Natural Disaster Assistance Grant

1. Grants are available for full time and part time students of Deakin University directly affected by recent natural disasters.

2. The following conditions apply when grant applications are considered:
   a. That the hardship of the applicant including financial hardship of the student and where relevant the financial situation of the household in which the student resides
   b. Overall consideration of the purpose of the grant.

3. Grants are available for:
   a. The repayment in whole or in part of any monies owing to the University
   b. Purchase of books, equipment, subsistence and any other purpose that the Committee may approve.

4. The maximum amount of any grant shall not exceed $1000.00.

5. All applicants must supply proof of Deakin card (student ID card), proof of address in an identified natural disaster affected area, proof of financial situation, and a declaration or proof of loss of study related material.

6. If any relevant information contained within the application shall prove to be false or misleading, the grant will be deemed to be immediately repayable with interest.

Please email the completed application form, Electronic Funds Transfer Request form and a copy of all your supporting documentation to finasst@deakin.edu.au or you may wish to post them to:

Scholarships and Financial Assistance
Division of Student Administration
Deakin University
221 Burwood Highway
Burwood, Victoria, 3125
Natural Disaster Assistance Grant Application form

I, .................................................................................................................
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declare that the information supplied by me remains true.

Student signature ..........................................................Student ID...............Date...........................

1. **REASON FOR GRANT REQUEST**

Subsistence ☐ Books ☐ Equipment ☐ Other ☐

Please detail reason for request and outline how the natural disaster has had a significant impact on you and your household *(Please attach additional details on a separate sheet of paper if necessary)* .................................................................
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2. **FINANCIAL SITUATION**

a. Are you in receipt of an income or Government financial support? Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, please detail and attach proof *(i.e. Austudy, sole parent benefit, maintenance, part-time work etc.)* .................................................................
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Total amount per fortnight: $ .................................................................
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3. **DOCUMENTATION** – please provide the following:

☐ Copy of Deakin Card (student ID card)
☐ Proof of enrolment in an award course
☐ Proof of residential address in an affected area
☐ Proof of financial situation e.g. Centrelink Statement, Pay slips, bank statement.
☐ Declaration/proof of loss of study related material

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Recommended ☐ Not Recommended ☐ ..............................................................................

Amount ...................... Year ..............

Approved ☐ Not Approved ☐

Signature of Chair, SLFC .........................................................................................
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Electronic Funds Transfer Request

STUDENT ID ______________________

NAME________________________________________

ADDRESS_________________________________________________________________________
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STATE ___________ POSTCODE ____________

PHONE NUMBER _________________

Bank Details:

BSB NUMBER ACCOUNT NUMBER

BANK NAME______________ BRANCH SUBURB______________

ACCOUNT HOLDER’S NAME______________________________________

SIGNATURE ____________________________ DATE__________________

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Account code: _____________________________

GRANT AMOUNT $___________ DATE:______________