



First Home Buyers' Guide
Programs & Grants 2021



# ABOUT

The 'PRD First Home Buyers' Guide' is designed to help you quickly understand what is on offer to first home buyers around Australia.

With so many programs and grants available at the various State and Federal Government levels, it can be difficult to know where to turn to learn what is relevant to your personal situation. This guide helps you do just that.

A combined understanding of all the applicable programs and grants will help you maximise the benefits you can access as a first home buyer, and get you into the property market sooner.

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# NATIONAL

# FIRST HOME LOAN DEPOSIT SCHEME

### OVERVIEW

The FHLDS enables first home buyers to purchase a home with a minimum **5% deposit** while **paying no LMI** (Lenders Mortgage Insurance) with participating lenders. The scheme will support 11,800 buyers from 1 July 2020 to **30 June 2021**. An **additional 10,000** places are also available over this period **for newly built\*** properties. Price thresholds on property values apply as per the table below.

### WITHDRAWAL THRESHOLDS

|  | State/Territory | Capital C<br>Regional |        | Rest of S | tate   |
|--|-----------------|-----------------------|--------|-----------|--------|
|  | NSW             | Existing              | \$700K | Existing  | \$450K |
|  | NSVV            | New                   | \$950K | New       | \$600K |
|  | VIC             | Existing              | \$600K | Existing  | \$375K |
|  | VIC             | New                   | \$850K | New       | \$550K |
|  |                 | Existing              | \$475K | Existing  | \$400K |
|  | QLD             | New                   | \$650K | New       | \$500K |
|  | WA              | Existing              | \$400K | Existing  | \$300K |
|  | VVA             | New                   | \$550K | New       | \$400K |
|  | SA              | Existing              | \$450K | Existing  | \$250K |
|  |                 | New                   | \$500K | New       | \$400K |
|  | TAS             | Existing              | \$400K | Existing  | \$300K |
|  | TAS             | New                   | \$550K | New       | \$400K |
|  | ACT             | Existing              | \$500K | Existing  | \$500K |
|  |                 | New                   | \$600K | New       | \$600K |
|  | NT              | Existing              | \$375K | Existing  | \$375K |
|  |                 | New                   | \$550K | New       | \$550K |
|  |                 |                       |        |           |        |



# WHAT IS A REGIONAL CENTRE?

- Regional centres have populations over 250,000
- Include Newcastle & Lake Macquarie, Illawarra, Geelong, Gold Coast, and Sunshine Coast

# ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

All residential property, including:

- New house and land construction
- New off-the-plan purchases
- Established houses, townhouses, units/apartments
- Vacant land with intention to build a home

# APPLICANT ELGIBILITY

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years
- Income below \$125K in FY18/19 if single, or below \$200K if a couple
- Must be an Australian citizen
- Must not have previously held an interest in Australian property
- Couples must be married or in a de facto relationship

MORE INFO: PRD.com.au/first-home

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# NATIONAL



# HOMEBUILDER

### OVERVIEW

HomeBuilder is a **\$15,000 grant** available to home buyers of new builds or substantial renovations of existing residential properties purchased from **1 January 2021** to **31 March 2021**. Price thresholds on property values apply as per the table below.

### PRICE THRESHOLDS

| Туре             | Limit  |
|------------------|--|
| New construction | Up to \$750K<br>Up to \$850K (VIC)<br>Up to \$950K (NSW) |
| Renovation       | \$150K to \$750K, and valued below \$1.5M                |

MORE INFO: PRD.com.au/first-home

# ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

Newly built\* residential property, including:

- House and land construction
- Off-the-plan purchases

Substantial renovations on residential property

# APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years
- Income below \$125K in FY18/19 or FY19/20 if single, or below \$200K if a couple
- Must be an Australian citizen
- Work must be completed a licensed builder service contractor (owner builders ineligible)
- Construction commencing from within 6 months of contract date

# FIRST HOME SUPER SAVER SCHEME (FHSS)

### OVERVIEW

The FHSS Scheme is a tax-effective method which allows the release of **voluntary superannuation contributions** plus any associated earnings from **1 July 2018** onwards, using voluntary contributions made from **1 July 2017** onwards. Thresholds on withdrawals are as per the table below.

