

ADSS 2025

Scholarships & Bursaries

Class of 2025!

Application Deadline: Thursday April 3rd by 3:30pm

Return the completed application packages to the Career Centre ***No late forms will be accepted.

****Please note at the time of the printing of this booklet, these are the anticipated Scholarship & Bursary Awards for 2025. However, sometimes due to circumstances beyond our control, donors may have to withdraw or amend the amount of their award as it is currently listed in this booklet.**

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IMPORTANT DATES

Completed application forms due in the Career Centre	Thursday April 3 rd
Scholarship/Bursary Awards Presentation Event	June 11, 2025

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

PLEASE NOTE:

Applicants are urged to submit **NEAT** and **CAREFULLY COMPLETED** application forms. It is preferred that you download the application form from the ADSS Website and type it out.

The deadline to submit completed applications to the Career Centre is April 3rd, 2025, at 3:30pm

Each package should include (IN THIS ORDER):

- A PERSONAL LETTER
- COPY OF UNOFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT (MyEd version from Mrs. Wagar in Advising Centre)
- SEMESTER 2 MARKS COLLECTION FORM
- RESUME
- REFERENCE LETTER(S)

Please note that for 99% of these Scholarships or Bursaries, **you must be starting a post-Secondary program or taking post-Secondary courses in the year following your graduation.** Many groups **will NOT** hold the award for you if you decide to take a gap year. Please consider this before you apply.

If you receive an award, please be sure to write a thank you letter promptly – before the end of the summer. Most of these organizations & donors consist of volunteer members who put in a lot of time and effort to generate the funds that provide these Scholarships & Bursaries. Contact information will be given to you when you receive your Award Certificate.

HELPFUL TIPS

1. What do I do first?

Read the List of Scholarships and Bursaries and select those for which you are qualified. **NOTE: You must state how or why you are qualified in the FIRST paragraph on page 1 of the Scholarship Application. Please thoughtfully answer this one – donors pay attention to how you answer it! DO NOT JUST ANSWER WITH “I qualify because I am going to post-secondary and am in need of financial support” – THIS IS NOT A GOOD ANSWER.**

2. Does the Scholarship Require a Specific Application?

Some do, those Scholarships or Bursaries will be marked with an **S**. These separate applications are posted in the Grad Section of our ADSS Website (Grad – Scholarships & Bursaries). Your application for that Scholarship or Bursary will not be considered if this is not included in your package.

3. What do I need to send with my application form? STAPLE YOUR APPLICATION IN THE ORDER BELOW

Complete the application forms and attach to each application a copy of:

- **PARAGRAPH OR ESSAY**
 - *(Only if specifically requested)*
- **PERSONAL LETTER**
 - *(A sample of the personal letter is available in the Career Centre and posted on our school website. Also, please be sure to sign your letter)*
- **YOUR UNOFFICIAL TRANSCRIPT**
 - *(Obtain from ADVISING CENTER. – use the MyEd version NOT the one you can download from the Ministry of Education. The Ministry of Education one lists “Reasons for Non-Graduation, and while you know these are courses that you are working on completing prior to Grad, many donor groups are confused by that list of courses and may think that you are not actually going to Graduate this year)*
- **MARKS COLLECTION FORM**
 - *(For Semester 2 courses you are currently taking, signed by your teachers)*
- **RESUME**
- **REFERENCE LETTER(S)**
 - *(If you have any that you would like to share)*

*****Please use regular 8.5 x 11 paper for your packages – no legal sized paper.**

4. Should I hand-print or type my applications?

Most donors prefer that your application form is typed as printed ones are often hard to read. The application form is on our school website as a fillable form that can be easily typed into.

5. Are my documents in the correct order?

Put the completed application form at the front and staple everything together.

Do not put in an envelope or duo tang. Staple your package in this order – see #3 above.

REMEMBER: “Scholarships” are not restricted to the “A” students...a good C+ average will be considered. Also, most awards are given to students proceeding to **ANY** post-secondary institution, which includes University, College, BCIT, or Vocational Institutions. Also, a considerable amount of money is available in the form of bursaries that depend more on financial need or volunteer work & community involvement, rather than on high marks. Some of the scholarships have specific criteria. For example:

your field of study or the courses you are currently in	the organization your parents belong to
the organization you belong to	your financial need

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR WHICH YOU MUST BE ENROLLED IN 4 ACADEMIC COURSES

CAROLYN LEE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to a student going to a university starting within eight months of graduation. Based on marks, future plans and financial need. Must have a “B” average.

ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION, Alberni Valley Branch #293 MEMORIAL Scholarships

Awarded to a son/daughter or grandson/granddaughter of a Military Service Veteran or a member of Legion Branch Alberni Valley 293 in good standing who is proceeding to a post-secondary institution. This applicant must be enrolled in a post-secondary institution and attending in the Fall of 2025 or Spring of 2026 to be eligible for the award. The award is presented upon receipt of enrollment to the post-secondary institution and is received by the Scholarship/Bursary Committee of the Alberni Valley Branch 293. **EALC eligible.**

SCHOLARSHIPS AND BURSARIES WITH SPECIFIC CRITERIA - Do you qualify? Check criteria carefully!

ALBERNI DISTRICT COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIPS *(In Memory of Mr. Harold E. Turner)*

These 4 Awards are open to members and members’ children, grandchildren, or guardian. Applicants must give the qualifying member’s name and member’s CO-OP number on the application under “Qualification for scholarship, be specific”. Must be registered at ADSS in grade 12, or student of EALC, planning to attend any post-secondary institution starting within fifteen months of graduation. Academic achievement, school and community involvement and need will be considered. **Write a brief essay of at least 100 words on “What is the Alberni District Cooperative Association”? How is it important to you, your family and members of the community? (You must complete the essay to be considered.)** All applicants will receive a \$10 gift card for any Alberni District CO-OP location. **EALC Eligible.**

ALBERNI DISTRICT TEACHERS’ UNION BURSARIES

Awarded to graduating students who are planning to pursue post-secondary education during the academic year following high school graduation. This award will be made on the basis of financial need, but marks, school, and community involvement, will also be considered. Preference will be given to dependents of current or retired ADTU members.

ALBERNI DISTRICT TEACHERS’ UNION SCHOLARSHIPS

Awarded to graduating students who are planning to pursue post-secondary education during the academic year following high school graduation. Preference given to dependents of current or retired ADTU members. Selection criteria include academic performance and financial need; school involvement and community engagement will also be considered.

