



# Soroptimist International of New Zealand

## BETTY LOUGHHEAD SOROPTIMIST SCHOLARSHIP 2024

**Soroptimist International** exists to inspire action and create opportunities to transform the lives of women and girls.

The **Betty Loughhead Soroptimist Scholarship** provides financial assistance to women who are studying for a qualification to:

- enter or re-enter the workforce; or
- change occupation

**Who can apply?** Women who are:

- New Zealand citizens
- At least **25 years old** on 1 September 2023
- Enrolled in an NZQA approved education programme, undertaken in NZ
- Have a proven record of academic achievement - you must be in at least your second year of academic study - if you have completed tertiary studies previously then the first year of a new degree is not your first year of study.
- Able to use the scholarship in the **2024 academic year** and/or **summer school December 2023-Feb 2024**
- Willing to participate in Soroptimist promotional activities (if successful)
- The Betty Loughhead Soroptimist Scholarship is not available for Phd students

Download an application form at: [www.blsst.co.nz](http://www.blsst.co.nz)

Application period is 1 July 2023 to 31 August 2023

*"Educate a man, you educate one person; educate a woman, you educate a generation"*

*Give a woman the opportunity to gain skills, information and self-confidence through education,  
and she will become a better mother, worker and citizen*