1. **INTRODUCTION**

There shall be 10 scholarships available for new international students’ from India known as the ANU-Study Canberra India Scholarship.

The Scholarships are highly competitive and shall be offered to successful applicants who have achieved at an excellent level in their final years of schooling or university studies.

The Scholarships are jointly funded by Study Canberra and the Australian National University.

2. **BENEFITS**

The Scholarship will be valued at $10,000. $2,500.00 will be paid to the student upon them enrolling in the first semester of their chosen undergraduate or postgraduate coursework program. The remaining $7,500 will be paid after the census date of the first semester that the student is enrolled. The Scholarship is paid in the first semester of the scholars degree program only.

The recipient is responsible for making payment of all his/her tuition fees by the prescribed date as set out by the University each session, as well as the costs of books, study materials, accommodation, living expense, and fares to and from Australia, and all other costs associated with study.

3. **ELIGIBILITY**

The Scholarship shall be available for an applicant who:

(a) is defined as an overseas student under the terms of the *Education Services for Overseas Students Act 2000*;  
(b) is a citizen of India and has studied in India immediately prior to coming to Canberra to commence the program that they have applied for at the Australian National University;  
(c) has achieved at an excellent level in their final years of schooling, demonstrated by excellent results in their secondary studies qualification or undergraduate degree;  
(d) has applied, and received an unconditional offer for admission to the Australian National University by the date advertised on the University website; and  
(e) will enrol in the first year of a single or double undergraduate coursework degree program or postgraduate coursework degree program in the semester stipulated in the scholarship letter of offer.

Dependents or a spouse of staff of diplomatic or consular missions enrolling in a postgraduate degree are eligible. Undergraduate students will not be considered.

4. **APPLICATION**

Eligible applicants will need to apply for the scholarship separately from their application for admission. The scholarship application will be available on the ANU Scholarships website.
5. **SELECTION**

Applications will be reviewed by a Selection Committee chaired by the Director, Student Recruitment & Admissions (or nominee) and which may comprise the Regional Manager or Manager, International Recruitment, the Manager, International Admissions and a representative of Study Canberra.

The Scholarship shall be awarded by the Registrar, Student Administration on the recommendation of the Selection Committee based primarily on academic merit and on the applicant’s scholarship application.

If, in the opinion of the Selection Committee there is no applicant who sufficiently meets the eligibility criteria, the Scholarship, of full number of available scholarships shall not be awarded.

6. **CONCURRENT HOLDING OF SCHOLARSHIPS**

A scholar may not hold other scholarships/awards of equal or greater value, concurrently with the ANU-Study Canberra India Scholarship.

7. **DEFERMENT**

A successful applicant to this scholarship must commence their studies in the semester stated in the scholarship letter of offer. If a student cannot commence in the semester stated in the offer letter, the scholarship offer will be withdrawn and another applicant may be considered.

8. **ONGOING ELIGIBILITY**

A recipient of the ANU-Study Canberra Scholarship is required to enrol and remain enrolled in a full-time load of 24 units in their first semester of study.

9. **CESSATION OF AWARD**

The award ceases:

(a) at the conclusion of the period outlined in section 2; or
(b) on the date on which the student withdraws or ceases to attend the University other than for approved absences; or
(c) if an awardee fails to enrol as required in section 8;
(d) if an awardee changes to part-time enrolment without permission,
(e) if an awardee breaches academic or behavioural standards set by the University under the Academic Misconduct & Discipline Rules;

whichever is the earliest.

10. **REPAYMENT OF FUNDS**

Subject to the information available at the time, the Director of Student Recruitment and Admissions may request that the scholarship instalment for the semester in which the breach of conditions or withdrawal occurs be refunded in part or in full.

11. **PROVIDING FALSE OR MISLEADING INFORMATION**

The awarding of a scholarship is based on the information provided to the University. An award may be withdrawn at any stage if incorrect, false or misleading information is provided or relevant information is withheld. This includes circumstances where the false information is unrelated to the assessment in awarding the scholarship.
12. **VARIATION TO CONDITIONS OF AWARD**

In exceptional circumstances and on a case-by-case basis section 6 and/or 7 of these conditions of award may be varied by the Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Academic) on the recommendation of the Registrar.

13. **TAXATION**

Scholars are responsible for seeking taxation advice regarding their own individual circumstances. Scholarships may be regarded as taxable income if a recipient is enrolled on a part-time basis.

14. **ACCOMMODATION**

It is the recipient’s responsibility to obtain residential accommodation. Information on student accommodation and application forms are available from the University Accommodation Services. Information may be found on the Web at: [http://www.anu.edu.au/students/services/accommodation](http://www.anu.edu.au/students/services/accommodation)

15. **PUBLICITY**

It is anticipated that ANU-Study Canberra India Scholarship holders may be requested to participate in publicity of the scholarship from time to time. Scholars may be contacted for an interview and photograph. The University and Study Canberra may also publicise the scholarships by publishing the names of the scholars. Arrangements for such publicity will be made through the Communications and External Liaison Office of the University or the Division of Student Recruitment & Admissions.

16. **DISCLAIMER**

The recipient of this award is subject to The Australian National University Act 1991 as amended, and to the Statutes, Rules, Regulations and Resolutions of the University.

The award of a scholarship/grant does not carry any commitment by the University for future employment.

These conditions of award should be read in conjunction with the University’s Coursework Scholarships Policy & Procedures available from the ANU website.

17. **RELATED POLICIES, PROCEDURES & RULES**


