

# WHITEHORSE EDUCATION ASSISTANCE GRANT

## SUPPORTING STUDENTS IN FINANCIAL NEED.

The Whitehorse Education Assistance Grant program supports young people and families experiencing financial hardship to remain in education and training.

Applications are to be completed by education providers or community agencies on the young person or family's behalf.

### ELIGIBILITY

Young people (aged 10-25) in primary or secondary school, further education, training or courses who live or study in Whitehorse.

- Young people/ their families must be experiencing financial hardship - evidenced by low-income health card of parents or young person.
- Grants of up to \$400 per student (Maximum \$1600: 4 students per school) per calendar year.
- No other financial assistance / schemes are available to cover expenses.

For further information or to apply please go to: [www.whitehorse.vic.gov.au/about-council/what-we-do/awards-grants-and-funding/grants-community](http://www.whitehorse.vic.gov.au/about-council/what-we-do/awards-grants-and-funding/grants-community) or contact the School Focused Youth Services Co-ordinator at: [SFYS@whitehorse.vic.gov.au](mailto:SFYS@whitehorse.vic.gov.au)

### THE GRANTS CAN COVER SUCH THINGS AS

- Compulsory textbooks, materials, resources, equipment and uniforms
- School trips and camps
- Training courses
- Short courses
- IT equipment



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