

UNSW Bengaluru Scholarships – General Scholarship and Award Conditions

1. Enrolment

Unless specified otherwise in the offer letter, it is a condition of award that Scholarship/Award recipients maintain their enrolment at UNSW Bengaluru over the academic year. You must notify UNSW Scholarships team in writing (UNSWBengaluru@unsw.edu.au) within 7 days should you be absent from your studies for more than two weeks during any UNSW term, or of any change which may affect your eligibility for the Scholarship/Award.

To meet the enrolment status requirement across the academic year, you must enrol in at least one course each term.

For Scholarships/Awards where the duration is based on the normal minimum duration of the program, the duration is calculated based on students enrolling in 48 Units of Credit (UoC) each year. If you choose to enrol in **less than 48 UoC**, with at least one course in each term, you will meet the enrolment requirement; however, it may take you longer to complete your degree, and your scholarship would not be extended.

Please refer to your offer letter if you are unsure of your scholarship duration.

You are required to adhere to your program structure and enrol in courses each term that are aligned with your scholarship offer.

2. Satisfactory Academic Progress

Recipient's academic progress will be reviewed each term, and continuation of the Scholarship/Award is subject to satisfactory academic progress, i.e. maintaining enrolment, an academic status of 'Good Standing'* (unless specified otherwise), and academic progress requirements as stated in the Scholarship/Award offer letter.

**All students start with Good Standing. If you pass 50% or more of the units attempted, your standing remains as Good. Academic standing is calculated using the percentage of load passed in the current term/semester as well as your academic standing at the end of the previous term/semester.*

Refer to www.unsw.edu.au/bengaluru for more information about academic standing.

3. Deferment or Program Leave

Unless specified otherwise in the offer letter recipients are not permitted to defer the commencement of the Scholarship/Award.

If the recipient has completed one term of study, the recipient may request UNSW Scholarships (UNSWBengaluru@unsw.edu.au) in writing to place the Scholarship/Award on hold for the duration of the approved leave of absence from study. If approved, Scholarship/Award payments will be suspended for the duration of approved leave.

Please note that if your scholarship payments are suspended for **more than 18 months** due to non-enrolment, your scholarship will be **discontinued**.

4. Refund of Fees/Stipend

Unless specified otherwise in the offer letter, recipients who fail to uphold the requirements of the Scholarship/Award and is subsequently withdrawn, or who choose to discontinue their program of study, are not obligated to return any funds received during status as an actively enrolled student at UNSW Bengaluru. However, they may be expected to return funds obtained during periods when they did not qualify as an active student in the relevant program or study load at UNSW Bengaluru.

5. Multiple Scholarships/Awards

Unless specified otherwise in the offer letter, recipients may not hold more than one UNSW Bengaluru Scholarship/Award concurrently. Recipients who are considering accepting or holding multiple UNSW Bengaluru Scholarships/Awards other than those listed above must contact UNSWBengaluru@unsw.edu.au for prior approval.

6. Income Tax Department

You are responsible for meeting all applicable personal tax obligations relating to the Scholarship and Awards. UNSW Bengaluru does not withhold tax paid for Scholarships/Awards paid to students. It is the responsibility of Scholarship/Award recipients to check with the **Government of India's Income Tax Department** (www.incometax.gov.in) or seek independent advice to understand their personal tax obligations.