



Thank you for taking the time to check out the ABSTUDY eKit. You can help us raise awareness of ABSTUDY. This payment is available to Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Australian students and their families.

Some parents and guardians may not know they can claim ABSTUDY for their kids. It's important to claim early, so kids can get their ABSTUDY before school starts. If they need to live away from home to go to secondary school, ABSTUDY may help them with the costs of school fees, boarding and travel.

We know organisations like yours play a critical role in providing this information about ABSTUDY to students and their families. You can use the ABSTUDY eKit as a supporting tool to help with your work.

ABSTUDY eKit resources

This eKit includes the following resources to help you get ABSTUDY information to parents, guardians, students and your community. You might use all of these resources or a combination of them. Either way, they are available to help you. The eKit includes:

- mp3 audio file of ABSTUDY radio commercial
- ABSTUDY Videos on YouTube
- ABSTUDY PowerPoint presentation
- ABSTUDY talking points
- ABSTUDY newsletter article
- ABSTUDY reference guide
- 2 A4 self-print posters
- 6 self-print flyers
 - Have you applied for ABSTUDY
 - Is your child starting high school?
 - Do you have a child who is younger than 16?
 - Has your study changed?
 - Has something changed in your life?
 - Have your children missed any days of school this term?

How to use this eKit

There are lots of ways you can use this eKit.

- The mp3 audio file can be used as a sound bite through relevant channels such as community radio or social media.
- Links to the Videos can be included in newsletters or social media, sent out for inclusion in community newsletters or used at community presentations.
- The PowerPoint presentation and talking points can help with community outreach.
- The newsletter article can be published in community newsletters to help spread the word.
- The reference guide gives more detail about the payments students may get depending on their situation.
- You can self-print the posters and flyers to display around schools, your workplace or community, or you can use them electronically as ads in newsletters.

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YouTube

Subscribe to our YouTube channel **HumanServiceGovAU** to watch and share our range of videos.

More information

For more information, visit humanservices.gov.au/abstudy or call the ABSTUDY line on **Freecall™ 1800 132 317**.