

DR VICTOR HARRIS MEMORIAL TRUST AWARDS 2026

Dr Victor Harris was a respected Gore doctor and community leader whose dedication to healthcare and local service inspired the creation of a memorial scholarship trust supporting future health professionals.

APPLICATION

Eligibility - Applicants must meet one of the following criteria:

- Be attending Blue Mountain College, Māruawai College, Menzies College, or St Peter's College during 2026; or
- Have attended one of these schools in 2025 and be completing a gap year.

Applications close - Friday, 30th October 2026.

Interviews - Thursday 5th November 2026

The Dr Victor Harris Memorial Awards in 2026 will be bursary for Tertiary Students intending a career in medicine or an associated health field e.g., Nursing, Pharmacy, Audiology, Radiography, Medical Imaging, Dentistry, Dental Hygienist, Dietician, Occupational Therapy, Physiotherapy, Midwifery etc.

Please complete all sections and submit your application as a PDF in this two-page format. Include a personal character reference from your school, workplace, or another person who is not related to you.

1. Applicants Details:

Full Name:	
Postal Address:	
E-Mail:	
Contact Cell/Phone:	
Date of Birth:	
Secondary Schools Attended:	

2. Academic Results:

Year 12 NCEA Level 2

Subject:	A	M	E

Level 1 Endorsements

Level 2 Endorsements

3. Other achievements

Awards & Distinctions including prizes, awards, bursaries, duke of Edinburgh or scholarships awarded or pending

a) Academic

b) Sporting

c) Community/Cultural

4. Summary of your proposed health career, your reason for this choice:

5. In-Person Interview -

As part of your application this year we will be conducting interviews of all applicants. The trustees have requested each applicant to prepare a 3–5-minute speech about your intended studies and how you hope your intended career will be of help to the local community, country or world. This speech will **not** be included with your written application.

6. Please send completed form to - drharrismt@outlook.co.nz by 5pm 30th October 2026

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Signature