



## Funding Contributions – Resident Further Education Policy

Responsible Officer	Deputy Chief Executive Officer
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### Objective

To assist students who graduate from the Cocos (Keeling) Islands District High School to further their education past the compulsory periods of Years 11 & 12, by contributing funds to cover some costs involved with further study off island. A “Funding Contribution Further Education” Application Form has been prepared for use by those applying for these funds and the following guidelines aim to ensure a fair process for allocation of funds.

### Scope

This policy applies to students under the age of 25 who have completed all of their high schooling, year 7 to year 10, at the Cocos (Keeling) Islands District High School. Students must continue to be a permanent resident of the Cocos (Keeling) Islands to be eligible for financial assistance under this policy.

### Policy

- Students must be studying for an approved Tertiary, TAFE or similar qualification in the current year.
- Funds will be processed on the receipt of evidence of successful completion of the semester of study within 3 months.
- Funds will be paid at a rate of \$500 per semester for full time study or the pro rata amount for part time.
- There is a limit of \$1,000.00 per student per calendar year.
- Application is to be made on the form supplied by Council and be submitted to Council prior to approval.

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Relevant Delegations				
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### **GUIDELINES**

- ❖ Students must continue to be a permanent resident of the Cocos (Keeling) Islands and have completed all of their high schooling, year 7 to year 10, at the Cocos (Keeling) Islands District High School.
- ❖ Students must be 25 years or below to be eligible.
- ❖ Must be studying for an approved Tertiary, TAFE or similar qualification in the current year.
- ❖ Funds will be processed on the receipt of evidence of successful completion of the semester of study within 3 months.
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