# WITHDRAWAL THRESHOLDS

| Period                  | Limit               |
|-------------------------|---------------------|
| One Financial Year      | \$15K plus earnings |
| All years (total limit) | \$30K plus earnings |
|                         |                     |

### MORE INFO: PRD.com.au/first-home

#### ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

All residential property, including:

- New house and land construction
- New off-the-plan purchases
- Established houses, townhouses, units/apartments
- Vacant land with intention to build a home

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years
- Must not have previously held an interest in Australian property (exemption for financial hardship)
- Must not have previously requested the release of funds under the scheme
- Must intend to move into and live in the property as soon as practicable
- Must intend to live in the property for 6 months+ in the first year owned



# QUEENSLAND



# OVERVIEW

The FHOG is a **\$15,000 grant** made available solely to first home buyers for new\* residential properties purchased from **1 July 2018** onwards. Price thresholds on property values apply as per the table below.

#### PRICE THRESHOLDS



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# ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

Newly built\* residential property, including:

- House and land construction
- Off-the-plan purchases
- Substantially renovated established properties

### APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously held an interest in Australian property
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously received funds under any first home buyer scheme
- At least one of buyer and partner must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident
- Must move in within 12 months of purchase and remain for 6 continuous months

# FIRST HOME CONCESSION (FHC)

#### OVERVIEW

The FHC is a **duty exemption/concession** made available to first home buyers of residential properties. Ineligible buyers can also apply for the Home Concession on transfer duty. Price thresholds on property values apply as per the table below.

### PRICE THRESHOLDS

| Туре                 | Exemption     | Concession                |
|----------------------|---------------|---------------------------|
| FHC                  | Below \$500K  | Below \$550K              |
| FHC<br>(Vacant Land) | Below \$250K  | Below \$400K              |
| Home<br>Concession   | Not available | \$350K off dutiable value |

#### MORE INFO: PRD.com.au/first-home

#### ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

All residential property, including:

- New house and land construction
- New off-the-plan purchases
- Established houses, townhouses, units/apartments
- Vacant land with intention to build a home

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously held an interest in Australian or overseas property
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously received funds under the scheme
- Must move in within 1 year of settlement and live there on a daily basis (or 2 years for land)
- Not dispose of (including lease or sell) all or part of the property before moving in



# QUEENSLAND

# QUEENSLAND HOUSING FINANCE LOAN (QHFL)

# OVERVIEW

The QHFL is a **low-deposit**, **government-issued loan** made available to home buyers who can afford to purchase a home but cannot obtain private finance approval. Repayments are established based on applicant's personal financial situations.

# LOAN FEATURES

- Only 2% deposit needed
- No mortgage insurance fees (i.e. LMI-free)
- Variable or fixed interest rates
- · Monthly repayments
- No monthly account-keeping fees
- Initial repayments are from 30% to 35% of initial determined income
- Reimbursement of up to \$100 for seeking independent financial advice on loan approval

# ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

All residential property, including:

- New house and land construction
- New off-the-plan purchases
- · Established houses, townhouses, units/apartments
- · Vacant land with intention to build a home

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years
- Must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident and live in Queensland
- Must intend to live in the home
- Not currently hold any interest in Australian property
- Household income under \$141,000 per annum
- No significant debts, good credit history
- Have savings to cover initial costs
- · Be able to afford repayments without hardship







# **NEW SOUTH WALES**

# FIRST HOME OWNER GRANT (FHOG)

### OVERVIEW

The FHOG is a **\$10,000 grant** made available solely to first home buyers for new\* residential properties purchased from **1 July 2017** onwards. Price thresholds on property values apply as per the table below.

#### PRICE THRESHOLDS

| Туре             | Limit        |
|------------------|--------------|
| New homes        | Up to \$600K |
| New homes & land | Up to \$750K |

MORE INFO: PRD.com.au/first-home

# ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

Newly built\* residential property, including:

- House and land construction
- Off-the-plan purchases
- Substantially renovated established properties

# APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously held an interest in Australian property
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously received funds under any first home buyer scheme
- At least one of buyer and partner must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident
- Must move in within 12 months of purchase and remain for 6 continuous months

# FIRST HOME BUYER ASSISTANCE SCHEME (FHBAS)

#### OVERVIEW

The FHBAS is a **duty exemption/concession** made available exclusively to first home buyers of residential properties purchased from **1 August 2020** to **31 July 2021**. Price thresholds on property values apply as per the table below.