ALBERNI VALLEY CATHOLIC WOMEN’S LEAGUE – HOLY FAMILY/NOTRE DAME CHURCH BURSARY

Awarded to a student (boy or girl) who, immediately following graduation, is enrolled in full-time studies at any post-secondary institution. Must be a CWL member, be related to a CWL member, or a parishioner at Holy Family/Notre Dame Catholic Church. Church involvement, scholastic achievement & financial need will be considered. **EALC Eligible.**

ALBERNI VALLEY PRIDE BURSARY

Awarded to a student (or students) who will be attending any post-secondary institution within 24 months of graduation. Preference will be given to a student who demonstrates leadership in supporting inclusion, participates in school SAFE Club and or Alberni Valley Pride Society board and events. Submitted with the application should be an example using any form of multimedia (text, audio, images, art, and video, etc.) demonstrating the importance of diversity and inclusion within our community. Students must provide proof of registration in the form of a receipt from a University, College, Technical, Vocational, or accredited Arts Program. **EALC eligible.**

CANADIAN MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION PORT ALBERNI BURSARY- IN RECOGNITION OF MUTUAL RESPECT AND RECONCILIATION BETWEEN FIRST NATIONS AND OTHER CULTURES

This bursary is awarded to one First Nations student and one non-First Nations student based on demonstrated actions of respect towards reconciliation with any First Nation in Canada. Available to any student graduating from any SD70 high school, or equivalent at any time throughout the school year. Applicants must submit an essay of 250 – 1000 words describing what activity they engaged in, and how it was effective in showing and furthering reconciliation. The activity described must be verified by a letter of support from a program or community leader who has knowledge of the activities described. The recipient must commence post-secondary studies within 18 months of the award at which time the bursary funds will be forwarded to the recipient. *Evaluation and granting of the award will be completed on a subjective basis and will be entirely within the purview and discretion of the award grantor. If no suitable applicant is chosen the award will be added to the following year's available bursary. **EALC Eligible.**

CHERRY CREEK COMMUNITY RECREATION COMMISSION BURSARY

Students must be registered with a post-secondary institution within 18 months of graduation. The applicant should be able to show proof of living in the Cherry Creek Community. Community involvement, financial need and grades may be taken into consideration. Proof of registration is required prior to the release of funds. To apply a student must provide a written one-page description of what community means to them and a plan for their future goals. **EALC eligible.**

CUPE LOCAL #118 BURSARY (CITY OF PA & PARKS & REC. EMPLOYEES)

Must be a dependent of, or a member of, Local 118, proceeding to any post-secondary institution starting within 15 months of graduation. Financial need and marks will be considered. **EALC eligible.**

CUPE LOCAL #118 (CITY OF PA & PARKS & REC. EMPLOYEES) "IN MEMORY OF MONA COLCLOUGH"

The student must be a dependent, or a member of Local #118. Proceeding to any post-secondary institution. Starting within 15 months of graduation. Financial need. Marks will be considered. Volunteering is an asset. **EALC eligible.**

CUPE LOCAL #3403 (COMMUNITY SOCIAL SERVICE & MENTAL HEALTH)

Awarded to a student continuing their education within 18 months of graduation. Applicants will be considered with future plans to pursue a career in the social and human service worker field. All applicants will be considered, with preference being given to CUPE 3403 members and their dependents. Financial need and future plans will also be considered, and proof of enrolment will be required to claim the funds. **Applicants are required to include a short essay on why they are choosing this field and what career they see themselves working in.** **EALC Eligible**

CUPE LOCAL #727 BURSARIES (SD70 EMPLOYEES)

Must be a student of a current CUPE Local 727 member in good standing, proceeding to any post-secondary institute within 18 months of graduation. Financial need, community/school service and marks will be considered.

DR. S. F. CHAN FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP FOR NEW CANADIANS OR STUDENTS OF IMMIGRANT PARENTS

The Chan Family has lived the immigrant experience and know the first years can be hard. A Scholarship will be awarded to a student who has lived this experience, with a good record of scholastic achievement and involvement in school and/or community activities. Preference may be given to student(s) who were not born in Canada but have since immigrated with their family and may have shown perseverance in the face of adversity. **The applicants should include a short paragraph describing either their family's immigrant experience, or their assessment of what Canada does right or wrong in helping Immigrants.** The recipient will be entering post-secondary education within eight months of graduation. Proof of enrolment will be required to claim the funds.

DR. S. F. CHAN FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP RECOGNIZING STUDENT IMPROVEMENT

We are not all born students. Encouragement is important for those who improve enough to graduate and wish to further their education. Applicants should demonstrate their ability by including a short description of the effects of climate change on Port Alberni and Canada. The recipient will be entering post-secondary education within eight months of graduation. Proof of enrollment will be required to claim the funds.

DOMTAR PORT ALBERNI (FORMERLY CATALYST PAPER EXCELLENCE)

S SEE ADSS WEBSITE – GRADUATION 2025 TAB – Scholarship and Bursary page for information and separate application.

EDNA COX SOCIAL JUSTICE BURSARY

Awarded to a student with a demonstrated interest in community development and local food security. The student is enrolled in the Social Justice class and/or works in the school garden or other community garden where they put forth maximum effort. He/she could be receiving credits for volunteer work with the Alberni Valley Transition Towns Food Action group or with organizations concerned with the disadvantaged in the community. (Ex: The Bread of Life). This student would be attending a post-secondary institution within one year of graduation. **EALC eligible.**

E.J. HUGHES BURSARY

Awarded to a deserving student who is proceeding to a degree, diploma or certificate granting program at a post-secondary institution located outside of the Alberni Valley but within Canada or the USA. Recipients shall be residents of the City of Port Alberni or the traditional territories of the Hupacasath and Tseshah First Nations. Applicants are expected to research and learn about EJ Hughes. **Each applicant must include a brief statement highlighting something they have learned about him and why it is meaningful to them (approximately 100 words).** Students must be attending post-secondary education within 18 months of graduation.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS, ALBERNI VALLEY COUNCIL #3435 BURSARIES

Awarded to a student enrolled in a full-year program at any Canadian post-secondary institution. Awards are based on satisfactory academic achievement and financial need. Candidates must demonstrate an involvement with the Community. Preference could be given to family members of Council #3435, or other Knight of Columbus councils. The recipient must enroll within 14 months of graduation from high school. Bursary will be paid after proof of enrollment.

NORA MONCUR MEMORIAL BURSARY

This bursary will be awarded to an ADSS student who plans continued education within 18 months. Monies must be claimed within 18 months of award. Student must provide proof of registration in a University, College, Technical, Vocational, or accredited Arts program. Award is based on scholastic achievement and school and/or community involvement. Must have an average of C+ or better in student's five best subjects.

NORTH ISLAND COLLEGE FOUNDATION BURSARY – DR. ALLAN DUNCAN PRITCHARD LEGACY BURSARY

Through his historic legacy gift to students, Dr. Pritchard is encouraging the next generation of students to enrich their lives, careers, and well-being through education. A lifelong learner and educator, Dr. Pritchard was also an accomplished writer, historian, cited expert on architecture, world traveler and philanthropist, but most of all, he was a kind and modest man. Today, the Pritchard legacy fund bursaries will support any student enrolled in any program at NIC. This \$1,000 bursary will be awarded to a student who will be attending North Island College (NIC) between September 2025 and February 2026. The recipient will be enrolling in post-secondary level courses (not upgrading) and will have maintained a minimum C+ average in their Grade 12 year. The funds will be applied to tuition upon registration.

