

# WAYS TO PAY YOUR FEES

Fees should be paid in full or arrangements made for payment e.g. applying for a student loan by the start of the programme.

#### What options are there for arranging payment of my fees?

At MIT, there are a number of funding options that may be available to you or you can apply for a Student Loan.

#### Final-year Fees Free

If you are a first-time tertiary learner in 2025, you may be able to get Fees Free for your final year of study or training. If you are eligible, you will need to apply for your entitlement through IRD from 2026 onwards. Learners who accessed first-year Fees Free are not eligible for final-year Fees Free. For full eligibility criteria, visit <a href="feesfree.govt.nz">feesfree.govt.nz</a>.

## Maori Pasifika Trades Training Scholarship (MPTT)

If you are of Maori or Pasifika descent and between the ages of 16 to 40 years, you may qualify for this scholarship. Either visit one of our Ask Me! Student Service Centres to discuss or contact the MPTT office at

MaoriPasifikaTrades@manukau.ac.nz.

#### **Youth Guarantee**

If you are 16 to 24 years old at the start date of your course, you may be entitled to Youth Guarantee funding. Either email <a href="mailto:enrolments@manukau.ac.nz">enrolments@manukau.ac.nz</a> to discuss or visit our website <a href="mailto:www.manukau.ac.nz/yg">www.manukau.ac.nz/yg</a>.

## Fees paid by a company or other third-party

If your fees are being paid by a company or other third party, they must confirm that they are paying your fees by providing us with:

- A purchase order number
- A request for invoice along with the postal address and the name of the company's contact person.

Correspondence should be on company letterhead.

## **Compulsory Student Services Fee (CSSF)**

The Compulsory Student Services Fee (CSSF) levy is additional to your programme or course fees. For more information visit <a href="https://www.manukau.ac.nz/cssf">www.manukau.ac.nz/cssf</a>. If you are receiving First year fees free, MPTT or Youth guarantee funding, the CSSF is covered as part of this funding.

#### Student Loan

You will only need apply for a loan if you are not eligible for other funding options mentioned above. To apply for a loan go to <a href="https://www.studylink.govt.nz">www.studylink.govt.nz</a> or phone 0800 88 99 00.

#### Instalment arrangement

If you are not eligible for a student loan you may be able to pay your fees by instalment. Please contact our Academic Registry office to talk to someone about an instalment arrangement at <a href="mailto:enrolments@manukau.ac.nz">enrolments@manukau.ac.nz</a> or phone 09 968 8730.