### PRICE THRESHOLDS

| Туре           | Exemption    | Concession    |
|----------------|--------------|---------------|
| New homes      | Below \$800K | \$800K-\$1M   |
| Existing homes | Below \$650K | \$650K-\$800K |
| Vacant land    | Below \$400K | \$400K-\$500K |

#### MORE INFO: PRD.com.au/first-home

#### ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

All residential property, including:

- New house and land packages
- New off-the-plan purchases
- Established houses, townhouses, units/apartments
- Vacant land with intention to build a home

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously held an interest in Australian property
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously received funds under the scheme
- At least one of buyer and partner must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident
- Must move in within 12 months of purchase and remain for 6 continuous months



# VICTORIA



# FIRST HOME OWNER GRANT (FHOG)

# OVERVIEW

The FHOG is a **\$10,000 grant** made available solely to first home buyers for new\* residential properties purchased from **1 July 2013** onwards, or a **\$20,000** grant for purchases in regional Victoria from **1 July 2017** to **30 June 2021**. Price thresholds on property values apply as per the table below.

# PRICE THRESHOLDS



MORE INFO: PRD.com.au/first-home

# ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

New\* residential property, including:

- House and land construction
- Off-the-plan purchases
- · Existing premises sold as residential for the first time

# APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years at settlement
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously held an interest in Australian property prior to 1 July 2000, or lived in a home owned after 1 July 2000 for less than 6 continuous months
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously received funds under any first home buyer scheme
- At least one of buyer and partner must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident
- Must move in within 12 months of purchase and remain for 12 continuous months

# FIRST HOME BUYER DUTY EXEMPTION/CONCESSION

# OVERVIEW

The **FHB duty exemption/concession** is made available to first home buyers of residential properties purchased from **1 July 2017** onwards. Price thresholds on dutiable values apply as per the table below.

# PRICE THRESHOLDS

| Туре      | Exemption    | Concession   |
|-----------|--------------|--------------|
| All homes | Below \$600K | Below \$750K |

# MORE INFO: PRD.com.au/first-home

# ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

All residential property, including:

- New house and land packages
- New off-the-plan purchases
- Established houses, townhouses, units/apartments
- Vacant land with intention to build a home

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years at settlement
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously held an interest in Australian property prior to 1 July 2000, or lived in a home owned after 1 July 2000 for less than 6 continuous months
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously received funds under any first home buyer scheme
- At least one of buyer and partner must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident
- Must move in within 12 months of purchase and remain for 12 continuous months



# AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY



### OVERVIEW

The Home Buyer Concession Scheme is a **duty exemption** made available to home buyers of residential properties purchased from **1 July 2019** onwards. There is no property price threshold. Income thresholds apply as per the table below.

### **INCOME THRESHOLDS**

| Dependents | Income    |
|------------|-----------|
| 0          | \$160,000 |
| 1          | \$163,330 |
| 2          | \$166,660 |
| 3          | \$169,990 |
| 4          | \$173,320 |
| 5 or more  | \$176,650 |

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### ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

All residential property, including:

- New house and land packages
- New off-the-plan purchases
- Established houses, townhouses, units/apartments
- Vacant land with intention to build a home

### APPLICANT ELGIBILITY

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously held an interest in Australian property in the past 2 years
- Buyer's and partner's combined gross income must remain below the thresholds set out in the table (irrespective of whether or not the partner will hold any interest in the property)
- Must move in within 12 months of purchase and remain for 12 continuous months



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# TASMANIA



# FIRST HOME OWNER GRANT (FHOG)

# OVERVIEW

The FHOG is a **\$20,000 grant** made available solely to first home buyers for new\* residential properties purchased from **1 July 2016** to **30 June 2022**. No price thresholds are applicable to the grant.

# **BUILDING REQUIREMENTS**

Between the specified dates, applicants must either:

- Enter into a contract to buy an off-the-plan dwelling;
- Enter into a comprehensive building contract to build a new home; or
- Commence laying foundations (if an owner-builder);

Construction must be completed within 24 months of:

- · Entering into contract to build
- Or laying the foundations (if an owner-builder)
- For moveable buildings, an owner-builder scenario is applied, where the commencement date is the date of contract to purchase the building is entered.

MORE INFO: PRD.com.au/first-home

# ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

New\* residential property, including:

- House and land construction
- Off-the-plan purchases
- Owner-builder construction

# APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously held an interest in Australian property prior to 1 July 2000, or lived in a home owned after 1 July 2000 for more than 6 months
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously received funds under any first home buyer scheme
- At least one of buyer and partner must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident
- Must move in within 12 months of purchase and remain for 6 continuous months

# FIRST HOME BUYER DUTY CONCESSION

### OVERVIEW

The First Home Buyer Duty Concession is a **50% duty discount** for first home buyers of established homes from **7 February 2018** to **30 June 2022**. The price threshold for property value is set out in the table below.

