

## Merv Davis Bursary

*Bursary Available: Tricities, Ridge Meadows*



The Merv Davis Bursary was established for foster children who have reached the age of 19 years and wish to continue with their education. The following criteria were established as to what requirement should be met in order to make application.

### **WHO CAN APPLY**

Any child in care of the Ministry of Children and Family Development, residing in Coquitlam, Maple Ridge, Port Coquitlam, Port Moody or Pitt Meadows, and reaching the age of 19 years, who show an interest in extending his/her education, whether to finish high school, attend business or vocational school, college or university, and where other funds available are inadequate, is eligible to apply. The highest marks, although considered, will not be the only determining factor in the allocation of the bursary.

### **AMOUNT OF BURSARY**

The amount of the bursary is commensurate with yearly interest accrued or \$500, whichever is greater.

### **WHEN TO APPLY**

Applications will be accepted in the month of **MAY** of each year. Limited to the awarding of 1 bursary annually.

### **HOW TO APPLY**

The applicant will complete the "Application for Bursary" outlining their educational plans and where they have been or hope to be attending school, and mail it to:

*BC Federation of Foster Parent Associations  
3<sup>rd</sup> Floor - 131 Eighth Street  
New Westminster, BC V3M 3P6*

References from their social worker, foster parent and a teacher from their school must be included.

A "Letter of Confirmation" from the educational institute where they have been accepted, should be included at the time of application, however it may be sent separately if it is not available at the time of application. Copy of a high school transcripts (if applicable) should be included with the application.

### **BURSARY ADMINISTERED BY:**

### **BC FEDERATION OF FOSTER PARENT ASSOCIATIONS EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

### **BC Federation of Foster Parent Associations**

3<sup>rd</sup> Floor – 131 Eighth Street, New Westminster, BC V3M 3P6  
1-800-663-9999 ● [www.bcfosterparents.ca](http://www.bcfosterparents.ca) ● [office@bcfosterparents.ca](mailto:office@bcfosterparents.ca)

## Application for Merv Davis Bursary

DATE OF APPLICATION: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF APPLICANT: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS & CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ P/C \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ BIRTHDATE: \_\_\_\_\_

1. OUTLINE YOUR EDUCATION PLANS \_\_\_\_\_

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2. WHERE HAVE YOU APPLIED TO ATTEND SCHOOL NEXT YEAR ? \_\_\_\_\_

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3. ARE YOU CURRENTLY LIVING AT HOME ? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

IF YES, ARE YOU LIVING WITH YOUR BIRTH  
OR YOUR FOSTER FAMILY? \_\_\_\_\_

4. WHAT YEAR DID YOU ENTER THE CARE OF THE MINISTRY? \_\_\_\_\_

5. HAVE YOU APPLIED FOR OTHER BURSARIES OR GRANTS ? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

WHERE ? \_\_\_\_\_

7. WRITE A STATEMENT OF YOUR FINANCIAL NEED. \_\_\_\_\_

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Please remember to include all necessary supplementary information with your application.

