3.4 Financial Assistance and Awards

Students who are offered a place in our School will be offered a scholarship, either through

- NGS Scholarship (NGSS)
- A*STAR Graduate Scholarship (AGS)

The following are the terms of the respective Scholarships:

**For NGSS:**

- All university fees, except one-time registration fee charged upon enrolment
- Monthly stipend, up to 4 years of PhD OR up to date of graduation, whichever is earlier, of
- S$3,500 for Singapore Citizens, plus Central Provident Fund (CPF) contributions at a rate pegged to the prevailing employer’s contribution rate set by CPF
- S$3,200 for Singapore Permanent Residents
- S$3,000 for International students
- Allowances for computer, books and conferences
- Once awarded the NGSS, students are not eligible for the President’s Graduate Fellowship (PGF).
- Student must commit to PhD from the outset, cannot exit with MSc

Successful candidates will be given support for up to four years of academic pursuit, leading to a PhD. Award is renewable on an annual basis, subject to good progress.

Please refer to [http://ngs.nus.edu.sg/NGSS.html](http://ngs.nus.edu.sg/NGSS.html) for the most updated information.

**For AGS:**

- Monthly stipend up to 4 years of PhD studies, or up to date of graduation, whichever is earlier
- Payment of full tuition fees or up to date of graduation, whichever is earlier
- Allowances for computer, thesis, books and conference
- Opportunities for overseas attachment

Successful candidates will be given support for up to four years of academic pursuit, leading to a PhD. Award is renewable on an annual basis, subject to good progress.

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