### PRICE THRESHOLDS



# ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

Established residential property, including:

• Established houses, townhouses, units/apartments

# APPLICANT ELGIBILITY

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously received funds under this or any FHOG scheme
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously held an interest in Australian property
- At least one of buyer and partner must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident
- Must move in within 12 months of purchase and remain for 6 continuous months

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# SOUTH AUSTRALIA



# FIRST HOME OWNER GRANT (FHOG)

# OVERVIEW

The FHOG is a **\$15,000 grant** made available to first home buyers for new<sup>\*</sup> residential properties purchased from **15 October 2012** onwards. Price thresholds on property values apply as per the table below.

### PRICE THRESHOLDS



MORE INFO: PRD.com.au/first-home

# HOMESTART FINANCE

### OVERVIEW

**HomeStart Finance** is a government organisation which affords buyers **low upfront cost loans**, with options for as little as a **3% deposit** available. These loans are provided as an ongoing service to South Australian residents.

### LOANS AVAILABLE

| Loan Type   | Deposits                         | Description                      |
|-------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Graduate    | From 3% to buy or 6% to build    | For Cert III or higher graduates |
| Low Deposit | From 3%                          | For existing homes only          |
| HomeStart   | From 5% to buy<br>or 8% to build | Buy or build                     |



# ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

Newly built\* residential property, including:

- House and land construction
- Off-the-plan purchases

# APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years at settlement
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously held an interest in Australian property prior to 1 July 2000, or lived in a home owned after 1 July 2000 for more than 6 continuous months
- At least one of buyer and partner must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident
- Must move in within 12 months of purchase and remain for 6 continuous months

### ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

All residential property, including:

- New house and land packages
- New off-the-plan purchases
- Established houses, townhouses, units/apartments
- Vacant land with intention to build a home

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years
- Must be an Australian citizen or hold Permanent Residency or skilled migrant status in Australia
- Must have a clear credit history
- Rent and/or savings needs to be the same or more than the proposed loan repayment amount
- 3+ months of continuous employment (for Graduate)
- No unpaid defaults, court judgements or bankruptcy history (for HomeStart)



# WESTERN AUSTRALIA

# FIRST HOME OWNER GRANT (FHOG)

# OVERVIEW

The FHOG is a **\$10,000 grant** made available to first home buyers for new\* residential properties purchased from **3 October 2015** onwards. Price thresholds on property values apply as per the table below.

#### PRICE THRESHOLDS

| Position from 26th parallel of south latitude | Limit        |
|---|--------------|
| South   | Up to \$750K |
| North   | Up to \$1M   |

MORE INFO: PRD.com.au/first-home

# ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

Newly built\* residential property, including:

- House and land construction
- Off-the-plan purchases

### APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years at settlement
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously held an interest in Australian property prior to 1 July 2000, or lived in a home owned after 1 July 2000 for more than 6 continuous months after 1 July 2004
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously received funds under any first home buyer scheme
- At least one of buyer and partner must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident
- Must move in within 12 months of purchase and remain for 6 continuous months

# FIRST HOME OWNER RATE OF DUTY (FHOR)

#### OVERVIEW

The **FHOR** is a **duty exemption/concession** made available to first home buyers of residential properties purchased from **3 July 2014** onwards. Price thresholds on property values apply as per the table below.

### PRICE THRESHOLDS

| Туре        | Exemption    | Concession   |
|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| All homes   | Below \$430K | Below \$530K |
| Vacant land | Below \$300K | Below \$400K |

### ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

All residential property, including:

- New house and land packages
- New off-the-plan purchases
- Established houses, townhouses, units/apartments
- Vacant land with intention to build a home

# APPLICANT ELGIBILITY

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years at settlement
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously held an interest in Australian property prior to 1 July 2000, or lived in a home owned after 1 July 2000 for more than 6 continuous months after 1 July 2004
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously received funds under any first home buyer scheme
- At least one of buyer and partner must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident
- Must move in within 12 months of purchase and remain for 6 continuous months

### MORE INFO: PRD.com.au/first-home

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# WESTERN AUSTRALIA

# KEYSTART

# OVERVIEW

**Keystart** is a government-initiated organisation which affords buyers **low upfront cost loans**, with options for as little as a **2% deposit** available. These loans are provided as an ongoing service to Western Australian residents.

