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## CONTINUING EDUCATION SUPPORT SCHOLARSHIPS 2022 ROUND

Mumbulla Foundation, in cooperation with Community Bank of Pambula & District (our local Bendigo Bank) and supported by the Foundation for Regional & Regional Renewal (FRRR) is pleased to announce a program of scholarships to support continuing education for residents of the Bega Valley, with particular focus on Health, Social, Business, Agricultural, Arts and Environmental studies.

The overall intention of our program is to provide opportunities for continuing educational and professional development for residents of the Bega Valley Shire.

These scholarships, of up to \$1000 each, are open to all ages and may be available to successful applicants who meet the eligibility criteria as listed below.

- The applicant must be a resident of the Bega Valley (evidenced by driver's licence, rates notice, utilities bill, etc)
- The applicant is currently enrolled (full time or part time) in a recognised course with a recognised training organisation such as a University, TAFE, VET organisation or professional organisation, certified by an enrolment letter or advice.
- The applicant must be enrolled for the duration of the course.
- The applicant can identify the key purpose(s) or use of the grant funds, such as travel, books, course fees, etc.
- The applicant can describe key goals in undertaking this course of study.
- The applicant is willing to provide us with confidential updates on their progress; these would not be published without explicit approval from the grant recipient.
- Applicants are required to advise if they are in receipt of other grants/scholarships; this does not exclude applications but will be taken into consideration when awarding grants.

Preference will be given to applicants experiencing financial hardship, especially as an outcome of the Black Summer fires.

Funds will be deposited only into the personal account of successful applicants.

Applications open on March 31st. The application form can be found at [www.mumbulla.org.au/Grants](http://www.mumbulla.org.au/Grants).

Applications close Friday April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2022, at 5:00pm. Applicants will be notified by May 6<sup>th</sup> 2022.

Applications and enquiries should be emailed to [mumbullafoundationgrants@gmail.com](mailto:mumbullafoundationgrants@gmail.com)

We will acknowledge receipt of your application once it is received.