



BURSARY APPLICATION FORM – 2021

RAYS awards Bursaries to high school students up to \$1000.

PERSONAL INFORMATION: Please type or print clearly.

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Email: _____

High School: _____ Grade 12 Completion Date: _____

ELIGIBILITY: Bursary Applicants must check ALL boxes.

- I reside within the RAYS Bursary Catchment Area 2021 Map on the raysscholarships.com website.
- I plan to attend a Canadian trade school, a community college or to become registered as a Skilled Trade Apprentice.
- I currently attend/or attended Stayner Collegiate, Collingwood Collegiate, Our Lady of the Bay Catholic High School, Centre Dufferin District High School or Robert F. Hall Catholic Secondary School.
- I will earn or have earned all credits for my Ontario Secondary School Diploma by December 2021.
- I have attached a 'Letter of Recommendation' from a teacher or community member such as an employer or coach.
- I have attached an official 'Letter of Acceptance' from my college. If you are becoming a Skilled Trade Apprentice, please check here to confirm that you have provided the name and contact information of your Skilled Trade Apprenticeship Employer on Page 2 of this application.
- I understand that if I receive a Bursary I will sign a 'Letter of Agreement', maintain regular contact with my mentor and attend a Bursary Workshop.
- I have completed all parts of the application form.

Completed application forms and letters may be given to your high school guidance counsellor, submitted on-line to bursary@raysscholarships.com with all attachments included, or sent by mail to RAYS Bursary Committee, P.O. Box 2052, Creemore ON L0M 1G0. Spring applications must be received by May 3, 2021.

Please email bursary@raysscholarships.com if you have any questions concerning the application.

Finalists will be interviewed.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

All financial information will be kept confidential within RAYS Board and Committee.

Will you be applying for a Canada/Provincial Student Loan? Yes No

ESTIMATED COSTS:

Tuition Fees \$ _____

Living Expenses (accommodation/meals) \$ _____

Cost of books, supplies and tools \$ _____

Travel to and from school/jobsite \$ _____

Other _____ \$ _____

TOTAL ESTIMATED COSTS \$ _____

Your savings \$ _____

Funding from other sources \$ _____

TOTAL FUNDING AVAILABLE TO YOU \$ _____

MY FUNDING GAP (Estimated Costs minus Total Funding Available to you) \$ _____

Please state the value of the Bursary you would like to be awarded \$ _____

COLLEGE STUDENTS:

Name the post-secondary college you plan on attending: _____

Name of your post-secondary college course of study: _____

SKILLED TRADES APPRENTICESHIP STUDENTS:

Title of your skilled trade apprenticeship program: _____

Name of your apprenticeship employer: _____

Address of your apprenticeship employer: _____

Phone number of your apprenticeship employer: _____

Email address of your apprenticeship employer: _____

TELL US ABOUT YOURSELF, YOUR AMBITIONS AND GOALS

1. Number of high school volunteer hours completed:
2. How did you complete your high school volunteer hours?
3. List your extracurricular activities and interests:
4. List your places of employment and length of time at each position.
5. Why did you select this post-secondary course of study or skilled trade apprenticeship?

List the top three reasons why you feel you are a good candidate to receive a RAYS Bursary.

1.

2.

3.

Please add any further information that you believe would be helpful to the selection committee.

All information in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief

Date: _____