



## Scholarship Application Form – 2012

This form may be photocopied.

### Scholarships available in 2012 are:

*(Amount of rupees will be determined by the exchange rate at the time of transfer.)*

- Teacher Training – up to \$2,500 NZD (about Rs. 175,000)
- Vocational training – up to \$600 NZ (about Rs. 42,000) (this could be for a course in a field that will benefit the village, such as agriculture, nursing, small business, tourism.)
- University/tertiary Students – up to \$600NZD (about Rs. 42,000)
- College level students – up to \$600NZD each (about Rs. 42,000)

*If we don't receive enough good applications in one category, we may transfer the funding to another category.*

### Notes to applicants

- Application forms are available by **31<sup>st</sup> March 2012**. We will distribute them as widely as possible by email, and by post to the Shimshal Council, to schools and to individuals. If possible they will be downloadable on the website and Facebook. Anyone from Shimshal is entitled to have an application form and apply for a scholarship.
- Anyone who plans to study can apply for a scholarship; however the scholarship money will be transferred only after you send evidence of your enrolment in a course.
- Completed application forms must be received by the Shimshal Trust by **31<sup>st</sup> July 2012**.  
Post to: **Shimshal Trust, 1/45 Eden Street, Island Bay, Wellington 6023, New Zealand**  
or email your application to **contact@shimshaltrust.org.nz**
- The Trust will make its decision and inform all applicants by **31<sup>st</sup> October 2012**.
- You must include your most recent exam results with your application form. If the results are more than one year old, you must explain what you have been doing since your last exam results.
- Funds will be transferred to appropriate bank accounts as soon as possible after **all documents and evidence of enrolment have been received by the Trust**.
- You may apply for a scholarship if you have already received one, or been refused one, from the Shimshal Trust in a previous year. Priority will be given to first time applicants and to previous scholarship holders with high grades **who have sent a report of their year of study**.
- **If you receive a scholarship, please contact the Trust within two months (by December 31<sup>st</sup>) or the scholarship will be rescinded.**

### Applicant selection process

Preference will usually be given to applicants who are recommended by the Shimshal Council Education Committee and approved by the Shimshal Trust. We expect the Education Committee to recommend applicants who suffer financial hardship and who have given, or are likely to give, service to the community of Shimshal.

### Criteria for selection: preference will be given to applicants

- who can demonstrate good grades (not lower than C average)
- who can demonstrate hardship
- who are female (young men should of course also apply)
- who fill out the form correctly
- who send **all** the relevant documents.

**Applicant details (please fill in ALL sections)**

Name of applicant: ..... Male / Female (cross one out)

Date of birth: ..... Applicant's father .....

Address: .....

Email address (please set up your own email address): .....

Phone number: .....

**Which Scholarship are you applying for: (circle appropriate type)**

Teacher Training

Vocational training

University/tertiary student

College Student (class 11 or 12)

Name of college or training institute: ..... Degree/Diploma

Year of study in your course 1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> other ..... (circle, or write in the year)

Bank account details, preferably your own bank account (**must include swift code**, bank address, name of account holder, number of account):

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List all other study scholarships you have received, and the year awarded.

**To help us assess your application, you must send the following information with this form.**  
Tick the boxes to check you have sent them:

**Evidence of enrolment** for the 2012/2013 academic year in the course mentioned above. (We may award a scholarship without this evidence, but no money will be transferred until we receive the evidence of enrolment. A photocopy or a scan of your acceptance onto the course, or payment of fees is suitable.)

**For university and college applicants:** grades for the previous year. If these are not available please tell us what you have been doing since your last exam results.

**A written statement of about 200 words** explaining why you want this scholarship. You may include information about hardship, for example if your parents are unable to support you. Teacher applicants, please write about your expenses during your period of study, including the need to support a family. Please *handwrite*, sign and scan this letter.