Applicants are required to submit a paragraph, describing why they have chosen their selected field of study.

PORT ALBERNI AND DISTRICT LABOUR COUNCIL “WALTER BEHN MEMORIAL BURSARY”

Awarded to a student at Alberni District Secondary School who will be registered in any post-secondary educational institute within eight months of graduation. Applicant must be a MEMBER OF OR LEGAL DEPENDENT OF a member of ANY union affiliated with the Port Alberni and District Labor Council (Must note which union on application). The following will be considered: marks, marks pertaining to a chosen field, plans for the future, financial need. **Must write a paragraph on what you think a Union is. If a paragraph is not included, application will be discarded. Please list union applicant or legal dependent is affiliated with.** Must be attending post-secondary education within 18 months of graduation.

ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION, Alberni Valley Branch #293 MEMORIAL Bursaries

Awarded to a son/daughter or grandson/granddaughter of a Military Service Veteran or a member of Legion Branch Alberni Valley 293 in good standing who is proceeding to a post-secondary institution. This applicant must be enrolled in a post-secondary institution and attending in the Fall of 2025 or Spring of 2026 to be eligible for the award. The award is presented upon receipt of enrollment from the post-secondary institution is received by the Scholarship/Bursary Committee of the Alberni Valley Branch 293. **EALC eligible.**

SCHOOL BUS #1 BURSARY

Preference will be given to students who have ridden Bus #1 to or from school. Marks and/or financial need will be considered. The recipient must provide proof of enrollment to a post-secondary institution (including trades) within 18 months of graduation. **EALC eligible.**

TRUSTEE BURSARY – BOARD OF EDUCATION SD#70

This Bursary will be awarded to an individual who has a good record of achievement and is planning on attending a public post-secondary institution. It will be based on financial need, community volunteerism and/or social justice involvement. This award must be used within 18 months of graduation. Proof of registration at a post-secondary institution or trades program is required. **Students applying will need to write an essay or use a multimedia format stating one social justice issue in which they were involved and how it changed their lives.**

UNIFOR LOCAL #592 JACK BREUKER MEMORIAL BURSARY

Awarded to a member or a legal dependent of a member of Local #592. Student must be proceeding to any post-secondary institution. **Please include a letter which should have a “theme” of how your parent having a union job has affected your family.** Academic standing and personal resume will be considered.

UNIFOR LOCAL #592 DAVID FRASER MEMORIAL BURSARY

Awarded to a member or a legal dependent of a member of Local #592. Student must be proceeding to any post-secondary institution. **Please include a letter which should have a “theme” of how your parent having a union job has affected your family.** Academic standing and personal resume will be considered.

UNIFOR LOCAL #592 DARYL DEROOY MEMORIAL BURSARY

Awarded to a member or a legal dependent of a member of Local #592. Student must be proceeding to any post-secondary institution. **Please include a letter which should have a “theme” of how your parent having a union job has affected your family.** Academic standing and personal resume will be considered.

SPECIFIC ADSS PROGRAMS

CANADIAN PARENTS FOR FRENCH BURSARY (Immersion)

This bursary will be awarded to a graduating student of the French Immersion program whose family has been a member of the Canadian Parents for French for at least three years prior to graduation. Applicants must have demonstrated financial need and must plan to attend a post-secondary institution within 2 years of graduation. Applications are to include a short essay written in French and answering the following questions: What benefits has the FI program provided you as a student? How will being bilingual benefit you in the future? Preference will be given to students of families with long-standing CPF memberships. Please include parent's CPF membership number in application. Strong consideration will be given to those who have volunteered with CPF directly and to those whose families have actively participated in the CPF organization. Please provide as much detail as possible when describing your and your families' involvement with the CPF organization. Funds will be disbursed upon proof of registration in the recipients chosen post-secondary institution. **EALC Eligible**

CANADIAN PARENTS FOR FRENCH SCHOLARSHIP (Immersion)

This scholarship will be awarded to a graduating student of the French Immersion program whose family has been a member of the Canadian Parents for French for at least three years prior to graduation. Applicants must show proof of academic excellence in their grade 12 year and must plan to attend a post-secondary institution within 2 years of graduation. Applications are to include a short essay written in French and answering the following questions: What benefits has the FI program provided you as a student? How will becoming bilingual benefit you in the future? Preference will be given to students of families with long-standing CPF memberships. Strong consideration will be given to those who have volunteered with CPF directly and to those whose families have actively participated in the CPF organization. Please provide as much detail as possible when describing your and your families' involvement with the CPF organization. Funds will be disbursed upon proof of registration in the recipients chosen post-secondary institution. **EALC Eligible.**

COMMUNITY ARTS COUNCIL OF THE ALBERNI VALLEY BURSARY (Arts)

Award based on performance and achievement of the individual in the Arts, past and present, academic achievement, and financial need. MUST be planning a study in the Arts and MUST be registered. i.e.: Fine Arts, Drama, Music, Visual arts, Creative Writing. Must attend a post-secondary institution starting within eight months of graduation. (Proof of Registration is required) **EALC Eligible.**

MAURICE JONES MUSIC AWARD (Music)

Awarded to a student who has made a contribution towards excellence in music during his/her high school years. Recipient must be entering a post-secondary institution and **must clearly state on application how music will be a part of their life in the future.** Payment will be made upon presentation of proof of tuition. Preference will be given to a student who has a financial need. The award will not be given if there is not an appropriate candidate.

NIKITA HEDINGHAM MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP (Music)

Awarded to a student who has been in the ADSS Music Program and/or involved elsewhere - a smaller band, orchestra, church group, cadets etc. The recipient will be someone who will continue to play and enjoy music and hopefully bring pleasure to other people with their music after high school. On Niki's Memorial slate the family quoted from something she wrote in her Grade 10 year. She wrote, *"My family first, work hard to be the best I can be, and enjoy life."* The successful applicant should be someone who demonstrates the middle sentiment which was one of Nikita's strong points. **Please include a brief paragraph (150-200 words) that comments on Nikita's quote as listed above.**

PORT ALBERNI ORCHESTRA & CHORUS SOCIETY BURSARY (Music)

Bursary is limited to students who are entering a post-secondary music program in the Fall of 2025. Proof of acceptance to institution is required.

