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# ART BURSARY

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YOUNG EMERGING  
ARTISTS APPLY NOW AND  
FURTHER YOUR ARTISTIC  
CAREER!

The Artspace Mackay Foundation's annual 'Hands On' Bursary - in memory of the late Rick Wood - is celebrating its eleventh year. The bursary is open to local students aged 17-25 who wish to pursue a career in any aspect of the visual arts or creative industry.

**APPLICATIONS  
CLOSE:**

MONDAY, 20 JANUARY, 2020

For information on the bursary and how to apply, visit [artspacemackay.com.au](http://artspacemackay.com.au) or contact Melissa Broadhurst, Executive Officer, Artspace Mackay Foundation on 4951 2299, or email [artspacefoundation@mackay.qld.gov.au](mailto:artspacefoundation@mackay.qld.gov.au)

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### **What is the 'Hands On' Bursary?**

This \$4000 Bursary was initiated by the Artspace Mackay Foundation in 2009 to support and encourage young people aged 17-25, originating from the Mackay Regional Council Local Government Area, who wish to pursue a career in the arts. The bursary pays tribute to one of Mackay's celebrated artists, the late Rick Wood and recognises his service and enthusiasm for the arts.

### **What are the eligibility requirements?**

To be eligible for the 'Hands On' Bursary, you must be a local resident of the Mackay Regional Council Local Government Area either currently studying or have applied to study with a recognised arts tertiary course in 2020. This includes any aspect of visual arts or creative industries. Students do not have to be studying in Mackay to be considered for the bursary, however, they must ordinarily be residents of the Mackay region. Applicants must also be available for the presentation date if successful.

### **What do I need to apply?**

All young artists interested in applying for the bursary must provide the Artspace Mackay Foundation with a letter outlining why they should be considered, a resume of artistic achievements and a USB memory stick containing a maximum of 10 images of works. Applicants must provide previous tertiary education and/or current course information. Year 12 students are required to state which university course they will be seeking acceptance to.

### **How can I use the Bursary funds?**

The \$4000 'Hands On' Bursary may be used for tuition fees, textbooks, equipment or expenses required as part of the student's studies.

### **What is the closing date for applying and the notification date?**

Applications close on Monday, 20 January, 2020, with the successful applicant announced in early February 2020 following confirmation of university places.

**Applications to be mailed to  
'Hands On' Bursary  
Artspace Mackay Foundation,  
PO Box 447 Mackay Qld 4740.**