

Prime Minister's Scholarship Programme (PMSP) for Asia and Latin America

Terms and Conditions – Group

1. Prime Minister's Scholarships are awarded to the individual participants in a group application, not to the institution or organisation that submitted the application.
2. Group scholarships are for a minimum of 3 participants.
3. Successful awardees may hold other scholarships, awards or grants in addition to their Prime Minister's Scholarship but cannot hold more than one Prime Minister's Scholarship award at one time.
4. Institutional staff, caregivers, chaperons or guardians accompanying a group are not eligible to apply for or be included in the funding request for a group application.
5. The group application must clearly demonstrate how the project meets or contributes to all of the goals of the relevant Prime Minister's Scholarship.
6. Prime Minister's Scholarship for Asia group programmes must be at least 6 weeks in duration, Prime Minister's Scholarship for Latin America group programmes must be at least 4 weeks in duration.
7. Institutions may submit more than one group application per round, to either or both Prime Minister's Scholarships.
8. Institutions must develop their own robust and transparent processes for selecting participants to take part in a PMS group application, and for selecting candidates according to the specified criteria. These processes must be outlined in the application.
9. All selected recipients must be registered with MFAT: <https://www.safetravel.govt.nz>
10. Institutions may substitute eligible individuals from their reserve list where approved applicants withdraw. Education New Zealand must be notified of any substitutions.
11. Institutions must notify Education New Zealand as soon as possible of any changes to travel dates.
12. Institutions must notify Education New Zealand as soon as possible of any changes to recipient numbers. If fewer recipients travel, institutions may be required to refund the difference.
13. If an institution decides to change plans before or during the trip, any additional costs must be covered by the institution, this includes deciding to return home early. Any such changes must be approved by Education New Zealand in advance.
14. Programmes must be undertaken within 12 months of the scholarship award.