



Soroptimist International of New Zealand

BETTY LOUGHHEAD SOROPTIMIST SCHOLARSHIP 2025

Soroptimist International exists to inspire action and create opportunities to transform the lives of women and girls.

The **Betty Loughhead Soroptimist Scholarship** provides financial assistance to women who are studying for a qualification to:

- enter or re-enter the workforce; or
- change occupation

Who can apply? Women who are:

- New Zealand citizens living in New Zealand - not NZ residents
- At least **25 years old** on 1 September 2024
- Enrolled in an NZQA approved education programme, undertaken in NZ
- Have a proven record of academic achievement - you must be in at least your second year of academic study - if you have completed tertiary studies previously then the first year of a new degree is not your first year of study.
- Able to use the scholarship in the **2025 academic year** and/or **summer school December 2024-Feb 2025**
- Willing to participate in Soroptimist promotional activities (if successful)
- The Trust does not offer scholarships to students enrolled in Doctoral degree programmes e.g. PhD (Doctor of Philosophy), LL.D (Doctor of Laws), EdD (Doctor of Education)

Download an application form from 1st July at: www.blsst.co.nz

Application period is 1 July 2024 to 31 August 2024

“Educate a man, you educate one person; educate a woman, you educate a generation”

***Give a woman the opportunity to gain skills, information and self-confidence through education,
and she will become a better mother, worker and citizen***