

**PROPOSAL FOR NEW STUDENT AWARD**

**Greater Shepparton City Council Bursary**

**1. Faculty Sponsoring the Proposal:**

Faculty of Land and Food Resources.

**2. Title of Bursary:**

The Greater Shepparton City Council Bursary.

**3. Value of the Bursary:**

\$700 for each bursary.

**4. Donor:**

The Greater Shepparton City Council is committed to supporting the provision of higher education in the region. The Council's objectives in establishing these bursaries are to build demand for tertiary education, especially higher education in the Greater Shepparton region and to help increase the Shepparton community's participation in tertiary education

**5. Period of Commitment by Donor:**

For 2007 in the first instance but it is expected that the Bursaries will be ongoing, and that the Greater Shepparton Council will commit funds to the Bursaries for at least a three year period.

**6. Eligibility:**

Commencing students in the Faculty's undergraduate courses conducted at the Dookie campus.

**7. Criteria for Selection:**

Selection will be based principally on academic merit, as measured by the student's year 12 results, but consideration for special circumstances as defined by Access Melbourne criteria, may be taken into account. Candidates will be assessed by a scholarship and bursary committee of the Faculty.

**8. Special Conditions:**

Three bursaries will be available annually for the first year of enrolment in an undergraduate course conducted at of the Faculty of Land and Food Resources Dookie Campus.