PORTAL PLAYERS PERFORMING ARTS BURSARY (Theatre)

Applicants must be a performing arts student, (in or outside of school). The candidate must be planning to attend a post-secondary institution of a full-time basis with intent to pursue performing arts (either performance or production). Scholastic achievement will be considered. Preference given to students who are, or have been involved with, Portal Players Dramatic Society productions or child and youth programs. The most successful candidate will be a student who best reflects our mission statement, a student who tirelessly volunteered, a student who mentors others in the arts, a student who has achieved an outstanding performance, a student with an impressive arts resume. **Please give details of Alberni Valley performing arts involvement. EALC Eligible.**

ENTERING A SPECIFIC AREA OF STUDY/CAREER FIELD

ALBERNI DENTURE CLINIC BURSARY (Dental Health-Denturism)

Awarded to a student who is pursuing studies in the field of Denturism. Proof of enrolment in a Denturist program at any British Columbian post-secondary institution. Training must be recognized by the British Columbia College of Oral Health Professionals. The recipient must enroll within 24 months of graduation from high school. Bursary will be paid after proof of enrollment. Recipients of this award will also be eligible for an additional bursary for each subsequent year (after year one,) that proof of enrollment is provided. **EALC eligible.**

ALBERNI DISTRICT RETIRED TEACHERS' BURSARY – (Education)

Awarded to a student entering a post-secondary institution within eight months of receiving the award. Must be pursuing a course of education leading to a qualified teacher's certificate. Financial need, marks, school and/or community involvement will be considered.

ALBERNI FARMERS' INSTITUTE – BURSARY (Agriculture)

This bursary will be awarded to a graduate of ADSS (EALC included) who: will be proceeding to a recognized program in Agriculture, including certificate diploma courses in various Farming and Agriculture disciplines focusing on food production for commercial purposes. Proof of enrollment must be submitted prior to the bursary being awarded. Previous involvement or experience in Agriculture an asset. Demonstrated need. Student can demonstrate that program will lead to employment. Suggested Courses, Programs that may fit the bursary:

- North Island College/Shelter Farm - Market Gardener Training
- Olds College, Alberta – Agriculture Programs
- University of the Fraser Valley - Dept. of Agriculture/Horticulture
- UBC Dept. of Plant Science
- Vancouver Island University – Horticulture Dept. (prefer students with a focus on food production)
- Kwantlen Polytechnic University – Institute for Sustainable Horticulture
- Gaia College – Diploma in Organic Land Care
- Permaculture Institute of BC (Kootenays)
- Kwantlen – Bachelor Applied Science in Sustainable Agriculture

ALBERNI HEALTHCARE AUXILIARY BURSARY (Health Care)

Awarded to students continuing their educations in the health care field, beginning within 24 months of high school graduation. (Award \$2000 in September and \$2000 in January.) Scholastic achievement and need will be considered.

ALBERNI VALLEY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BURSARY (Business)

Awarded to a graduating student going to a university starting within eight months of graduation. Preference is given to a student that will be pursuing a Business Degree of some discipline. **EALC eligible.**

ART RAVE BURSARY (Arts)

Awarded to a graduate based on performance, achievement, and a letter of reference from an ADSS Fine Arts faculty member. Student must be planning on attending post-secondary studies in the Arts – Fine Arts, Visual Arts, Music, Graphic Arts, Media, Creative Writing, or Animation within 8 months of graduation. Proof of registration is required. **EALC eligible.**

BARRY GUS CRISIS RESPONSE MEMORIAL FUND BURSARY (Counselling, Social Work, Health Field)

This bursary will be awarded to an individual who wishes to pursue a career in a field that helps others, beginning at a post-secondary institution within fifteen months of graduation. This bursary is in memory of the late Barry Gus, who was a volunteer board of director that helped establish the KUU-US Crisis Line Society. This bursary is for any individual who is entering into a career in the helping profession to better others' lives. **EALC Eligible.**

BC HYDRO SCHOLARSHIP (Science, Engineering, Technology, Math or Trades)

Separate application located on ADSS Website: SEE ADSS WEBSITE – GRADUATION 2025 TAB – Scholarship and Bursary page for information and separate application.

S Awarded to a Port Alberni student who is a leader and role model in their school and communities. Must have demonstrated a balanced lifestyle and be pursuing post-secondary education in one of the following fields of study – science, technology, engineering, math or a trades pre-apprenticeship program. Must be enrolled in a post-secondary institution program by September 2025.

BRAYDEN ARSENAULT MEMORIAL BURSARY (Human Services/Social Work)

To be awarded to a graduating student entering post-secondary education within eight months of graduation. Proof of enrolment will be required to claim the funds. Preference will be given to students who have personally experienced challenges with mental health or have had people close to them who have experienced mental health challenges and who are pursuing further studies in the Social Work or Human Services fields. Post-Secondary study in the following programs is preferred -- Human Services–Educational Assistant/Community Support Certificate, Human Services Diploma, Social Services Diploma or Community Mental Health Worker Certificate. **Students are to include a short paragraph (250 words min.) explaining “How your experience with mental health has influenced your beliefs, relationships, and career aspirations?”** **EALC eligible.**

CAPTAIN ROB FAVEL MEMORIAL BURSARY (BCVFD) (Emergency Services)

Awarded to a student who is furthering their education in the Emergency Services field. Marks, attendance, financial need and community involvement will also be considered. Student must be registered for a program or course within 12 months of graduation. Please be sure to include a brief statement (about 200 words) that explains your reasons for wanting to continue your education in the Emergency Services field. **EALC eligible.**

GRIFFIN DOLLING MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP (Engineering)

Awarded to a student who is pursuing post-secondary education in Engineering. Marks, attendance, community service and school citizenship will all be considered. Must be enrolled in post-secondary program within 18 months of high school graduation.

FUNDING ALBERNI VALLEY ARTS SOCIETY – FAVAS Bursary (Arts)

Awarded to a student in the Arts (Theatre, Vocals, Music, Dance, Visual Arts). Student must be continuing their study within a Performing Arts discipline after graduation. **Please include a paragraph that describes your involvement within the performing arts.** **EALC Eligible.**

HEDIE FOURNIER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP (Teaching)

Awarded to an ADSS student entering a post-secondary institution within eight months of receiving the award. Must be pursuing a course of education leading to a qualified teacher's certificate. Financial need, marks, school and/or community involvement will be considered to determine the recipient of this scholarship.

HOSPITAL EMPLOYEES' UNION SCHOLARSHIP (Health Careers)

Awarded to a family member of an active member of the HEU. ** Note: Not all hospital workers belong to this union. The union knows the name is deceiving. The union is 80 years old and at the time it was formed, it was primarily hospital workers. That is no longer the case - ie: Nurses belong to BCNU, some lab techs are HSA while others are HEU. Not all HEU members work in a hospital, some work in long term care or community services

Please provide the following information: HEU Member's Name, how long they've been a member, HEU site names where said member works, HEU Local Name, member's Telephone # and or email address.

Student must attend a post-secondary institution within eight months of graduation. Monies must be claimed within 12 months of award. Proof of registration is required.

