

# The Dr. James Massey Keegan Scholarship

### 1. The Scholarship

- (i) The Scholarship was founded by James Massey Keegan, MA, MB MCh BAO, a graduate of Queen's College and of University of Galway.
- (ii) The value of the Scholarship, originally the interest for one year on €1,143 invested by the Graaff Reinet Board of Executors Limited in first class mortgage bonds on landed property, is now €1,500.
- (iii) It is offered for competition among Mayo students.
- (iv) The Scholarship may be held with other Scholarships or Grants awarded by the University or by an external body.

#### 2. Tenure

The Scholarship is tenable only at University of Galway for the first year of any full-time primary degree course offered by the University, and only in the session for which it is awarded.

### 3. Condition of Award

To register as a student of the University by the due registration date. Failure to complete the registration requirement and remain registered until at least 1st March of the academic year in which the Scholarship is awarded will render the student ineligible for the award of the Scholarship without further notice.

The Scholarship may not be awarded if a student has been awarded another University of Galway or donor Scholarship of equal or greater value.

## 4. Repayment of the Scholarship

If the holder withdraws from the course for which she/he has registered before 1st March or fails to continue throughout the Session to meet the attendance and other requirements of the course, she/he will be required to repay to the University the whole or any part of the Scholarship as the Finance/Resource Committee of Údarás na hOllscoile may decide.

## 5. Basis of Award

- 5.1 The Scholarship will be awarded on the results of the Leaving Certificate Examination of the Department of Education and Skills taken in any one year.
- 5.2 The Scholarship will be award in accordance with the following Scheme:-
- (i) Not more and not less than six of those subjects accepted by the National University of Ireland for Matriculation registration will be taken into account.
- (ii) Scores will be determined by applying values as follows: H1=100, H2=88, H3=77, H4=66, H5=56, H6=46, H7=37, H8=0 to results obtained on higher level papers respectively; and scores of O1=56, O2=46, O3=37, O4=28, O5=20, O6=12, O7=0, O8=0 to results obtained on ordinary level papers. **No bonus points will be added for any subjects.**