

General Scholarship Fund

Bursary Available: province wide



BCFFPA occasionally receives funds from donors that they request to be put toward scholarships for children and youth who were formerly in care. The Board of Directors has outlined a General Scholarship Fund into which we place donations from these generous donors. Unless directed to do otherwise, scholarships will be distributed under the name of the donor(s) until the funds are expended.

WHO CAN APPLY

Former foster children residing in BC, aged 19 or over, who show an interest in continuing their education. This applies to high school completion, business, vocation or technical school, college or university. High marks, though considered, will not be the only determining factor in awarding this bursary.

AMOUNT OF BURSARY

One annual bursary of \$500 will be distributed.

WHEN TO APPLY

Applications will be accepted in MAY of each year. Recipients are 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
208 - 20641 Logan Avenue
Langley, BC V3A 7R3*

Two references are necessary: One from a current or former teacher and one from a social worker, parent, or family friend.

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.

BURSARY ADMINISTERED BY:

BC FEDERATION OF FOSTER PARENT ASSOCIATIONS

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

BC Federation of Foster Parent Associations

208 - 20641 Logan Avenue, Langley BC V3A 7R3

1-800-663-9999 ● www.bcfosterparents.ca ● office@bcfosterparents.ca

Application for General Scholarship Fund

DATE OF APPLICATION: _____

NAME OF APPLICANT: _____

ADDRESS & CITY: _____ P/C _____

TELEPHONE: _____ BIRTHDATE: _____

1. OUTLINE YOUR EDUCATION PLANS _____

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

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. _____

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