Please answer the following two questions on two separate pieces of paper and attach to the application:

1: How have unions benefited your family or your community? (250 words max)

2: Is there any other information you would like to share in support of your application? (250 words max)

LILLIAH AND RALPH ROSSEAU MEMORIAL BURSARY (Education/Environmental Stewardship)

Awarded to a student who is proceeding to post-secondary studies in education or environmental stewardship. Student must be attending post-secondary education within 18 months of graduation. **EALC eligible.**

NANAIMO AIRPORT COMMISSION (NAC) SCHOLARSHIP (Pilot/STEM/Business)

Awards will be based on merits of the applications as determined by the NAC Scholarship Committee and are subject to meeting the eligibility criteria set out here. All applications, **which MUST include a cover letter outlining why the student is deserving of the scholarship**, will be reviewed. NAC Scholarships are open to candidates who will be attending a post-secondary institution in an eligible field of study, as follows:

- Commercial or private pilot
- Aviation Maintenance, Engineering or Aerospace Engineering
- Related airport service fields of study including Tourism, Business Administration, Airport Management
- Trades programs
- Sciences

TRUCK LOGGERS' ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP (Forestry/Natural Resources)

Awarded to a student graduating from **SD70 PACIFIC RIM** who is pursuing studies in the field of forestry at a post-secondary institution (degree, diploma, or trades). Other natural resource management related fields may also be considered. Recipient must be registered and begin post-secondary/trades program within the year following graduation to claim this scholarship or bursary. **EALC Eligible**

VANCOUVER ISLAND REAL ESTATE BOARD BURSARY (Real Estate)

Awarded to a student who is interested in a career in Real Estate or who is a child of a Realtor. Student must be continuing their studies within the next school year. Academic achievement and financial need will be considered.

ALBERNI VALLEY LIONS CLUB - WINSTON JOSEPH MEMORIAL BURSARY (Education)

Awarded to a student going into the teaching profession. The recipient will be enrolled in a post-secondary institution in September or January immediately following graduation. Community involvement, financial need and marks will be considered.

BELONGING TO OR VOLUNTEERING WITH AN ORGANIZATION

BILL SURRY MEMORIAL BURSARY (Community Service)

These bursaries will be awarded to students who plan continued education within 18 months. Monies must be claimed within 18 months of award. Students must provide proof of registration in a University, College, Technical, Vocational, or accredited arts/training program. These bursaries will be awarded to individuals based on involvement and volunteerism in our community. The bursaries are in memory of the late Bill Surry, who was an avid volunteer in various community organizations/events. These bursaries are supported by The Port Alberni Toy Run and Alberni Athletic Association in Bill Surry's memory. **EALC Eligible**

CLARKSTONE & DEARIN NOTARY CORPORATION BURSARY (Community Service)

Students must be registered with a post-secondary institution (including trade schools) within 1 year of graduation. Recipients of this award must provide a copy of their post-secondary institution course registration prior to the funds being released. **To apply, student must provide a one-page written description explaining how they have given back to their community, as well as provide a description of their future goals.**

FAITHFUL CONSTRUCTION COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

Applicant must be **CURRENTLY** providing a service in the community – both non-profit or for profit services are accepted. The student must provide current and Grade 11 GPA scores. The student is required to **submit 2 brief summaries (300 words)**. This first one should explain their service/business plan that is currently in action. The second 300-word summary should explain financial need or the purpose for applying for the scholarship. **EALC Eligible**

GYRO CLUB OF THE ALBERNI'S BURSARY "The Wilf Souther Memorial"

The Gyro Club of the Alberni's is pleased to offer two \$750.00 bursaries to worthy students based on not only academic achievement but also financial need. These bursaries are available to any students entering post-secondary schooling, university, or college, vocational, technical and such. Receipt of the monies will be contingent upon proof of acceptance to an accredited post-secondary institution in British Columbia.

PAT AND JOHN SQUIRE MEMORIAL BURSARY

To be awarded to a grade 12-student entering post-secondary education within eight months of graduation. Proof of enrollment will be required to claim the funds. The recipient would have displayed an interest in social activism in school, the community, or both. Participation in such activities as leadership class, mentoring and tutoring other students, seniors' assistance, volunteering in the mental health field and environmental protection would be examples but this is by no means an exhaustive list. Yet also take the time to look beyond these activities to something broader. How were the benefits of health and education achieved? How the rights of seniors are achieved and where do the laws that protect our environment come from? Academic achievement would also be considered but would not be a top criterion. **Students applying are required to write an essay of 200 words or more on what social activism means to them.**

TOTEM TOURNAMENT BURSARY

Awarded to a student who participated in the Totem Tournament as part of any one or more of the following:

- Sr Boys basketball
- Sr Girls Basketball
- Cheer Team
- Dance Team
- TOTEM Spirit
- Minor Official
- Pep Band

Must include a paragraph (approximately 150 words), outlining your Totem experience and involvement during your high school years and explain what Totem means to you. Grade 12 marks (C+ or higher), financial need, citizenship and sportsmanship will also be considered. Application packages must include at least one-character reference letter.

SPORTS/ATHLETICS

ALBERNI ATHLETIC JUNIOR BADMINTON CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

Recipient must attend a university or college starting within eight months of graduation. Preference will be given to a student who has participated in the junior badminton program at the Alberni Athletic Hall, and will be awarded to students based on future plans and financial need. **Please include a short writeup describing your involvement with badminton. EALC eligible.**

ALBERNI ATHLETICS SOCCER CLUB BURSARY

Applicant must have played with a team affiliated with AVYSA/AASC. Applicant must be proceeding to a post-secondary institution within fifteen months of graduation and have at least a C+ average. Applications must be complete, including references. Describe your involvement with AASC (team last played with, coaching, refereeing, etc.); recipients overall soccer participation portfolio will be considered. **Bursary money will be given to the successful applicant upon proof of enrolment.**

ALBERNI ATHLETICS SOCCER CLUB -CARL BUITENHUIS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Carl was one of the founders of the Alberni Valley Juvenile Soccer Association, now known as the Alberni Athletics Soccer Club. He coached from the early 1960s until 1978, with his team winning many Island Championships. Applicant must have played with a team affiliated with AVYSA/AASC. Applicant must be proceeding to a post-secondary institution within fifteen months of graduation and have made the Honor Roll during their Grade 12 year. Applications must be complete, including references. Describe your involvement with AASC (team last played with, coaching, refereeing, etc.); recipients overall soccer participation portfolio will be considered. **Scholarship money will be given to the successful applicant upon proof of enrolment.**

ALBERNI ATHLETICS SOCCER CLUB - GORD JONES MEMORIAL BURSARY

Gord was a very active volunteer with the Club for 42 years. He was involved with coaching, refereeing and held the position of Referee in Chief for many years. Applicant must have played with a team affiliated with AVYSA/AASC. Applicant must be proceeding to a post-secondary institution within fifteen months of graduation and have at least a C+ average. Applications must be complete, including references. Describe your involvement with AASC (team last played with, coaching, refereeing, etc.); recipients overall soccer participation portfolio will be considered. **Bursary money will be given to the successful applicant upon proof of enrolment.**

ALBERNI DISTRICT SECONDARY SCHOOL TRACK & FIELD SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to a senior Track & Field athlete that demonstrates the following: Team Leadership, Commitment, Sportsmanship and Academic Eligibility (must be graduating).

