

THE MURRAY FAMILY FUND

SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

Mr. Cam Murray was a teacher in School District #73 with a very strong affinity to the outdoors and the environment. During his time in Kamloops he was great supporter of the McQueen Lake Environmental Education Centre. Now retired and living in New Zealand, Cam still has education at heart. He wants, through the Murray Family Fund, to assist students from the BC Interior Community Foundation's geographic area to further their education. Applicants pursuing studies which include: outdoor environmental issues, environmental education and/or natural resource management will be given preference.

Scholarship Program Description

This scholarship is to provide financial assistance to students who wish to further their studies after completing high school and are accepted/enrolled in a recognized post-secondary institution (trade school, college, university) within Canada. The applicants must have graduated from a secondary school within School Districts #58, #73 & #74 in British Columbia. There will be one annual award of up to \$500.00 should suitable candidates apply. The successful scholarship applicant will be selected by the BC Interior Community Foundation.

How the Program Works:

Eligibility:

- Have graduated (or will graduate this spring) from a secondary school within school districts #58, #73 or #74 with a 'B' average or higher.
- Have provided community service in the area of the environment
- Be registered (or in the process of registering) in a post-secondary institution within Canada.

Application Checklist:

- ✓ Completed Application form (form available online - bcicf.ca/scholarships)
- ✓ Application letter
- ✓ Transcripts

Submit the application by March 1st to:

BC Interior Community Foundation #2 – 219
Victoria Street
Kamloops, BC V2C 2A1
Phone - 250-434-6995
Email – scholarships@bcicf.ca

The successful applicant will have the award credited to the applicant's account at the post-secondary institution within Canada upon proof of registration being submitted by the student to the BC Interior Community Foundation via email or mail as listed above & on application. A letter will be sent outlining documents required for proof of registration to the successful applicant.

MURRAY FAMILY FUND – SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Eligibility:

- Student has graduated (or will graduate in the application year) from a secondary school within B.C. School Districts - #58, #73 and #74.
- Student's academic standing must be at least a 'B' level or higher
- Student has provided community service in the area of the environment
- Student is registered (or in the process of registering) at a post-secondary institution within Canada.

Submit the completed application form below, along with all other documents in the application checklist. The applications will be reviewed and winner(s) announced by the end of May annually.

Name of Applicant:		Email:	
Home Address:		City:	Postal Code:
Phone:		Cell phone:	
Age:	I plan to attend (name of educational institution in Canada)		
To pursue studies in (name of program)			
Estimated length of program (# years)			
Signature of applicant			

This application requires that you **write a letter addressing the topics of importance listed below**. Please provide a complete but concise outline for each topic heading. The review team expects the letters will not exceed two pages in length.

Your letter of application should describe your:

- **community involvement and volunteerism in your community.**
- **involvement in the environment either at school or in the community.**
- **education plan and career goals.**

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BC Interior Community Foundation - #2-219 Victoria St., Kamloops, BC, V2C 2A1 / scholarships@bcicf.ca.
Please call or check the website for current office hours if you wish to drop off your application in person (bcicf.ca / 250-434-6995)

**DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF APPLICATIONS IS MARCH 1ST ANNUALLY.
INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.**