

# MANAAKI FUND HARDSHIP SUPPORT FOR AKONGA



## CONEXIS MANAAKI FUND

### WE ARE HERE TO HELP YOU SUCCEED

#### WHAT IS THE MANAAKI FUND?

Connexis is proud to offer the Manaaki Fund to assist ākonga (learners) across New Zealand in successfully completing their training.

The purpose of this fund is to support ākonga so they can continue with their training, despite challenging times or changes in circumstances.

Successful applicants will receive a \$500 payment to help with alleviating financial stress. Please note: This payment is not to cover your programme fees but to help you in other areas such as to cover grocery bills, childcare, travel costs etc.

#### ELIGIBILITY

This fund is available to Connexis | Te Pūkenga learners who:

- Have been actively training for 6 months or more
- Are experiencing financial barriers that impact their training

Application will be validated by a Connexis Customer Service Account Manager (CSAM) to ensure criteria is met.

Visit the webpage below for the full terms, conditions and eligibility criteria.

#### **KEY DATES**

May 1st	Applications open
May 29th	Applications close
June 6th	Results communicated

#### TALK TO YOUR CSAM

If you need help completing your application or would like to discuss the fund and your eligibility, your CSAM will be more than happy to help.



### Scan the QR code to **APPLY ONLINE** connexis.org.nz/manaakifund