ALBERNI DISTRICT SECONDARY SCHOOL HOCKEY SKILLS ACADEMY SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is awarded to a student who has been enrolled in the Alberni District Hockey Canada Skills Academy during the past three years and plans to continue his or her education at a post-secondary institution. The student must have a C+ average in the five best subjects with no marks less than C. Must demonstrate good citizenship, character, leadership and sportsmanship. The applicant must be involved in the sport of ice hockey in the last year as a player, coach, or an official. Student must be attending post-secondary education within 18 months of graduation.

ALBERNI VALLEY MINOR LACROSSE ASSOCIATION BURSARY

Awarded to a student graduating from ADSS who plans to continue his or her Education at a postsecondary institution within fifteen months of graduation. Must have a C+ average in his or her five best grade 12 classes with no marks less than a C and must submit transcripts and interim grades. Must demonstrate good citizenship, character, and sportsmanship. Must be involved with the AVMLA in some capacity (ex. Player, coach, official or regular volunteer). A candidate with significant involvement with the sport of lacrosse may be given preference. Applicants must submit both a resume and formal letter which includes their post-secondary plans and their past involvement in lacrosse. Bursary money will be given to the successful applicant upon proof of enrollment.

ALBERNI VALLEY MINOR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION BURSARIES

Bursaries will be awarded to AVMHA registered members who apply and who best meet the qualifications. Eligibility: Sportsmanship, hockey participation and/or contribution, statement outlining future academic plans.

AVMHA recognizes that hard work and persistence looks different for each student. As such, AVMHA bursaries are not limited to grades-based criteria. Please feel free to submit a letter of recommendation from a learning advisor to support your application. A transcript and marks collection form are **NOT** required for this bursary. Applicants must be attending post-secondary institution within 18 months of graduation. **EALC eligible.**

ALBERNI VALLEY MINOR HOCKEY ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

General scholarships will be awarded to AVMHA registered members who apply and who best meet the qualifications. Eligibility: Sportsmanship, hockey participation and/or contribution, statement outlining future academic plans.

This scholarship will be provided based on academic achievement and letters of support highlighting academic effort must be provided. While grades will be considered, AVMHA scholarships are not limited to grades-based criteria. Please feel free to submit a letter of recommendation from a learning advisor to support your application and academic standing. A transcript and marks collection form are required for this scholarship. Applicants must be attending post-secondary institution within 18 months of graduation. **EALC eligible.**

ALBERNI VALLEY MINOR SOFTBALL BURSARY

Awarded to a student who has participated in or contributed to the A.V. Minor Softball Association Program (player, coach, official) for the past three years. Financial need and marks will be considered. Must be continuing to a post-secondary institution in the next eight months. Describe your involvement with A.V. Minor Softball. **EALC eligible.**

BC SUMMER GAMES - PORT ALBERNI SCHOLARSHIP (Volunteering)

Awarded to Port Alberni students who have demonstrated the spirit of the BC Summer Games by participating in sports at a very high level and had competed in the BC Summer Games. Student must also be involved in community and school volunteering in sports activities. Must be planning post-secondary education within the year following grad. Must have a good academic record. Must be active in athletics. **Describe your involvement with the above.**

BOBBIE MCKENZIE- HEART & HUSTLE MEMORIAL BURSARY (Hockey)

To be awarded to a graduating student to continue their post-secondary education (degree, diploma, trades, apprenticeship, certificate, other) within two years of graduation. Proof of enrolment and registration payment will be required to claim the funds. Preference will be given to students who are or have been members of the Alberni Valley Minor Hockey Association and have played hockey for a minimum of 3 years. Students are to include a short paragraph (250 words min.) describing their definition and personal experiences with “Heart & Hustle” in their hockey career which may include but not limited to the individual, a team or teammate, coaching staff, or team captains. **EALC eligible.**

BRYAN MASON MEMORIAL BURSARY (Hockey)

Awarded to a student with history of involvement in Minor Hockey, as a player, ref, or coach, management. Student is to express their plans for post-secondary education, as well as their need for a bursary. Bursary is to be used within two years. A cheque of \$250.00 will be issued at time of registration.

FRANK KLEMENCIC ATHLETIC BURSARY

Awarded to a graduating student enrolled in full-time post-secondary education within 8 months of graduation. Preference will be given to student athletes; financial need may also be considered. Submission of a brief essay (250-word min) reflecting on the importance of friendships in sport and the bonds that are created through competition. Provide examples of how the applicant fosters a positive team environment. Proof of enrollment required for the release of funds. Bursary to be paid 50% September and 50% January.

FUNTASTIC SLO-PITCH TOURNAMENT SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to a student who is involved in team sports with a “B” average in all academics. Please include a short paragraph explaining “What does building a better community through sport mean to me?”.

JACK GILBERT ATHLETIC EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to a student graduating from ADSS who plans to continue his or her education at a post-secondary institution within fifteen months of graduation. Recipient(s) chosen will demonstrate outstanding athletic and academic achievement, with involvement in one or more of these school sports: basketball, wrestling and/or track & field. Good citizenship, character, and sportsmanship will also be considered. Scholarship money will be given to the successful applicant upon proof of enrollment in a post-secondary program.

McMILLEN FAMILY BURSARY (Basketball)

This award will be given to a student involved with basketball as a player, scorekeeper, referee, student manager, or student coach at ADSS who is planning to attend post-secondary within 15 months of graduation. Preference will be given to students who have demonstrated good citizenship, character, and sportsmanship. Please include a resume and letter which describes your involvement with basketball at ADSS and your future plans with your application.

SCHOOLS & PAC

ALBERNI DISTRICT SECONDARY SCHOOL PAC BURSARIES

Awarded to an ADSS student who will be attending any post-secondary institution within fifteen months of graduation. Preference will be given to the student whose parents, or themselves, have participated in the Parent Advisory Council at ADSS and/or volunteered within the various programs/clubs/events at the school. Secondly, volunteer and community experience will be considered, as well as financial need. **Submitted with the application should be a short paragraph describing what the Parent Advisory Council (PAC) of ADSS has done for students and indicate how the student/parent has contributed to the PAC and/or school community.** Student must provide proof of registration in the form of a receipt to a University, College, Technical, Vocational, or accredited Arts program. Bursary is to be used/claimed within 18 months of graduation.

ECOLE ALBERNI ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AUXILIARY BURSARY

Awarded to a student that attended Alberni Elementary School who is proceeding to a post-secondary institution, starting within fifteen months of graduation. Based on need, scholastic ability, and service. Must be a graduate of AES (Alberni Elementary School).

E.J. DUNN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PAC BURSARY

Must have attended E.J. Dunn School for at least 2 years. To be awarded to a student who plans continued education within 18 months. Must provide proof of registration in a University, College, Technical, and Vocational or accredited Arts program. Award will be based on financial need, school and/or community involvement and scholastic ability. Must have an average of C+ or better in his/her five best subjects.

