

Annual Appeal Video 2017 - Transcript

Bianca: “Life is a journey.”

Courtney: “We grow up quickly.”

Courtney: “We learn a lot.”

Lily: “We face different challenges.”

Sina: “We all have stories to tell.”

Bianca: “And education is the key to the future. The Students’ Future Fund has helped us and with that support, I want to be an architect.”

Courtney: “An events manager.”

Lily: “A film maker.”

Sina: “A doctor.”

On screen text: Helping students who excel but experience financial hardship

Scene: Nathan campus

Bianca – to camera: “Growing up I really loved to draw and people said that I had a natural talent. After my first year of studying at Griffith I won the Australians of Indian Heritage War Memorial design competition. Unfortunately my parents are in no position to be able to support me financially. Receiving this scholarship has lifted a huge financial weight off my shoulders. When I graduate my goal is to become an architect who improves our human experience through design and also supports environmental sustainability.”

Courtney – to camera: “I’m from an extremely rural area. We didn’t have much money growing up. I know my dreams of owning a business wouldn’t be achievable without an education. Without this scholarship I wouldn’t be at university this year and I’m so grateful.”

Sina – to camera: “I am one of the most accident-prone kids you could ever meet. And from this my many many visits to the doctor sparked my interest in medicine. Receiving such a scholarship has given me so much peace of mind. After graduating from my medical studies, I plan to also work rurally which will not only help me expand my skills but also give back to communities most in need.”

Vice Chancellor - camera: As Vice Chancellor of Griffith University, I know the Students’ Future Fund helps those students most in need. Despite difficult personal circumstances, these students excel at their study. I invite you to join with me in supporting these students by donating to this year’s Annual Appeal. With your help, there will be more remarkable stories to tell.

Krystal – to camera: “As a teacher, I believe that education changes people’s lives. And this scholarship, it changed mine. Four years ago I was in a position where I really needed a scholarship, now I’m in a position where I can give back.

To those people who donated, I cannot thank you enough you have given me the future that I have today.

There are so many people who can achieve their potential if they were just given an opportunity, a little bit of support.”

Lily: Please donate to the Students’ Future Fund.

On screen text: Please support talented students. Your donation makes a BIG difference.

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