### LOAN FEATURES

- As little as 2% deposit required
- No mortgage insurance fees (i.e. LMI-free)
- No monthly account-keeping fees
- Variable interest rates
- Weekly, fortnightly, or monthly repayments
- Various loan types including shared ownership loans (co-ownership with Housing Authority)
- Low Deposit Home Loan may be well-suited to first home buyers looking to enter the market

# ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

All residential property, including:

- New house and land construction
- New off-the-plan purchases
- Established houses, townhouses, units/apartments
- · Vacant land with intention to build a home

### APPLICANT ELGIBILITY

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years
- Must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident and live in Western Australia
- Must intend to live in the home
- Not currently hold any interest in Australian property
- Personal, couple, and family income thresholds vary for different loan types across different locations
- Varying conditions on employment and savings history depending on the type of loan applied for

### MORE INFO: PRD.com.au/first-home





# NORTHERN TERRITORY

# FIRST HOME OWNER GRANT (FHOG)

# OVERVIEW

The FHOG is a **\$10,000 grant** made available to first home buyers for new\* residential properties purchased from **7 May 2019** onwards. There is **no price threshold** on property value or income applied to this grant.

#### ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

Newly built\* residential property, including:

- House and land construction
- · Off-the-plan purchases

MORE INFO: PRD.com.au/first-home

### APPLICANT ELIGIBILITY

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years at settlement
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously held an interest in Australian property
- Buyer (and partner) must not have previously received funds under any first home buyer scheme
- At least one of buyer and partner must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident
- Must move in within 12 months of purchase and remain for 6 continuous months

# TERRITORY HOME OWNER DISCOUNT (THOD)

#### **OVERVIEW**

The THOD is a **stamp duty exemption/concession** made available to home buyers of residential properties purchased from **8 February 2019** onwards. Price thresholds on property values apply as per the table below.

#### PRICE THRESHOLDS



#### MORE INFO: PRD.com.au/first-home

#### ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

All residential property, including:

- New house and land packages
- New off-the-plan purchases
- · Established houses, townhouses, units/apartments
- Vacant land with intention to build a home

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years at settlement
- Buyer (and partner) must not be entitled to any other grant or rebate payable by the WA Commissioner (except FHOG) relating to the purchase of the home
- Buyer (and partner) must not have held an interest in property in WA in the past 2 years (some exceptions)
- At least one of buyer and partner must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident
- Must move in within 12 months of purchase and remain for 6 continuous months



# NORTHERN TERRITORY

# HOME BUYER INITIATIVE

#### OVERVIEW

The HBI is a **government imitative** to support **low to middle income earners** build or buy new\* property.

### **INCOME LIMITS**

| Household size | Maximum gross income |
|----------------|----------------------|
| 1              | \$80,000             |
| 2              | \$97,500             |
| 3              | \$105,000            |
| 4              | \$112,500            |
| 5              | \$120,000            |
| 6 or more      | \$127,500            |

MORE INFO: PRD.com.au/first-home

# HOMEBUILD ACCESS

#### OVERVIEW

HomeBuild Access is government package which affords buyers **low upfront cost loan options for new\* homes,** with options for as little as a **2.5% deposit** available. Price thresholds on property values apply as per the table below.

#### PRICE THRESHOLDS

| Туре           | Limit  |
|----------------|--------|
| 1 - 2 Bedrooms | \$475K |
| 3+ Bedrooms    | \$550K |

### MORE INFO: PRD.com.au/first-home

### HOW IT WORKS

- Applicants must have financial pre-approval
- WA Government releases eligible properties

#### APPLICANT ELGIBILITY

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years
- Buyer must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident
- Must have a satisfactory pre-approval finance letter
- Not exceed maximum income limits
- Not currently own residential property or be a party contracted to purchase another property

### ELIGIBLE PROPERTY TYPES

New\* residential property, including:

- New house and land construction
- New off-the-plan purchases

### APPLICANT ELGIBILITY

- Must be an individual (not a trust or company)
- Must be aged 18+ years
- Buyer (or partner) must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident
- Must live in the home for at least 3 years once built
- Have a single fixed priced building contract with a NT-licensed builder if constructing a house
- Not currently have a HomeBuild Access loan
- Varying conditions (i.e. income limits, asset tests, etc) depending on the type of loan applied for

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