JOHN HOWITT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BURSARIES

Awarded to a student who attended John Howitt Elementary School. Awarded based on extracurricular activities, volunteer work, financial need, and scholastic achievement. Must be attending any post-secondary institution including university, technical, vocational, regional college, etc. within 12 months of graduation. **EALC eligible.**

JOHN HOWITT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL - ELIZABETH PLATZ MEMORIAL BURSARY

Awarded to a student who attended John Howitt Elementary School. Successful applicants will have been involved in music, choir or band in high school, and who are planning to attend post-secondary education in music. Must be attending any post-secondary within 12 months of graduation. **EALC eligible.**

MAQUINNA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PAC -HELEN BENVIN MEMORIAL BURSARY

Awarded to an ADSS student entering any post-secondary or technical institution within 15 months of graduation. Applicants must have attended Maquinna Elementary School for at least 3 years. Preference will be given to those who have had learning assistance. Award based on citizenship, financial need and marks.

ST. JOHN PAUL II CATHOLIC SCHOOL PARENT SUPPORT GROUP BURSARY

Awarded to a former student from St. John Paul II Catholic School who attended at least their senior year at SJPII. Bursary is to be used for post-secondary education. It will be awarded to an individual who embodies the SJPII spirit. **Applicant must write a minimum 250-word essay explaining why they should be awarded this bursary, how their time at SJPII has impacted their lives, and how the money will be used.** Student must be attending post-secondary education within 18 months of graduation. A letter of recommendation from an adult, other than a family member, must accompany the essay.

TSUMA-AS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PAC BURSARIES

Awarded to students who attended A.W. Neill Middle/Elementary School for at least 2 years. Student must have plans to begin continued education within 18 months and money must be claimed within that time. Student must provide proof of registration in a University, College, Technical, Vocational, or accredited Arts program. Award is based on scholastic achievement and school and/or community involvement. Must have an average of C+ or better in student's five best subjects, with no less than a "C" in all subjects. Please indicate # of years attended, and family involvement with the school and community. **EALC eligible.**

WOOD ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PAC BURSARY

Applicants must have attended Wood for a period of three years. Successful applicants must attend a post-secondary institution within one year of graduation; proof of registration and attendance is required. Financial need and grades will be considered in the selection process. Applicants with a demonstrated financial need may be selected over other applicants with the same grades.

GENDER OR SPECIFIC NATIONALITY

MOSAIC FOREST MANAGEMENT BURSARY (Indigenous)

Awarded to a SD70 self-identifying Indigenous graduating student who is pursuing studies in the field of forestry (or related fields) at a post-secondary institution (degree, diploma, or trades). Recipient must demonstrate strong leadership qualities. Indigenous students pursuing studies in fisheries and/or other natural resource management related fields may also be considered. Recipient must be registered and begin a post-secondary program within 4 years of high school graduation to claim this bursary.

TRUSTEE BURSARY – BOARD OF EDUCATION SD#70 – Indigenous Learners

This Bursary will be awarded to an Indigenous Learner who has a good record of achievement and is planning on attending a public post-secondary institution. It will be based on financial need, community volunteerism and/or social justice involvement. This award must be used within 18 months of graduation. Proof of registration in a post-secondary institution or trades program is required. **Students applying will need to write an essay or use a multimedia format demonstrating how they have been a role model or inspiration for other students. EALC Eligible.**

DR. S. F. CHAN FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP FOR FIRST NATION STUDENTS (Indigenous)

The Chan Family respects the First Nations Peoples and wishes to show their respect by encouraging their children. This award will be made to an Indigenous Learner who has a good record of achievement and is planning on attending a public post-secondary institution. **The applicants should include a short paragraph describing their plans for schooling, or a subject of their choice.** Preference may be given to students who demonstrate financial need and school or community involvement. This award must be used within 8 months of graduation. Proof of registration in a post-secondary institution or trades program will be required to claim the funds.

CHINESE CANADIAN SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP (Chinese)

Awarded to a member of the local Chinese community. Award based on academic marks and recipient must be accepted by a Post-Secondary Institution to further his or her education. **EALC eligible.**

GURU NANAK SIKH SOCIETY – ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP (Indo Cdn)

Based on marks and future educational plans. **APPLICANTS MUST** be planning post-secondary education within the year following graduation. Must have a good academic record and have demonstrated good citizenship, community involvement and sportsmanship. All students from the Indo Canadian Community will be considered.

GURU NANAK SIKH SOCIETY–SPORTS/ATHLETIC (1 MALE/1 FEMALE) SCHOLARSHIP (Indo Cdn)

Based on achievement in the athletic area. **APPLICANTS MUST** be planning post-secondary education within the year following graduation. Must have a good academic record and have demonstrated good citizenship, community involvement and sportsmanship. All students from the Indo Canadian Community will be considered. Must include a letter from the Coach.

ITALIAN CANADIAN SOCIETY BURSARY (Italian)

An annual scholarship awarded to a child of an active member of the Italian Canadian Society. If no applications are received from a child of a member, then a \$500 bursary will be offered to a student of Italian background or lastly, a student who has cultural background from outside of Canada who has demonstrated pride of their heritage and diversity. Bursary must be claimed with proof of registration in a post-secondary program within 14 months of graduation.

BASED SOLEY ON FINANCIAL NEED

DR. RICHARD AND ELEANOR GARNER MEMORIAL BURSARIES

Student must be going to University and show financial need. Awarded to students based on future plans and financial need. Must be a student registered to post-secondary education within 8 months following graduation. **Must write a paragraph on “why you are in need of this award”. Minimum of 100 words. EALC Eligible.**

HUNDAL FAMILY BURSARY

Student must be pursuing further studies at any post-secondary institution within 1 year of graduation. The applicant should demonstrate a financial need and should provide a write-up (300 words or less) detailing how they hope to use their post-secondary education to make a positive contribution to their community and society. **EALC Eligible.**

OPEN - NO SPECIFIC QUALIFICATIONS

ALBERNI VALLEY LIONS CLUB BURSARIES

A bursary will be awarded to a student proceeding to post-secondary education in BC, and who will be in attendance in September or January immediately following graduation. Community involvement, financial need and marks will be considered.

ALBERNI VALLEY MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION BURSARY

Awarded to a student continuing to post-secondary school within 18 months of graduation. Marks, financial need, and community/church involvement will all be factors taken into consideration.

ARROWSMITH ROTARY CLUB BURSARY

Awarded to a student proceeding to any post-secondary institution within 2 years of graduation. Recipients of this award must provide a copy of their post-secondary institution course registration form prior to the funds being released to them and should be prepared to attend a Rotary Club regular meeting to acknowledge receipt of their award after the funds have been released. Recipients are chosen based on need, volunteer community services, and recognizing their grade level that would give them the opportunity to complete post-secondary education.

DAVE RALLA – PERSONAL REAL ESTATE CORPORATION BURSARY

Awarded to a student who will be pursuing studies at any post-secondary institution within 1 year of graduation. The applicant must include a statement (roughly 200 words) describing what they plan on taking for courses at post-secondary, and how the funds will help them become successful. EALC Eligible.

