

# National Pingtung University of Science and Technology (NPUST)

## Guidelines for Awarding Scholarships to Excellent Foreign Students



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### 1. Purpose:

These guidelines are promulgated to encourage outstanding foreign students to study at NPUST, and to assist them with living on campus without difficulties and successfully completing their studies.

### 2. Award targets:

All foreign students currently studying at or applying for enrollment in NPUST are qualified. Those who are receiving scholarship(s) from other sources are not eligible.

### 3. Awarded student numbers, awarded items, and duration of scholarship

The number of foreign students awarded is limited to forty per academic year.

#### 3.1 Awards to undergraduates

- A. Partially or fully waived tuition and waived miscellaneous fees
- B. Free lodging in the student dormitories of NPUST

#### 3.2 Awards to graduate students

- A. Partially or fully waived tuition, waived miscellaneous fees and credit fees (Students will receive subsidies of the actual credits taken every semester. The maximum number of credits subsidized every semester is twelve.)
- B. Free lodging in the student dormitories of NPUST.
- C. Scholarships will be awarded on a yearly basis. Renewal applications will be evaluated based on student's academic performance. The expected duration of earning a master and a Ph. D degree are 2 and 3 years, respectively. Students who need to study longer than the expected duration are entitled to only partially or fully waived tuition and waived miscellaneous fees, free lodging in dormitories, and subsidies for up to twelve actual credits. Monthly stipend equivalent to that of Taiwan doctoral students can also be awarded to doctoral student for up to one year until the month of applicant's graduation.
- D. The awards for new students shall be decided by the Committee for Admission of Foreign Students, while those for currently enrolled students (including renewal applicants) shall be reviewed and granted by the Scholarship Review Committee, and finally approved by the President of NPUST.

### 4. Scholarship eligibility requirements:

- 4.1 Students with a foreign nationality
- 4.2 New foreign students are eligible for such application while applying for admission to NPUST.
- 4.3 Currently enrolled foreign students (including renewal applicants) applying for a scholarship are required to submit a copy of their transcript for the previous academic year showing an average of **75 points** or more for undergraduates and **80 points** or more for graduate students. In addition, the grade of conduct must reach **80 points** or more.

## **5. Deadline for Application:**

- 5.1 For new foreign students: The application must be submitted along with the application for admission to NPUST by **April 30** for the following academic year.
- 5.2 For currently enrolled foreign students (including renewal applicants): Applications must be submitted between **July 20** and **August 5** for the following academic year.

## **6. Required documents:**

- 6.1 For new foreign students: The recruitment regulations were established under NPUST and may be found in the regulations (document #0960021880) posted by the Ministry of Education, Taiwan.
- 6.2 For currently enrolled foreign students (including renewal applicants):
  - A. A copy of their transcript for the previous academic year
  - B. Two recommendation letters written by a class mentor or an academic adviser

## **7. Application procedures and notices:**

- 7.1 New foreign students are required to send the applications to the Office of International Affairs when applying for admission to NPUST. Applicants will be notified with the final result by **May 31** every year.
- 7.2 All applications which are submitted by the currently enrolled international students (including renewal applicants) will be evaluated by the Scholarships Review Committee, and then approved by the President of NPUST. Applicants will be notified the results before the first semester of each academic year.

## **8. Obligations of awarded international students**

For foreign students awarded with any items described above, weekly public services are required and assigned by their department.

## **9. Sources of Funding**

NPUST annually allocates a portion of its income from the collection of tuition and miscellaneous fees, funds from the Ministry of Education, and funding from its university foundation or other related resources to scholarships for foreign students.

## **10. These guidelines become validated after the approval of the Administrator Meeting and the authorization of the President of NPUST.**

These guidelines are adopted in Chinese, which shall prevail in case of any discrepancy between the English translation and the Chinese original.

國立屏東科技大學 ( ) 學年度外國籍學生就學獎助學金申請單  
National Pingtung University of Science and Technology, ( ) Academic Year, Scholarship Application Form for Foreign Students

姓名 Full Name	(中文) Chinese: (英文) English:	國籍 Nationality		出生年月日 Date of Birth	年 月 日 Year_____, Month____, Day_____
目前住處 Current Address		聯絡電話 Phone		居留證號碼 Certificate of Residence	
就讀系所年級 Department/Year	系/研究所 年級 Department, _____ Year	入學年月 Date of Enrollment	年 月 Year _____, Month_____	學號 Student I.D.	
申請類別 Scholarship Category	<input type="checkbox"/> 大學部 (Undergraduate) <input type="checkbox"/> 碩士班 (Master) <input type="checkbox"/> 博士班 (Doctoral)	<input type="checkbox"/> 申請學雜費及學期暨寒暑假住宿費減免(Waived tuition, misc. fee, free dormitory) <input type="checkbox"/> 申請每月獎助學金新臺幣(Monthly stipend)_____元(NT\$) <input type="checkbox"/> 申請學雜費及學期暨寒暑假住宿費減免(Waived tuition, misc. fee, free dormitory)			
※銀行名稱及帳號(Name of bank and account number) : _____ (限本人帳戶)( <b>applicant's account only</b> )					
List all scholarships and durations you have received during the study in NPUST. 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ 4. _____					
申請人簽章 Applicant's Signature	Signature _____, Date _____		就讀系所主管簽章 Signature of Department Dean	Signature _____, Date _____	
<b>Gray areas for scholarship committee only</b>					
審查結果 Result	<input type="checkbox"/> 通過 (Pass) <input type="checkbox"/> 不通過 (Fail)	備註 Comment			

\* 請依據外國籍學生就學獎助學金辦法申請並檢附前一學年成績單(新生免附)及2封導師或指導教授推薦函等相關文件。  
(According to the Guidelines for Awarding Scholarships to Foreign Students, the application should include:  
1. Application form 2. Transcript for previous academic year (only for currently enrolled students) 3. Two letters of recommendation written by a class mentor or an academic advisor.).