





2025 Aboriginal VET Scholarships

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING

About the scholarships

Newmont Boddington (NB) is offering two pre-apprenticeship scholarship opportunities in qualifications linked to priority trade areas in NB's annual apprenticeship program intake. The scholarships will be awarded to Aboriginal peoples preferably from the local Wilman Traditional Owner; Gnaala Karla Booja (GKB) Native Title Claimant Group and/or Noongar Aboriginal people who are enrolled or applying for entry into the identified South Regional TAFE (SR TAFE) priority pathways.

Am I eligible?

To be eligible for this scholarship, you must be:

- an Australian Citizen or Permanent Resident
- of Aboriginal descent with connection with NB's key Aboriginal stakeholder groups including: WilmanTraditional Owner; Gnaala Karla Booja Native Title Claimant Group; and/or Noongar Aboriginal people
- enrolled in listed scholarship area of priority 1 or priority 2

Applicants will have an interest and commitment to a course of study and interest in a trade career in the mining industry.

Successful recipients may have the opportunity to undertake a work placement at Newmont Boddington operation during the pre-apprenticeship training and will be encouraged to apply for an apprenticeship program upon course completion.

Selection process

SR TAFE and the Jobs and Skill Centres (JSC) can assist applicants to complete the application form and forward applications to Newmont Boddington for selection for the annual scholarship.

What is the scholarship?

The scholarship covers the full SR TAFE course fees and up to \$500 towards study costs.

How to apply

Visit one of the South West JSCs to get support to complete the application. JSCs are located at Bunbury and Collie.

For more information

SR TAFE Aboriginal Programs 0437 547 268

Please call 13 64 64 and speak to:

Senior Client Engagment Officer Aboriginal Services Jobs & Skills Centre 0418 454 216

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Students enrolled in or undertaking one of the following qualifications may be eligible for the Newmont Boddington scholarship:

Priority 1 Scholarship areas

National ID	Course name
MEM20105	Certificate II in Engineering (Heavy Fabrication Pre-Apprenticeship)
MEM31219	Certificate III in Engineering - Industrial Electrician
MEM20105	Certificate II in Engineering (Mechanical Fitter and Machinist Pre-Apprenticeship)
AUR20520	Certificate II in Automotive Servicing Technology (Heavy Vehicle)
AUR20416	Certificate II in Automotive Electrical Technology (Automotive Electrical Pre-Apprenticeship)
UEE22020	Certificate II in Electrotechnology (Career Start) (Electrotechnology Pre-Apprenticeship)

Qualifications are subject to potential updates or replacements during the term of this agreement. Should a qualification be determined as not equivalent to those listed above, a variation to this agreement will be necessary to remove or add the replacement qualification.

Priority 2 Scholarship areas

National ID	Course name
AUR20520	Certificate II in Automotive Servicing Technology (Light Vehicle Servicing Pre-apprenticeship)
RII21222	Certificate II in Autonomous Workplace Operations
52851WA	Certificate IV in Autonomous Control and Remote Operations
52887WA	Certificate II in Plumbing (Plumbing Pre-apprenticeship)
CHC32015	Certificate III in Community Services
52860WA	Certificate I in Industrial Skills (Entry Level Training)
BSB30120	Certificate III in Business (Administration)
AHC21020	Certificate II in Conservation and Ecosystem Management
AHC20416	Certificate II in Horticulture
AHC30921	Certificate III in Landscape Construction
UEE20120	Certificate II in Split Air Conditioning and Heat Pump Systems
PMA20116	Certificate II in Process Plant Operations
CHC30121	Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care
CHC30221	Certificate III in School Based Education Support
HLT33115	Certificate III in Health Services Assistance (Assisting in Nursing Work in Acute Care)
SB41419	Certificate IV in Work Health and Safety
HLT33115	Certificate III in Health Services Assistance
CHC33021	Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing)

You can submit a scholarship application for consideration by the Newmont grantees for a course not currently on the approved list.



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