DAVE RALLA – PERSONAL REAL ESTATE CORPORATION SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to Student who will be pursuing studies at any post-secondary institution within 1 year of graduation. Marks and School involvement will be considered. The applicant should provide a write-up (300 words or less) detailing community involvement and volunteer work, as well as future endeavors and goals for continuing to be an active community member. EALC Eligible.

KINSMEN CLUB BURSARIES

Awarded to a student proceeding to any post-secondary institution starting within fifteen months of graduation. Award is based on marks, community service and financial need. Volunteering with the Fall Fair Youth Board and/or summer volunteer committee is an asset. **EALC eligible.**

KINSMEN & KINETTE HAROLD WARREN MEMORIAL BURSARY

Awarded to a student proceeding to any post-secondary institution within 18 months of graduation from ADSS. Judged on the basis of financial need, academic achievement and community involvement. Proof of registration required. Volunteering with the Fall Fair Youth Board and/or summer volunteer committee is an asset. **EALC eligible.**

MALIE DEVRIES BURSARY

Awarded to a student who will be furthering their education within the next 18 months at a University, College, Technical or a Vocational program. Proof of enrollment will be required to claim the funds. In our world there is a lot of stigmatizations (ex. Mental health, drug use). Write a brief paragraph of at least 100 words, and no greater than 200 words, describing something small that you will do to reduce stigma in our community. **EALC eligible.**

PACIFIC CHEVROLET AND VAN ISLE FORD BURSARIES

Awarded to a deserving student entering post-secondary education within 8 months of graduation. Preference will be given to individuals who have strong community and/or organization involvement, a good work ethic and have a financial need. Students are to include a short paragraph detailing how they have given back to the community, as well as a description of their future goals. Proof of payment to a post-secondary institution required prior to receiving bursary funds.

PROM 2024 BURSARIES

Awarded to a student proceeding to any post-secondary institution within 12 months of graduation. For the senior class, prom night serves as a symbol of years of learning, friendships, and school spirit. In 250-350 words, tell us what the prom event means to you? Preference will be given to students who have volunteered for their student Grad Committee or actively participated in the fundraising of Prom.

PROM 2025 BURSARIES

Awarded to a student who is proceeding to any post-secondary institution, certification, or trade program within eight months of graduation. Marks, community/school volunteering and financial need will be considered. Preference will be given to students who have volunteered for their student Grad Committee or actively participated in the fundraising of Prom. Please write a short paragraph (max 400 words) on "Where you would like to be in 5 years and what you will be doing".

PROM 2025 BURSARIES-COMMUNITY DONORS

Awarded to a student who is proceeding to any post-secondary institution, certification, or trade program within eight months of graduation. Marks, community/school volunteering and financial need will be considered. Please write a short paragraph (max 400 words) on "Where you would like to be in 5 years and what you will be doing".

ROTARY CLUB OF PORT ALBERNI BURSARIES

Awarded to a student who is going on to any post-secondary institution starting within fifteen months of graduation. Based on, in order of priority: financial need; community involvement; scholastic achievement. No membership requirement. Student must be attending post-secondary education within 18 months of graduation. To receive the award, the student MUST send to the contact person a copy of their post-secondary institution's course enrollment form and proof of deposit paid. **EALC Eligible.**

DISTRICT AUTHORITY AWARDS – *Separate Application*

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For students who demonstrate superior achievement in any of the following SEVEN areas. Students are encouraged to include evidence (photos, copies of certificates, etc.) that support their application of excellence in an area.

Amount: **Each recipient will receive a voucher for \$1250.00** that will be mailed from the Ministry of Education in the fall after Graduation. This voucher can be redeemed at post-secondary institutions within five years from September 30th of their graduation year from Secondary School.

Areas of Achievement and Examples

Area of achievement	Examples
Indigenous Languages and Culture	Demonstrated at school or in the community
Fine Arts	Visual Arts, Dance, Drama, Music
Applied Design, Skills, and Technologies	Business, Technology, Home Economics, Information Communication Technology
Physical Activity	Athletics, Dance, Gymnastics, not limited to Physical Education
International Languages	International Languages Curriculum or External Assessments, including AP and IB courses
Community Service (Volunteer Activity)	Includes awareness of local, global, and cultural issues
Technical and Trades Training	Automotive, Robotics, Coding, Woodwork, Culinary Arts

Criteria to apply:

- Student must be a Canadian citizen.
- Meet the eligibility requirements for graduation.
- Demonstrate superior achievement in the area(s) above.
- Student must fill out application and write a few paragraphs (not more than half of a page) on his/her experiences/courses and why he/she should be considered for this reward. Applications available in the Career Centre.
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7	Unifor Local #592 Jack Breuker Memorial Bursary
11	Vancouver Island Real Estate Board Bursary
16	Wood Elementary School PAC Bursary



ADSS MARKS COLLECTION FORM
LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP AND BURSARIES – 2025

Student Name: _____

Please use this form for any courses you are currently in progress completing, list the full course name on this sheet. **ATTACH A COPY TO EACH SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM.**

SEMESTER 2 COURSES – CURRENTLY IN PROGRESS							
SUBJECT	1 st TERM		2 nd TERM		ESTIMATED FINAL MARK		Teacher's Initials
	Mark	%	Mark	%	Mark	%	

SD70 PACIFIC RIM – ADSS LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS & BURSARY APPLICATION FORM 2025**NAME OF SCHOLARSHIP**

In your own words please state how you qualify for this scholarship/bursary - BE SPECIFIC. Please note: This will not be the same question for all scholarships/bursaries.

APPLICANT NAME:**HOME ADDRESS:****PHONE #:****MAILING ADDRESS:** *(if different from above)***POSTAL CODE:****SCHOOL ATTENDING:** *(ADSS, EALC, USS)***BIRTHDATE:****YEAR****MONTH****DAY****NAME OF PARENT/GUARDIAN:****OCCUPATION:****HOME ADDRESS:** *(if different from applicant)***EMPLOYER'S ADDRESS:****NAME OF PARENT/GUARDIAN:****OCCUPATION:****HOME ADDRESS:** *(if different from applicant)***EMPLOYER'S ADDRESS:****SIBLING'S NAME(S)/OTHER DEPENDANTS:**

NAME

AGE

OCCUPATION/SCHOOL

What have you done for the last two summers? If employed, give occupation and name of employer:	
Do you have a job for this summer? If yes, where?	
What are your post-secondary plans? Please state the institution you plan to attend and the program you will take there.	
Who will be contributing to your financial support? Explain, and indicate extent of any assistance.	
List any extra-curricular activities you have been involved in:	
List any awards you have won:	
Have you been involved with any community activities not related to school? Give details.	
Give three references: <i>(not related to you)</i>	
NAME	PHONE NUMBER
1.	
2.	
3.	

YOU MUST ATTACH A **PERSONAL LETTER**, A PHOTOCOPY OF YOUR TRANSCRIPT, YOUR 2ND SEMESTER **MARKS COLLECTION FORM**, AND YOUR **RESUME** TO THIS APPLICATION FORM.