



DAFYDD LEWIS TRUST

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2020 DLT SCHOLARS



15

New Scholars



47

Scholars across all
Victoria universities



1100+

Scholars since 1943

2020 NEW SCHOLARS

15 young men from a variety of regional and metro based Victorian secondary schools were awarded Dafydd Lewis Trust scholarships in January and were welcomed into the Lewis network at the annual Welcome Event in February.

Once again, the 2020 scholar cohort cover a wide range of courses including:

- Biomedical Science
- Commerce and Law
- Communication
- Engineering
- Health Sciences
- Information Technology
- Radiography & Medical Imaging
- Science

In 2020 there are 47 young men being actively supported with a Dafydd Lewis Trust Scholarship for studies at a variety of Victorian universities.

MENTORING

This year the Dafydd Lewis Trust Scholarship Trustees implemented an informal mentoring/buddy system for scholars to have them connected to a scholarship trustee and previous scholar ("DLT alumni") for the duration of their time with the Trust.

At the beginning of each year new scholars are paired with a scholarship trustee and a DLT alumni. Scholars are expected to make proactive contact with their allocated mentors throughout the year. This provides an opportunity for the scholars to ask questions and be provided advice across a broad range of topics including, but not limited to: study, seeking employment, how to best juggle study with work and broader life commitments and financial management.



The Dafydd Lewis Trust was established in 1943 by a businessman who believed in education and hard work. He created a charitable trust to give future generations of young men the benefit of a university education.

The Dafydd Lewis Trust provides equity and merit-based scholarships of \$10,000 a year for 3 years to young men who might not have otherwise received a University education due to the limited financial resources of their parents. Multiple scholarships are awarded every year for full-time undergraduate degrees in most courses at any university in Victoria.