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| **Gardiner Dairy Foundation Tertiary Scholarship 2021**  **Application form** |

**Applicant's details**

Please answer all questions in this column

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| **Your name** |  |
| **Preferred name** |  |
| **Postal address** |  |
| **Daytime phone number** |  |
| **Email address** |  |
| **Date of birth:** |  |

**Eligibility**

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| **Are you an Australian citizen?** |  |
| **Have you applied/will you apply to commence first year full-time tertiary study in 2021?** |  |
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**Education and Employment Background**

Education details

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| **Are you currently a student?**  **If yes, what course/s are you currently studying? When (month/year) do you expect to finish?** |  |
| **Name of current study institution and location.** |  |
| **Are you studying online or attending or a combination of both?** |  |
| **What is the highest qualification you currently hold?** |  |

Employment history

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| **Are you currently working?** |  |
| **Name your occupation and place of work** |  |
| **Is your employment full-time, part-time or casual?** |  |

**Tertiary Study Details**

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| **Which course do you intend to commence in 2021?** |  |
| **What is the duration of the course (years)?** |  |
| **Which educational institution will you attend?**  **How far is it from your home?** |  |
| **Why have you chosen this course?**  (150 word limit) |  |
| **Briefly outline your career aspirations** (150 word limit) |  |
| **What are your short term goals (1-3 years after your course)?**  (150 word limit) |  |
| **What are your longer term goals (5-10 years after your course)?**  (150 word limit) |  |

**Personal Development and Community Contribution**

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| **Briefly describe your local community**  Location, approximate population, community and business activity (150 word limit) |  |
| **What are the challenges and opportunities you see in your community?**  (150 word limit) |  |
| **Outline your contribution to your community**  Including any voluntary work, sports clubs, or other community groups you are involved with (200 word limit) |  |
| **Describe activities where you have demonstrated any of the following:**  leadership, initiative, teamwork, collaboration, kindness, inclusiveness, openness, tolerance, creative thinking  **What were the outcomes?**  (300 word limit |  |
| **List significant awards, honours or special achievements**  (100 word limit) |  |
| **How will your chosen career benefit the dairy industry and/or dairy communities?**  (200 word limit) |  |

**Scholarship Details**

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| **Where will you live during your tertiary studies?**  eg College, share house, family or friends |  |
| **How will a scholarship make a difference for you?**  (150 word limit) |  |

**Supporting Information**

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| **Is there anything else you would like to tell us about your application?**  (150 word limit) |  |

**Supporting Documents**

All file attachments should be in PDF or Microsoft Word format only.

Please attach:

* Your most recent academic results transcript or school report.
* Your resume or CV
* A letter of support from a referee such as a teacher or community member (but not a member of your own family).

**Referee's details**

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| **Referee's name** |  |
| **Relationship to you** |  |
| **Organisation (if applicable)** |  |
| **Email address** |  |
| **Phone number** |  |

**Declaration**

**Applicant's declaration**

**By answering "Yes" below, the applicant declares that:**

* All information provided in this application form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge;
* I authorise Gardiner Dairy Foundation to contact my nominated Referee;
* If requested, I will make myself available to attend an interview in Melbourne in late January 2021;
* I have read the [Terms and Conditions of Scholarship](https://www.gardinerfoundation.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/2020-Tertiary-Scholarship-Guidelines.pdf) and, should I be successful in winning a Scholarship, I agree to abide by them; and
* I acknowledge that Gardiner Dairy Foundation reserves the right to vary or reverse any decision regarding a scholarship awarded based on incorrect or incomplete information provided by me in this application.

**I agree to the above (sign):** Choose an item.

**Parent/guardian's consent (for applicants under 18 years of age)**

**By answering "Yes" below, the parent/guardian declares that:**

* I hereby provide permission for my child to make this application;
* I understand that his/her details, including some private information collected in this form, will be used by Gardiner Dairy Foundation to process the application;
* I authorise Gardiner Dairy Foundation to contact the nominated referee to discuss my child's application;
* I have read the [Terms and Conditions of Scholarship](https://www.gardinerfoundation.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/2020-Tertiary-Scholarship-Guidelines.pdf) and, should my child be successful in winning a scholarship, I agree to abide by them;
* I agree to be contacted directly by Gardiner Dairy Foundation on the phone number provided below, if needed

**I agree to the above declaration (parent/guardian sign):** Choose an item.

**Parent/guardian's name:**

**Daytime phone number:**