.