



ROCKET LAB SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

The Rocket Lab Scholarship offers \$20,000 across four years of study for one outstanding student pursuing a degree or course in STEM education. The scholarship also pairs recipients with a Rocket Lab mentor towards the end of their degree to enable them to learn from the country's leading space and engineering experts at Rocket Lab.

PERSONAL DETAILS:	
Title (*)	
First Name (*)	
Middle Name	
Last Name (*)	
Preferred Name	
Iwi Affiliation (if applicable)	
CONTACT INFORMATI	ION:
Mobile phone number (*)	
Email (*)	
Postal address (*)	
Suburb (*)	
City (*)	
Postal code (*)	
Country (*)	
Date of birth (*)	
Country of birth (*)	
High school attended (*)	
High school graduation date (*)	

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS: Have you applied, or do you intend to apply, for any other scholarships or awards to assist you? If yes, please list the scholarships or awards. (*) Have you been awarded any scholarships? If yes, please list the scholarships/awards, including the funding body and value. (*) REFEREES: Please list two referees who can attest to your secondary school academic and extra-curricular achievements, Wairoa District connection, and/or community involvement. By listing their details you give Rocket Lab permission to contact them in relation to your application. Referee 1 Title (*) First Name (*) Last Name (*) Position (*) Email Address (*) Contact Phone Number (*) Relationship to you (*) Referee 2 Title (*) First Name (*) Last Name (*) Position (*) Email Address (*) Contact Phone Number (*) Relationship to you (*) AT WHICH UNIVERSITY DO YOU INTEND TO STUDY? (*):

Auckland

Other (please specify)

Waikato

Massey

Victoria

Canterbury

Lincoln

Otago

WHICH DEGREE ARE YOU INTENDING TO STUDY? (*):		
NHY DO YOU WANT TO STUDY SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY OR ENGINEERING? (250 NORD LIMIT) (*)		
HOW WILL THIS SCHOLARSHIP MAKE A DIFFERENCE FOR YOU? (250 WORD LIMIT)		

WHAT ARE YOUR INTERESTS BOTH WITHIN AND OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL/WORK? (250 WORD LIMIT) (*)
IF APPLICABLE, PLEASE DISCUSS YOUR CONNECTION TO THE WAIROA DISTRICT, AND WHAT THE COMMUNITY MEANS TO YOU (250 WORD LIMIT)

IS THERE ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION YOU FEEL COULD ASSIST YOUR APPLICATION? (250 WORD LIMIT)		
DECLARATION:		
I have read and understood the regulations for the Rocket Lab Scholarship and agree to abide by them		
SIGN: DATE:		

SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION PROCESS AND REGULATIONS:

SELECTION PROCESS:

- 1. Application form is sent to Rocket Lab at scholarship@rocketlab.co.nz
- 2. A Selection Committee within Rocket Lab assesses the applications
- 3. Interview
- 4. The Scholarship is awarded

REGULATIONS:

- 1. The Scholarship shall be known as the Rocket Lab Scholarship
- 2. The Scholarship will be awarded annually to a student who:
 - a. Is a New Zealand citizen or permanent resident; and
 - b. Is scheduled to begin tertiary study towards a degree in science, engineering or technology in 2021; and
 - c. Who may have a strong connection to the Māhia or wider Wairoa District.
- 3. The Scholarship will be awarded based on the following criteria:
 - a. Demonstration of passion for science, technology or engineering
 - b. Involvement in cultural, community or leadership activities
 - c. Evidence of the applicant's connection to the Māhia and wider Wairoa District
- 4. One Scholarship will be awarded annually, to the value of up to \$20,000, with up to \$5,000 awarded per year for a maximum of four years full time study.
- 5. The Scholarship will be awarded to a citizen or permanent resident of New Zealand.
- 6. The Scholarship will be reviewed by a Selection Committee within Rocket Lab, and will be awarded by Rocket Lab's CEO, Peter Beck.
- 7. Rocket Lab has the power to amend or vary these regulations provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Scholarship.
- 8. The Scholarship recipient will receive mentorship from Rocket Lab CEO Peter Beck, and/or other members of the Rocket Lab team.
- 9. Rocket Lab has the right to publish the names and photographs of successful scholars in news media and via Rocket Lab's own website and external channels.
- 10. The selection committee may refrain from awarding the scholarship if, in their opinion, there is no applicant of sufficient merit.

NOTES:

- 1. Students who have been offered the Scholarship must meet all requirements for admission to their programme of study and demonstrate proof of enrollment before scholarship funds are paid to the student.
- 2. The student will be required to pay all other fees and costs not covered by the Scholarship.
- 3. Rocket Lab may at any time suspend or terminate a Scholarship if the applicant is not meeting the academic requirements of their university programme.



