

BC Oil & Gas Commission Bursary Award

2024 Application

Purpose:

The BC Oil and Gas Commission (Commission) is a single-window regulatory agency with responsibilities for overseeing oil, gas, and renewable geothermal operations in British Columbia. The Commission oversees activities from exploration and development to pipeline transportation and reclamation.

The Commission's Indigenous Education Program is a partnership with several post-secondary institutions across the province to provide scholarships and training programs for Indigenous peoples. The goal of this program is to provide Indigenous people with tangible skills that will benefit them and their communities and promote First Nations and Indigenous peoples' participation in Commission operations beyond the consultation process. This is just one of the many steps the Commission is taking towards a more holistic Indigenous presence throughout the oil and gas regulatory cycle.

Eligibility:

Awarded to Indigenous students from BC First Nations groups (non-status/self-identifying included), enrolled in minimum 60% course loads in any program or field. The students must be in good academic standing (3.0 GPA, B average) and demonstrate financial need. The students are expected to submit applications and financial need statements.

Value:

Three (3) \$1000 bursaries awarded to full-time Indigenous students from BC First Nations groups (non-status/self-identifying included). One award will be granted to a student attending the Merritt campus, one attending the Vancouver campus and one attending Community Education.

Process:

Students must complete the following application checklist:

- Complete and sign the application form.
- Fill out the budget information sheet.
- Complete a one-page description of their financial circumstances while attending school.

Deadline:

The NVIT Registration Office must receive applications by 4:30pm on March 15, 2024. Late or incomplete applications will not be accepted. Please drop off or email awards package. Students may appeal the award decision by submitting a written letter to the awards adjudication committee attention:

BC Oil & Gas Commission Bursary Award
c/o Registration Office
Nicola Valley Institute of Technology-Merritt Campus
4155 Belshaw Street Merritt, BC V1K 1R1
Email: advising@nvit.ca



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PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Name:

Last First Middle Initial

Permanent Mailing Address

(____) _____ - _____ / / _____

Telephone Student ID Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY)

_____ - _____ - _____ _____

S.I.N. Email Address

Citizenship: Canadian Landed Immigrant International Student

Ancestry: Métis Inuit First Nations Status
 First Nations Non-Status Other

Marital Status: Single Common Law/Married Divorced/Separated/Widowed

of Dependents: (under 18) _____ (18 and older/senior) _____

EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION:

What program are you currently enrolled in?

What year of studies are you currently enrolled in? 1st 2nd 3rd 4th

What campus do you attend? _____ Are you full or part-time? _____

EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION:

Have you been working while attending school? Yes No

If so, indicate your occupation during this educational year.

Do you have other sources of income? Yes No

If so, please list the other sources of income:

Are you still dependent on your parents' income? Yes No

If you relocated for school, are you paying for two households? Yes No

Applicant's Declaration:

I hereby declare the information on this application is, to the best of my knowledge, complete and accurate. I acknowledge the information will be used to determine my eligibility for awards administered by NVIT and NVIT reserves the right to verify information on my application. If any of the information provided in this application should change, I understand it is my responsibility to advise the Registrar's Office, in writing, of any such changes. Should I be awarded a scholarship, I agree my name may be released to scholarship donors, my secondary school or college, and may appear in a published list of award winners.

Signature: _____ Date: (yyyy/mm/dd) _____ / _____ / _____

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Budget Information Sheet

MONTHLY INCOME	TERM INCOME
Sponsor/Band Funding: Living Allowance	X 4 months
Spousal Income	X 4 months
Part-time Employment	X 4 months
Income Assistance/ Disability Benefits	X 4 months
E.I./ Training Allowance	X 4 months
Canada Pension Plan/Orphan's Benefit	X 4 months
Child Support or Alimony	X 4 months
Child Tax Benefit/Universal Benefit/Subsidy	X 4 months
Student Loan	X 4 months
Bursaries or Scholarships	X 4 months
Parent/Guardian Contribution	X 4 months
GST Rebate	X 4 months
Other:	X 4 months
Sub-total:	\$ -
Sponsored Tuition/Books/Supplies	
A) TOTAL INCOME	\$ -

MONTHLY EXPENSES	TERM EXPENSES
Rent/Mortgage	X 4 months
Food	X 4 months
Utilities	X 4 months
Phone	X 4 months
Internet	X 4 months
Public Transit	X 4 months
Vehicle Insurance	X 4 months
Fuel Costs	X 4 months
Loans	X 4 months
Credit Cards	X 4 months
Other (please describe)	X 4 months
	X 4 months
Sub-total:	\$ -
Tuition & Fees	
Textbooks & Supplies	
B) TOTAL EXPENSES	\$ -

Unmet Need (Difference between Income & Expenses)	\$ -
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