

	Creators in Technology Scholarship Policy
	Trimester 1, 2026
1. Policy Statement	This policy outlines the terms and conditions for applicants, students, and staff applying for or receiving financial Scholarships at SAE Institute Pty Ltd, trading as SAE University College (SAE).
2. Purpose	This policy defines the principles and outlines the conditions of the Creators in Technology Scholarship (Scholarship) for the Trimester 1, 2026 intake.
3. Scope	This policy applies to domestic and international undergraduate students on all SA Campuses in Australia, and the courses and application associated with the scholarship.
4. Associated	Student Code of Conduct
Policies & Procedures	<ul> <li>Academic Integrity Policy</li> <li>Academic Progression and Student Support Procedure</li> </ul>
	Fees and Refund Procedure
5. Associated Documents	Application form as available via SAE Sales and Admissions
	<ul> <li>Guidelines for the application which are available when Scholarships are open</li> </ul>
6. Policy	<b>6.1 Eligibility Requirements</b> Scholarships are awarded based on merit, determined by the quality of a formal written submission and portfolio assessment. To be eligible for a scholarship, applicants have applied or be enrolled in either the Bachelor of Computer Science the Bachelor of VFX and Virtual Production and provide SAE with a 250-word statement which addresses the following question:
	"Describe a project or challenge you have worked on (in computer science or VFX) that you are particularly proud of. How did it inspire your interest in the field, and ho do you plan to use your skills to contribute to the future of technology or visual storytelling?"
	Applicants may also submit a portfolio to support their application. This can be provided by way of the submission URL.
	Scholarship recipients will be assessed by the designated SAE faculty.
	6.2 General Terms and Conditions
	The recipient is the sole holder of the Scholarship.
	<ul> <li>The Scholarship is only valid for new domestic and international students enrolling in Trimester 1, 2026. Students who defer their studies to a future intake will no longer be eligible for the Scholarship.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Recipients of the Scholarship must be enrolled into an eligible Bachelor course and maintain a minimum study load of 30 credit points per trimester</li> </ul>



- The Scholarship is applied to tuition fees each trimester to a value \$2,000 per trimester up to a maximum of \$12,000.
- The Scholarship cannot be transferred or exchanged for cash.
- Recipients of the Scholarship are not eligible to receive any additional SAE scholarships. If a student is awarded multiple scholarships, only the scholarship of the highest value will be applied.
- Recipients are required to adhere to the tuition payment provisions outlined in the Fees and Refund Procedure.
- Applications for Trimester 1, 2026 will be open from 5 January 2026 and close **30 January 2026** however may be awarded prior to this date.
- Both shortlisted and unsuccessful applicants will be notified within one week
  of application via email.
- Each application will be assessed on a case-by-case basis. Scholarship
  decisions are made at the sole discretion of SAE University College, are final
  and not subject to appeal.
- All recipients of the Scholarship must maintain satisfactory attendance of 75% across all enrolled units of study in each trimester.
- Receiving a Fail grade in any unit of study may result in review or termination of the Scholarship.
- Recipients of the Scholarship agree to be profiled for marketing and promotional purposes. This may include but not limited to providing photos and profile information for SAE's website, newsletters, advertising, and other marketing collateral.
- Recipients of the Scholarship agree to undertake ambassador duties for 5 hours per trimester. This may include but is not limited to attendance and participation at events including expos, open days, info nights, and other campus initiatives.

## Note:

SAE is not obliged to award the Scholarship if it is determined that there
were no suitable commencing student applicants.

## 6.3: Revocation of Scholarships

SAE reserves the right to revoke the Scholarship under the following conditions:

- a breach of the <u>Student Code of Conduct</u>, including providing false or misleading information on the application
- breach of the Academic Integrity Policy
- being placed on Academic Probation as per the Academic Progression and Student Support Procedure
- deferral, cancellation or withdrawal of their enrolment at SAE
- once the full value of the Scholarship has been paid
- if a recipient of the named Scholarship transfers to another course not eligible for the Scholarship

## **Administrative Information & Version Control**

Date Summary of Changes	Approved by
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