







# The Zonta Education Award 2023 - 2024

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The Zonta Club of Peel Inc
and

The City of Mandurah



We believe in making the world a better place by empowering women. We support women's education through our annual Education Award





## **About the Award**

The Zonta Club of Peel, along with co-sponsor the City of Mandurah, offers an award of \$1600 for female students engaged in a recognised course of study at a Western Australian university. The aim of this award is to assist a woman to complete her first degree.

# **Eligibility**

Students are eligible to apply, who:

- 1. Have been a resident in the Peel region for two or more years
- 2. Are studying their first undergraduate degree
- 3. Have successfully completed at least one year of their course of study on either a full time or part time basis
- 4. Are enrolled in the next year of their course of study
- 5. Do not hold any other scholarship or monetary award for their current studies. Note: Centrelink payments are allowable
- 6. Are able to demonstrate need of financial assistance
- 7. Are an Australian citizen or have permanent residency status

### **Terms and Conditions**

Applicants are required to:

- 1. Provide the names and contact details of at least two referees
- 2. Provide evidence of satisfactory completion of the previous year's course of study. Your application must include PDF copies of previous year's official grades or equivalent records from your university
- 3. Show evidence of enrolment in the next academic year. Please provide PDF copies of an official verification of your current enrolment with your application
- 4. Attend a personal interview in January February (date TBA) and provide proof of identity if short-listed,
- 5. The successful applicant must be available to receive her award at the Zonta Club of Peel's International Women's Day event on or near 8<sup>th</sup> March
- 6. Be available later in the year to attend a Zonta meeting to update the Club on your academic progress.

### **Selection Process**

- 1. Applications must be on the attached form. All questions must be answered
- 2. Applicants will be short listed and then interviewed by a panel of the Zonta Club of Peel Education Award committee members
- 3. All candidates will be notified as to whether or not they have been short-listed
- 4. Shortlisted candidates will be advised of a mutually suitable interview date
- 5. The winner of the Award will be advised and will be presented with their Award in March on or about International Woman's Day





# **Zonta Club of Peel Education Award Application**

Please complete and indicate 

as required. Surname Given Name Date of Birth Country of Birth Address Email Telephone Citizenship Permanent Resident Australian Citizen I have resided in the Peel Region for..... Years. Peel Resident Note you may be currently living out of the Peel region for the purposes of study I do not hold any other financial awards for this course of study  $\Box$ Other Awards I am currently receiving another financial award Name of University Name of Course of study I am studying my first degree Current I have successfully completed my first / second year of this course  $\Box$ Course of Study I am enrolled in my next year of study  $\Box$ Other Academic **Achievements** Employment or Work Experience Current Salary/wages Centrelink payments Child Support Child Su Income Source





# **Zonta Club of Peel Education Award Supporting Statements**

Please address each question in no more than two A4 typed pages overall, in 12 font.

- 1. What was your motivation for enrolling in your course of study?
- 2. What do you hope to achieve on completion of your studies?
- 3. Do you intend to further your studies in this field?
- 4. How would you utilize this award to assist in your studies?
- 5. Please describe any extracurricular activities and/or community contributions you have made in the past few years.
- 6. Please provide any other information you believe is relevant to this application or any special circumstances regarding your financial situation.

Please nominate two character referees (excluding family) who can be contacted by phone

Name	
Relationship	
Contact Details	
Name	
Relationship	
Contact Details	



### Remember to attach your documentation

PDF copy of previous year's official grades or equivalent records PDF copy of an official verification of your current / next year enrolment





### **Data Protection**

The Zonta Club of Peel takes the security of your data seriously. We will never sell, trade or rent your personal information provided in this application to third parties. We are committed to honouring the privacy and wishes of all of our Education Award recipients at all times.

In order to do this, please read the following information carefully and indicate your agreement as appropriate.

- 1. Most data collected by the Zonta Club of Peel is used only to help Zonta better serve its scholarship recipients. It is our general policy to collect and store only personal information that our applicants knowingly provide. Zonta does not sell, trade, or rent your personal identifying information to third parties. Except as described in paragraph two, we take reasonable measures not to disclose personally identifying information about you.
- 2.To ensure the Zonta Club of Peel's ability to fund the Award, the club may from time to time provide information to co-sponsors about recipients of their donations. Zonta retains the right to use your name, photograph and biographical information to promote the Education Award in various promotional materials, including our website.

Thank you for your application. Due Date: 30 November 2023 Please send your application and supporting documents to:



