



Application Form

Open Wānanga

Te Puawaitanga toi Māori Arts Award 2011

Applications are invited for the all new **2011 Open Wānanga Te Puawaitanga toi Māori Arts Award**. There is one award of \$2500 available for a person of Maori descent who is studying for a career in the arts at a degree level within the Waikato region. All applications are considered on merit within the full criteria outlined on page 2.

Applications open on 8th August 2011 and close on Friday 16 September 2011. Completed forms with all supporting documentation must be at Arts Waikato office before **5.00pm Friday 16 September 2011**.

No late applications accepted

Please deliver completed forms to:



Open Wānanga Māori Arts Award applications
Arts Waikato



332 Peachgrove Road
Fairfield, Hamilton 3214



awinfo@artswaikato.org.nz

Applications close:
5 pm, Friday 16 September 2011

If you require more information or help to complete this application, please contact Arts Waikato, phone: 07 853 6472, freephone: 0508 278 792 or email: awinfo@artswaikato.org.nz



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AWARD CRITERIA

This award is for a person of Māori descent who is studying for a career in the arts at a degree level within the Waikato region. **Applicants do not have to be from this region, but Study does have to be undertaken within this region.** This can be at any of the 3 tertiary institutions with the Waikato region. Study should be in the arts and focussed on developing a career in the arts. Some examples include:

- Performing arts (including theatre & dance)
- Music (performance and/or composition)
- Visual Arts (including photography & Sculpture)
- Māori Arts
- Film/screen & Literary arts

The award is for:

- Tertiary study (full or part time) at the degree level or above
- Normally for one year of study
- A maximum of \$2500 (*one award only*)
- Fees and/or course material costs

The Award can NOT be used for:

- Travel or accommodation costs
- Purchase of capital items

Criteria is based on:

- Applicant's existing contribution to the arts community
- Potential contribution by the applicant to the Waikato region
- Applicant's achievement in their field of art

Applicants Please note:

- Applications need to be sent in single sided and put together with a bull dog clip. No staples and no binding / folders please.
- Include your CV and a portfolio with a minimum of 5 images or work examples in your application
- Send **copies only** of your important personal documents as these will not be returned.
- We recommend you keep a copy of this application for your reference.
- This award will be presented at the Waikato Community Arts Awards, at Southwell School on 5 October.
- Accountability for use of award funds is required – please read section B. Agreement.
- Please include a bank deposit slip. If you are successful in receiving the award the funds will be deposited directly into your account when evidence of your course enrolment or commencement has been received. All fund to be picked up by 31st March 2012.

A. APPLICATION FORM

Person applying for scholarship to complete:

- Please write neatly using a black or blue pen
- Ensure **A. APPLICATION**, , and **B. AGREEMENT** forms are all completed
- Additional information and pages may be included but must be single sided and fastened with a bull dog clip not stapled, **please keep application questions in order.**

LAST NAME..... FIRST NAMES.....

DATE OF BIRTH.....IWI..... MALE / FEMALE

Please circle

RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS.....

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POSTAL ADDRESS: (if different from above.....

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TELEPHONE..... CELL PHONE.....

EMAIL ADDRESS:

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1. STUDY APPLIED FOR:

Name of degree or post graduate course:

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Name of educational institution/provider:

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Address of institution/provider:

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Academic contact: (*head of school or department, or academic supervisor*)

..... Contact phone:.....

Contact email

2a. COURSE DESCRIPTION (please also attach relevant course information including official notification of fees:)

2b. Start and completion dates for study

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3. Course cost for year of study: \$ _____

4. What difference will this award make to you being able to complete your studies?

5. **What are your career aspirations for the future?**

6. **How will this study help advance your career?**

7. **What have you achieved previously to demonstrate you can succeed in this course of study & chosen career?**

8. Please outline previous education history

9. What involvement have you had in the arts in the Waikato region and at the community level?

10. What contribution do you intend to make to the community in the future?

11a. Are you currently receiving any other scholarships?

- No
- Yes – Please name, including amount received

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11b. Have you applied for any other scholarships or awards for this study?

- No
- Yes – Please name, including amount applied for and date outcome known

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12. How did you find out about the Open Wānanga Te Puawaitanga toi Māori Arts Award?
(please tick)

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| Arts Waikato Website | <input type="checkbox"/> | Arts Waikato newsletter | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Word of mouth | <input type="checkbox"/> | Media | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Tertiary Institution: | <input type="checkbox"/> | <i>Please name</i> | |
| Other | <input type="checkbox"/> | <i>Please name</i> | |

13. REFEREES / LETTERS OF SUPPORT:

Please attach at least two written letters of support from referees who know your work and potential to support your application AND provide the details of 2 of the referees below. Referees cannot be immediate whanau and should know you on a professional & academic level, they can be representatives of organisations or individuals.

1. Name: Address:.....

Phone: email:

2. Name: Address:.....

Phone: email:



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B. AGREEMENT

This agreement must be signed for your application to be considered.

1. I agree to Arts Waikato or Open Wānanga contacting my referees for further information.
2. I agree to inform Arts Waikato immediately if I change my study plans or withdraw from the course of study as per my application.
3. I agree to contact Arts Waikato if I change my address
4. If I am successful, I agree to complete an accountability form with evidence verifying my completion of, or enrolment in my stated course of study by 31th March 2012.
5. I agree to submit a written progress report to Arts Waikato within 12 months of uplifting my
6. I agree to return my scholarship funds if I have been unable to attend, or complete the prescribed course of study.
7. I agree to acknowledge Arts Waikato in any publicity or promotion resulting from this scholarship and forward copies of any such publicity to Arts Waikato.
8. I agree that my personal information may be used for publicity and promotion of the scholarship programme by Arts Waikato or Open Wānanga, including passing on contact details to the media.
9. I agree to attend where possible, an event or community programme as requested by Arts Waikato or Open Wānanga to support the arts in the Waikato region.
10. I declare that the information supplied is correct and accurate at the date of signing
11. I declare I am a New Zealand citizen of Māori descent

Signature of applicant.....

Date.....

Arts Waikato Privacy Declaration

- All information requested is solely for the purposes of assessing award applications and will be made available only to staff of Arts Waikato, and Open Wānanga.
- Information that may be obtained from referees is confidential and will not be passed on to applicants unless consent is given by the referee.
- Successful Award recipients' application forms will be stored securely by Arts Waikato for a minimum period of two years.
- Unsuccessful application forms will be destroyed within six months of notification of outcome.



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C. Checklist

Please complete the checklist below to ensure that you have completed all parts of this form and included all supporting material for this application. Copies only of valuable documents please as they will not be returned.

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| Entire application single sided and fastened with clip (no staples, binding or folders) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Application forms completed | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Pepeha included | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Proof of NZ citizenship or residency (e.g. photocopy of Passport, birth certificate) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Additional information (if any) on course of study | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Official copy of course fees or costs as appropriate | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Deposit slip included | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| At least two written letters of support | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Agreement form read, signed and dated | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Curriculum Vitae & portfolio included | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Checklist completed and included with application | <input type="checkbox"/> |