FAMILY LOYALTY DISCOUNT POLICY

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1. OVERVIEW AND APPLICABILITY
This Policy details the circumstances under which the Family Loyalty Discount operates. The Family Loyalty program applies to new students who have an eligible first enrolled direct family member.

2. THE POLICY

2.1. The maximum discount that can be received by any student through combined Family and Alumni Loyalty Discounts is $20,000.

2.2. Students who qualify as eligible for the Family Loyalty discount will receive a 10% discount of fees per semester for their enrolment in a full-fee paying, eligible full-degree program up to the value of the maximum discount. Where the Family Loyalty Discount is for a program with fees in excess of $200,000, the discount will be applied in equal amounts across the life of the program.

2.3. Students are not eligible to receive Family and Alumni Loyalty Discounts concurrently.

2.4. The Family Loyalty Discount will only apply where neither student has been in receipt of a scholarship or any other financial aid from Bond University valued at more than 10% of fees (i.e. where the eligible first enrolled direct family member, eligible subsequently enrolled direct family member or either of the eligible siblings has received a scholarship or any other financial aid valued at more than 10% of fees, the discount will not apply).

2.5. In general circumstances, eligible subsequently enrolled direct family member can only access the loyalty discount once the eligible first enrolled direct family member has completed 120 credit points. However, in the case of eligible siblings, the second and subsequent sibling will be given immediate access to their discount.

2.6. The Executive Dean of the Faculty, in consultation with the Vice-Chancellor, may exercise discretion to make decisions in relation to the Family Loyalty discount outside the terms of this Policy in exceptional circumstances.
3. FUNDING SOURCE
The discount will be borne by the Faculty budget in which the student is enrolled. In the case of double degrees, the cost will be shared between the Faculties in proportion based on the sum of the credit point load of the respective Faculty’s subjects.

4. APPLICATION PROCESS
Students intending to apply for the Family Loyalty Discount must complete the application form and submit with the relevant evidence to the Head, Student Business Centre before the end of Week 4 of the relevant starting semester. Applicants will need to provide evidence (eg birth certificates, marriage certificate) of the direct family relationship.

Due to Government regulations, the Family Loyalty Discount cannot be applied retrospectively.

5. DEFINITIONS

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<th>Eligible full-degree program</th>
<th>A combination of subjects which, according to degree rules, leads to an academic award of the University at an AQF level of 7 or above not including Graduate Certificates and Graduate Diplomas</th>
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<td>Eligible first enrolled direct family member</td>
<td>A current Bond University student who has completed at least 120 credit points in a full-fee paying, eligible full-degree program.</td>
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<td>Eligible subsequently enrolled direct family members</td>
<td>For the purposes of this Policy means parent, partner or de facto (see Australian Government definition and examples of evidence which may be required), children (see Australian Government definition), and grandchildren.</td>
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<td>Eligible siblings</td>
<td>For the purposes of this Policy, children from the same family concurrently enrolled in a full-fee paying, eligible full-degree program.</td>
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6. RELATED PROCEDURES

7. RELATED GUIDELINES AND FORMS

Family Loyalty Discount Application