ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarship: Frequently Asked Questions

General Questions

Is there a separate application for the ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarship?
There is no separate scholarship application. All eligible international students applying for admission in Semester 1 2022 will be automatically considered.

Will the ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarship be available for future intakes (other than Semester 1 2022)?
The ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarship is currently only available for students commencing in Semester 1 2022.

What can this scholarship be used for?
The ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarship is a tuition fee waiver scholarship. The scholarship value will be applied to your tuition fees in Semester 1 2022 and every semester thereafter for the duration of your degree up to a maximum of 3 years for undergraduate recipients and up to 2 years for postgraduate recipients.

When and how can recipients expect to receive an offer for the ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarship?
Scholarship offers will be released in the first week of each month until all scholarships have been awarded. Scholarship offers will be sent via email to recipients (and their agents if applicable).

How long do recipients have to accept their scholarship offer?
The deadline for acceptance is stated in the scholarship offer letter.

How do I accept my scholarship offer?
You will need to accept both your academic offer and your scholarship offer separately. Follow the instructions in your scholarship offer letter: sign and return your scholarship offer letter to coursework.scholarships@anu.edu.au before the deadline.

How do I accept my admissions offer?
You must accept your admissions offer separately. Follow the instructions in your admissions offer letter, sign and return the admissions team to international.admissions@anu.edu.au before the deadline.
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Concurrent Holding of Awards

Are students able to hold two scholarships at the same time?
Yes, the ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarship can be held jointly with another ANU scholarship, depending on the type and conditions of the other scholarship.

The ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarship is an ‘Academic’ scholarship, and students may only hold one Academic scholarship at a time. However, you may hold an Academic scholarship plus an Access (equity) scholarship.

Example: Recipients can hold an ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarship and an Access scholarship offered by another ANU department.

Can students hold two ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarships at the same time?
Unfortunately, students cannot hold two ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarships at the same time.

Will students holding an external government sponsorship be eligible for the ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarship?
Yes. Students funded by an external government will be eligible for these scholarships.

COVID-19

Can students defer their scholarship offer to Semester 2 2022 if they are unable to travel due to COVID-19 travel restrictions?
The ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarship is currently only available for students commencing in Semester 1 2022, and as such the scholarship offer cannot be deferred. Recipients must commence in Semester 1 2022 to receive the scholarship benefit.

Students can enrol remotely if the University permits.

Scholarship Payment Information

Will the scholarship amount be deducted from the outstanding tuition fees, or will it be paid into the student’s bank account?
The tuition fee reduction will be deducted from the recipient’s tuition fees from Semester 1 2022.
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As a scholarship recipient do I need to pay a deposit to start my studies at ANU?
Yes, students need to pay the full amount for the deposit (as per the offer letter) and any remaining Semester 1 2022 tuition fees.

Can the scholarship be used to pay my deposit?
The ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarship is a tuition fee waiver scholarship. It cannot be used to cover the cost of your deposit.

Change of Preference, Deferrals and Transfers

Can international students defer their offers?
No, International students cannot defer their academic offer or their scholarship offer.

If a recipient declines an ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarship offer, or chooses another scholarship, would other students be re-considered?
Scholarship offers will be released in the first week of each month until all scholarships have been accepted. If a scholarship offer is declined, it may be offered to another eligible recipient in the next offer round.

How is the scholarship offer and eligibility impacted if students change their preference in the following round?
If a recipient of the ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarship would like to change their preference for an academic program in a following round, it is recommended that they accept their scholarship offer first.

Is the ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarship available to students progressing through ANU College programs into relevant undergraduate programs next year, or to students transferring from other foundation or mainstream programs offered by other universities?
Current ANU College students who are completing ANU Foundation or a Diploma will be considered for the scholarships. Students completing foundation programs at other universities, or transferring from other universities, will also be considered. Please note the ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarships are highly competitive and selection will be made based on academic merit.

If I don’t receive a scholarship offer, will I be considered in a later round?
If you receive an academic offer but do not receive a scholarship offer, you may choose to change your preference or intake, but you will forfeit the academic offer received in that round. If you choose to change your preference, you will be considered in the next monthly round for
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both academic offers and scholarship offers. If you choose a different intake (i.e. Semester 2 2022), you will not be considered for the ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarship as it is only open for applicants commencing in Semester 1 2022.

Partner University Students

Will students from a partner university, applying for programs such as the 2+2 program, be eligible for the ANU Chancellor’s International Scholarship?
Yes, students from partner universities will essentially be enrolling to the ANU for the first time, and hence will be considered for the scholarship and notified as per the general applicants.