

Key Changes

Now available

from 1st February

2022

Background

In 2021 a consultation document was sent out to all owners with proposed changes to our grant system. Many of these changes were requested in our Owners Wananga and also seen as a way of providing more choice and decision making to the whanau. The changes were supported and are now available to all registered members of Tauhara North No.2 Trust.

Watch this space for more information and videos to support the new changes over the coming weeks!!

Entitlements: What you receive has changed

When you apply for your grants you will find there is a different amount allocated to you depending on whether you are an registered 'owner' or a 'whanau member'.

Individual Health Grant

Each registered owner or whanau member now has their own health grant entitlement. In the past this used to be provided per household. For Vision grants, all applicants will reset to Year 1 entitlement of \$1,100 (contact us to learn more).



Sports, Arts & Māori Cultural Grant

We have simplified this grant by removing all the representative levels. You now apply for each of these categories, once per calendar year – for the maximum amount: Sports, Arts, Māori Culture. This means you can have a Sports, Arts and a Māori Culture grant in one year.

Scholarships

New compulsory section with a focus on connecting to whanau, whenua and whakapapa.

Additional post-graduate scholarships for students open!



Calendar Year

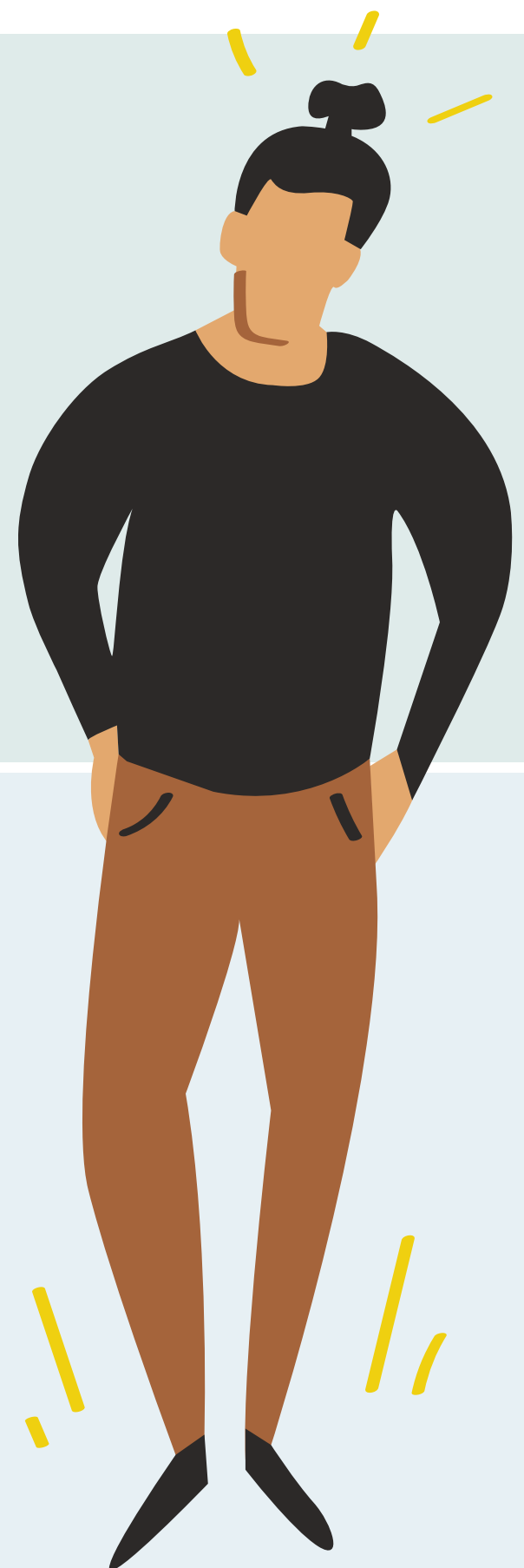
Applying for grants has been made easier! You can now apply for all grants from January to December of each year.

We no longer use 1st July to 30 June for grants.

Education Grants

All education grants will now be paid to the registered parents/guardians of children attending school.

0-5 year olds and students over the age of 15 are required to provide evidence of attending school. This is because the compulsory age to attend school is from 6 to 16 - however, students are eligible to apply for early leaving certificate from age 15.



New Health Grants

There are three (3) new health grants available to registered Tauhara North No.2 Trust whanau:

1. Specialist Grant –
 - a. Approved health services i.e. chiropractor, physio
 - b. Not services from GP or nurse
2. Emergency Medical
 - a. High need – cost, urgency
3. Medical Treatment –
 - a. Priority for Owners/Kaumatuas
 - b. Priority for Hip and knee surgeries



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Grant Name	Individual Owner entitlement	Individual Whanau member entitlement
Vision Grant (2022 -Year 1 for all)	No change \$1100 (1st year and then 2 yearly)	No change \$1100 (1st year and then 2 yearly)
Dental Grant	\$550 per year	\$440 per year
Denture Orthodontic Grant	No change \$1650 per year	No change \$1650 per year
General Health Grant (GP and Prescriptions)	\$400 per year	\$300 per year
Hearing Grant	No change \$1100 per year	No change \$1100 per year
New Specialist Grant	\$3000 per year	\$2000 per year
New Medical Grant	Priority for Owners/Kaumatua for Hip and Knee surgeries	Able to apply
Emergency Medical Grant	Approval process – high need medical costs/urgency	Approval process – high need medical costs/urgency
Sports, Arts & Māori Cultural Grant	New \$500 per category	New \$500 per category
Tangihanga Grant	No change \$1100 per application	No change \$1,100 per application



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Grant Name	Key information
Education Grant	No change in amounts. Now paid to approved parents/guardians.
Post-Secondary Grant	Name change
Trust Undergraduate \$10,000 for 3 year Scholarship (1 award per year)	New compulsory requirements (please check application form for details)
Trust Undergraduate \$5,000 for 3 year Scholarship (2 awards per year)	New compulsory requirements (please check application form for details)
Trust Undergraduate \$5,000 1 year Scholarship (3 awards per year)	New compulsory requirements (please check application form for details)
Trust Post-Graduate \$5,000 full-time 1 year Scholarship (2 award per year)	New compulsory requirements (please check application form for details)
New Trust Post-Graduate part-time 1 year Scholarship (1 award per year)	New - \$3,000 for one year New compulsory requirements (please check application form for details)
Ngati Tahu Under-Graduate \$5,000 full-time 1 year Scholarship (2 awards per year)	New compulsory requirements (please check application form for details)
New Ngati Tahu Post-Graduate \$5,000 Part-time 1 year Scholarship (1 award per year)	New - \$5,000 for one year New compulsory requirements (please check application form for details)

