

EDUCATIONAL BURSARY

Up to \$500

The objective of this fund is to provide financial assistance to a student who is enrolled in a post secondary institution and who demonstrates financial need.

The bursary can be applied towards tuition fees, books, transportation, childcare, equipment, living expenses and/or other costs directly associated with their academic or training program.

Eligibility Criteria

- Be a registered household member in an OCH community prior to submitting the application.
- Be registered for a post-secondary program. (i.e. college, university or trade school) leading to a diploma, degree, apprenticeship or other program certification, at an accredited institute in Canada.)
- Must submit proof of enrollment in a post-secondary program with a college, university or trade school) leading to a diploma, degree, apprenticeship or other program certification, at an accredited institute in Canada.
- Must demonstrate financial need

How to apply?

The application is available online at www.ochfoundation.ca or at the reception area of all OCH offices (listed below):

Head office	West (Caldwell)	West (Ramsay)	Central	South	East
39 Auriga Dr. Ottawa ON K2E 7Y8	1485 Caldwell Ave Ottawa ON K1Z 8M1	1065 Ramsey Cres. Ottawa ON K2B 8A1	731 Chapel Cres. Ottawa ON K1N 1E1	1365 Bank St Ottawa ON K1H 8K8	380 Murray St Ottawa ON K1N 8W1

Complete and submit your application to any OCH office attention:

Christa Allevato c/o Educational Bursary
Ottawa Community Housing Foundation

39 Auriga Drive
Ottawa ON K2E 6L6

Phone: 613-518-2098

Email: christa.allevato@ochfoundation.ca

The selection committee on a monthly basis will review applications.

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Before filling out the application form, please ensure that you are:

1. A registered household member in an OCH community prior to submitting the application.
2. Registered for the first time in a post-secondary program. (i.e. college, university or trade school) leading to a diploma, degree, apprenticeship or other program certification, at an accredited institute in Canada
3. Submitted proof of enrollment in a post-secondary program with a college, university or trade school) leading to a diploma, degree, apprenticeship or other program certification, at an accredited institute in Canada.
4. Demonstrate financial need

Applicant Information

Full Name: _____ Date: _____
Last First M.I.

Address: _____
Street Address Apartment/Unit #

City State Postal Code

Phone: _____ Email _____

Academic Information

School Name	Program Name	Start Date	Length of Program

Budget

Income (for the school year)		Program & Living Expenses (for the school year)	
Savings Account	\$	Tuition	\$
Expected Monthly Income	\$	Books and Equipment	\$
Contribution from parents/guardians	\$	Rent/Mortgage	\$
Additional Financial Assistance	\$	Food	\$
	\$	Utilities (heat/hydro/phone)	\$
		Transportation	
		Incidentals	
Total (Box A)	\$	Total (Box B)	\$

Personal Statement

Please provide us with a typed (500 words or less) personal statement highlighting the following:

1. Tell us about your educational and life goals
2. Tells us about your community involvement and volunteer work
3. Describe your financial need

Checklist

All applicants must submit the following information in order to be considered for an Educational Bursary

Please confirm the following:

- I have completed all sections of application.
- I have attached a written personal statement or recorded personal video.
- I have submitted proof of enrollment in a post-secondary program with a college, university or trade school) leading to a diploma, degree, apprenticeship or other program certification, at an accredited institute in Canada

Disclaimer and Signature

I attest the information on this application form and the enclosed documents is true, accurate and complete.

If awarded an Educational bursary, I authorize Ottawa Community Housing Foundation and OCH to publish my name, photo and any applicable information within this application for publicity purposes.

(Please select one)

I give my consent

I do not give my consent

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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