



Canadian Federation of University Women - Cowichan Valley

2023-2024 - Scholarship/Bursary Program- Application Deadline April 30, 2024

Each award will be a minimum of \$1000.00

Awards are given to a Female High School Student

- **Who is graduating from the Cowichan Valley School District #79.**
- **Who has resided in the Cowichan Valley for at least one year.**
- **Who has financial need.**
- **Who has contributed to the community.**
- **Who has demonstrated scholastic achievement.**
- **Who is enrolled in an accredited post-secondary institution.**

To be considered for this award, each applicant must supply:

1. **A completed Application Form – received by April 30th, 2024.**
2. **Two current letters of reference**
3. **A copy of your last High School transcript**
4. **A copy of the acceptance letter or proof of enrollment, including registration number from an accredited post-secondary institution.**
5. **A cover letter**

Application forms are available from each School District 79 High School office or by contracting Susan Rudolph @ tworednoses.sr@gmail.com Completed applications should be mailed to Susan Rudolph, 606 Pine Ridge Place, Cobble Hill, B.C. V0R 1L1.

The Cowichan Valley club supports the national organization's vision of working to ensure that all girls and women have equal opportunities and equal access to quality education within a peaceful and secure environment where their human rights are respected. Our vision includes a world where poverty is reduced, discrimination eliminated, where there are equal opportunities for leadership, employment, income, education, careers and the ability to maximize potential.

To further this end, CFUW Cowichan Valley provides a number of annual awards of a minimum of \$1000.00, as well as an annual award that supports a female student attending Vancouver Island University.



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2023-2024 Scholarship/Bursary Application Form

1. Applicant Information:

Name _____

E-mail address _____

Mailing address _____

Date of Birth _____ Phone # _____

Supporting Adults names and relationship _____

2. Have you lived in the Cowichan Valley for at least 1 year? _____

High School attended _____ Year of Grade 12 Graduation _____

3. Have you attached proof of acceptance at a post-secondary institution? _____

4. Financial Need:

How many family members provide financial support for you? This should include parents, supporting grandparents and others. _____

How many family members are financially dependent on your family unit? This can include adult children that are not living at home but receiving family support for post-secondary education or other family members such as grandparents that live in the family home. _____

Does your family unit qualify as low income as defined by the Low- Income Cut-Off (LICO) measure?
It is defined below: Please use 2022 family tax information to answer this question.

Size of Family Unit	Minimum Necessary Combined Family Income (2022)
2 persons	\$33,140.00
3 Persons	\$40,742.00
4 Persons	\$49,466.00
More Persons	\$56,104.00

_____ Yes – my family qualifies as low income using the LICO measure

_____ No – my family does not qualify as low income using the LICO measure

Is there another reason that you would qualify for this scholarship/bursary based on financial need?

5.Academic Excellence:

Please outline your recent academic achievement: _____

6.Community Involvement and Contributions:

Please indicate your top three areas of community involvement and contributions:

7. Special Family and Individual Circumstances: Please outline any circumstances that make achieving your educational goals challenging: _____

8. Post-secondary education budget:

Income and assets to be used for education:

Employment Income _____

Savings and RESPs _____

Family contributions _____

Other including scholarships _____

Total income _____

Expenses of Year 1 of Post-Secondary education:

Tuition and other school fees _____

Textbooks and supplies _____

Accommodation and Food _____

Transportation _____

Other _____

Total Expenses _____

Expenses minus Income = _____ financial need.

9. What Post Secondary Institute will you be attending?

What Program will you be taking? _____

What is your ultimate ambition? _____

