

Margaret Madeline Bird Bursary Terms & Conditions

- The objective of the Bursary is to assist a resident to complete a degree at the University of Queensland.
- 2. Subject to the availability of funding, The Bursary shall be awarded to a female student completing Year 12, who is seeking to enrol in the first year of a program leading to an undergraduate degree of the University of Queensland, which is approved by the Council of The Women's College. Such student is to be approved by the Council on the recommendation of a Selection Committee appointed for that purpose. Preference shall be given to an Australian citizen normally resident in Queensland and whose financial situation is such that it expected she will be eligible to receive Youth Allowance.
- 3. The award of the Bursary shall be conditional upon the scholar's application for enrolment in an approved program, being accepted by the University, and on the scholar's being accepted as a member of The Women's College.
- 4. Initially the Bursary shall be awarded for one academic year, and may, subject to satisfactory academic progress, be extended for a further two years, to a maximum of 3 year's residence in College. During this period the student must remain eligible for Youth Allowance. The Bursary shall lapse upon the scholar ceasing to be a resident of The Women's College.
- 5. The endowment of the Bursary shall be an amount approved by the Council from time to time which shall be paid in four equal instalments by deductions from The Women's College quarterly fee accounts.
- 6. If the scholar fails to make satisfactory academic progress in any year of the award, or fails to abide by the rules and regulations of The Women's College, or defers her studies for any reason, the Council may terminate the Bursary, or at its discretion, suspend it for such time and upon such conditions as it may determine.
- 7. In the event that a Bursary lapses or is terminated, the scholar shall not be required to refund any part of the Bursary received by her or paid on her behalf during the tenure of the Bursary.
- 8. The Bursary shall not be awarded if the Council considers there is no candidate of sufficient merit to warrant the award of the Bursary.