



Pensioner Education Supplement (福利金教育补助)

Pensioner Education Supplement (福利金教育补助) 将有助于领取者支付持续的中等或高等教育课程学费。

Pensioner Education Supplement (福利金教育补助) 向同时还是全日制学生或特定情况下的非全日制学生的部分 Centrelink 和 Veterans' Affairs (退伍军人事务部) 客户提供。

自 2014 年 1 月 1 日起, 在遵守所有其它规定的情况下, 领取 Newstart Allowance (新开始津贴) 且是单身和孩子主要照料者的客户将有资格领取这一补助。

其他资格规定:

如要领取 Pensioner Education Supplement (福利金教育补助), 您必须遵守以下规定:

- 时间期限 — 在确定您可就新课程获得的补助时, 可能会考虑您以往的学习情况。
- 居住要求 — 您必须是澳大利亚居民, 通常居住在澳大利亚, 并且于您提交申请之日在澳大利亚境内。通常针对新抵澳的居民设有 104 周等待期, 但部分情况例外。
- 获准课程 — 您需要在获批的教育机构接受获准的课程。

补助金额

补助通常为每两周 62.40 澳元。但是如果您是非全日制学生, 则该补助金额会降低至每两周 31.20 澳元。

课程报名证明:

可能会要求您提供课程报名证明。如果我们需要这一信息, 我们会向您索要。

Activity Test (活跃度测试) 要求:

如果您是领取 Newstart Allowance (新开始津贴) 的单身主要照料者, 而且您已就自己的课程获得 Pensioner Education Supplement (福利金教育补助), 您的学习可用于满足您的 Activity Test (活跃度测试) 要求。就此情况与我们或您的就业服务提供者交谈。

更多信息

如要申领或了解更多信息:

- 转到我们的网站: humanservices.gov.au/pensionereducation (您应该在开始学习或拟要学习后尽早提出申领), 或者
- 如要用普通话与我们交谈, 请致电 131 202。



Pensioner Education Supplement

The Pensioner Education Supplement helps with the ongoing costs of study in secondary or tertiary courses.

Pensioner Education Supplement is available to some Centrelink and Veterans' Affairs customers if they are also full-time students, or in some circumstances, part-time students.

From 1 January 2014 customers receiving Newstart Allowance who are single and the principal carer of their children, will be eligible for the supplement, provided they meet all the other rules.

Other eligibility rules:

To receive Pensioner Education Supplement you must meet the following rules:

- Time limits—previous study may count towards how long you can receive the supplement for your new course.
- Residence—you must be an Australian resident, normally live in Australia and be in Australia on the day you lodge your claim. Newly arrived residents generally have a 104-week waiting period, with some exemptions.
- Approved courses—you need to be studying an approved course at an approved institution.

Payment Rates

Payment is usually \$62.40 per fortnight but if you are studying part-time, you may receive a lower rate of \$31.20 per fortnight.

Proof of enrolment:

You may be asked to provide proof that you are enrolled in your course. If we require this information, we will ask you for it.

Activity Test requirements:

If you are a single principal carer on Newstart Allowance and you have been granted Pensioner Education Supplement for your course, your study may count towards your Activity Test requirements. Speak to us or your employment services provider about this.

Further information:

To make a claim or for more information:

- go to our website at humanservices.gov.au/pensionereducation (you should make a claim as soon as possible if you are already studying or intending to study), or
- to speak to us in [*language*] call **131 202**.