



Leeuwin Scholarship Information Pack

Application Process

The Shire of Dandaragan offers one fully funded scholarship each financial year. Applications will close on the 31 May 2020.

The purpose of the Leeuwin Ocean Adventure Scholarship is to provide young people of the Shire of Dandaragan the opportunity to experience personal and leadership development through the hands-on experience of a 7 day sailing voyage.

The Leeuwin Voyages are also endorsed by the Curriculum Council of WA. Young people in Years 10, 11 and 12 can earn 5 WACE points towards their graduation.

Under the Leeuwin Scholarship, the Shire of Dandaragan will fund the entire cost of the voyage (up to \$2,350) for young people who meet the following criteria.

Eligibility

- Must be aged 15 – 18 years old.
- Must be a resident of the Shire of Dandaragan (or have parents residing in the Shire)
- Must have written support from a teacher, mentor, employer or community group member. Support letter should include information on the young person and how this will benefit their academic performance, personal development and/or other factors.
- Must submit a **complete** application form.
- Must make a commitment to attend if selected.
- May be required to present to Council following their Leeuwin Adventure and report on what they have gained from their experience.

What happens next?

Applications received undergo a selection process. All young people are notified, whether accepted or not. The Shire of Dandaragan may publish an article on the successful applicant.

If unsuccessful, the Shire of Dandaragan will assist applicants where possible to obtain funding through other available sources.



Comments from Previous Participants

Leeuwin Scholarship Successful Applicant Alliyah Narrier

Although I got a little sea sick, I had the best experience! The Leeuwin voyage was so fun and challenging. The environment was great, the people were great and so was the food!! Such a good way to get to know new people and do something that is a little out of your comfort zone.

Leeuwin Scholarship Successful Applicant Julie-Anne Carlson

I went on the 7 day Leeuwin adventure and it was one of the most difficult weeks of my life, but with hard work and persistence, the rewards at the end of the week were definitely worth it! It's a once in a lifetime experience for sure.





Leeuwin Scholarship Application

FULL NAME: _____

School/Educational Institute/Workplace (if applicable):

DATE OF BIRTH: _____

HOME ADDRESS: street number: _____

Street name: _____

Suburb/town: _____

Post code: _____

CONTACT NUMBER (ph): _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

PARENT GUARDIAN NAME: _____

PARENT GUARDIAN CONTACT NUMBER: _____

How did you hear about the Shire of Dandaragan Leeuwin Scholarship?

Please let us know why you want to take part in a Leeuwin Youth Adventure Voyage? (eg: skills you want to develop/ goals you want to work on/ experience you want to share with your community)

Is this something you could do without financial support? (circle)

Yes No



Is there anymore that the applicant, parent/guardian, teacher or leader would like to add in support of this application?

The successful applicant must complete their Leeuwin Voyage between 1 July 2020 and 30 June 2021.

I declare that all information provided in this form is true and correct:

Signed; Applicant: _____

Date: _____

Parent/Guardian signature: _____

Date: _____

Have you attached a letter of support from a teacher, mentor or community group member to support your application? (circle)

Yes

No

If successful, do you agree to present to Council following your Leeuwin Adventure? This will provide useful feedback on the Leeuwin program. (circle)

Yes

No