



MAPLES
GROUP

Non-Legal Scholarship Overview

Cayman Islands

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Maples Group scholarships are intended to provide opportunities for appropriately qualified Caymanians who may have limited financial resources to pursue under-graduate or post-graduate degree courses at recognised colleges or universities.

Tenure and Value of Scholarship

A scholarship will be for an amount of up to US\$15,000 per academic year payable towards tuition, books and accommodation throughout the duration of the degree course. In appropriate cases, scholarships may be awarded for longer than periods. Scholarships will be payable by instalments at the commencement of each academic year. These scholarships are not intended to cover the entire cost of the course and candidates will be expected to make some contribution from their own financial resources.

Eligibility

Candidates:

- must have Caymanian status;
- should normally be less than 25 years old for under-graduate studies;
- should normally be less than 30 years old for post-graduate studies; and
- must have been offered a place (either conditionally or unconditionally) to read for a degree at a recognised college or university commencing at the start of the relevant academic year.

General Conditions

A successful candidate who has an offer of a university place subject to obtaining certain high school passes will be awarded the scholarship subject to achieving those passes and being able to take up his/her university place at the commencement of the relevant academic year.

The candidate will be expected to pursue his/her degree course diligently and with an appropriate degree of success (typically a successful candidate will achieve at least upper second class honours or a 3.25 GPA). The candidate will be expected to keep the Maples Group informed of their progress on a term by term

basis. It is a condition of every scholarship that the candidate will provide the Maples Group with copies of examination results and any assessments or reports that may be requested of them.

The Maples Group reserves the right to terminate the scholarship of a student in exceptional circumstances or upon failure to achieve the minimum of second class passes (or equivalent) in all intermediate examinations throughout the course. A scholarship will be terminated if he/she ceases to pursue the course for any reason.

Where appropriate, payments will be made directly to the relevant academic institution. Candidates must provide proof of enrolment each year along with the payment instruction details where relevant.

Applying for a Scholarship

A completed application form (attached), accompanied by the following documentation:

- Copies of certificates evidencing the candidate's high school passes, degrees, diplomas, etc.
- Written evidence of the offered university place or acceptance (whether conditional or unconditional)
- The university's prospectus and documents evidencing the cost of the course
- A copy of the candidate's birth certificate
- A copy of the candidate's passport
- A recent passport sized photograph

Documentation must be submitted to:

- **Email:** scholarships@maples.com

The candidate may be asked to attend for an interview with one or more partners of the Maples Group. The Maples Group will seek references directly from the referees named in the application form, one of whom must be the candidate's school teacher or university tutor.