## 2019 Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Scholarship

A scholarship for rural and regional students.

### Going to Uni in 2019, but struggling to pay?

#### Scholarship Snapshot

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<th>Overview</th>
<th>The Scholarship aims to assist academically outstanding but disadvantaged students, from a rural or regional area, who have been offered a full-time place at an Australian university or college for the first time.</th>
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<td>Year of study</td>
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<td>Duration</td>
<td>One year initially but may be awarded for up to two years (dependent upon academic performance)</td>
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<td>Intention of Scholarship</td>
<td>Accommodation costs and/or other expenses directly related to the study of successful applicants (eg. course costs, study related materials/equipment, text books, tutoring)</td>
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<td>Award Value (per student)</td>
<td>Award values remain at the discretion of the special Committee. Award value is $5,000 (per annum) based on previous years</td>
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#### Eligibility

To be eligible, the following criteria must be met:
- Australian citizen or permanent resident from a rural or regional location
- first year undergraduate in 2019 (first attendance at an Australian university)
- studying full-time in 2019 (in an approved Australian course)
- graduated from secondary school in either 2018 or in 2017 (taken a gap year)
- demonstration of the disadvantage (economic and/or social) hindering further study
- outstanding academic achievement and community involvement

#### Nationality

Australian citizen or permanent resident

#### Applications open

3 December 2018

#### Applications close

29 January 2019

#### How to apply

Please visit bendigobank.com.au/scholarships for more information.

#### Criteria

Scholarships will be awarded on the recommendation of a selection committee and will be assessed on academic achievement, demonstrated disadvantage and community contribution.

#### Further Information

The website will contain full information from 3 December 2018. If you still have a query, please contact Community Enterprise Foundation™ on 1300 304 541

The summary above is intended to provide you with a quick snapshot only. Please ensure you review all information provided on the website (during the application open period) thoroughly before you consider applying.