

# Pat Brownlee-Baker Memorial Scholarship

2024 Application

## Purpose:

Pat Brownlee-Baker was an instructor at NVIT involved with the adult basic education program at various female correctional institutes. She aspired to see women transition successfully back into society. In 2010, she passed away after a long and valiant fight with cancer. Deeply loved and fondly remembered by her family, this award is sponsored by John Brownlee-Baker, her husband, in her memory.

## Eligibility:

The Pat Brownlee-Baker Memorial Scholarship is awarded to two (2) Indigenous female students, enrolled in any program, any level of studies, full or part-time studies from either campus, who were previously released from incarceration and demonstrate financial need. If no students apply, the award will be opened to all Indigenous female students.

## Criteria:

Students must submit a completed application, a budget and two (2) instructor character reference letters attesting to the student's skills and abilities to be eligible for the scholarship.

## Amount:

Each year, two (2) awards of \$500 each will be presented to recipients at the annual NVIT awards ceremony.

## Deadline:

The deadline to submit the Pat Brownlee-Baker Memorial Scholarship to the Registrar's office is 4:30pm, March 15, 2024. Late or incomplete applications will not be accepted. Students wishing to appeal the decision may do so by submitting a letter to the Registration Office attention:

Pat Brownlee-Baker Memorial Scholarship  
c/o Registration Office  
Nicola Valley Institute of Technology  
4155 Belshaw Street Merritt, BC V1K 1R1  
Email: [advising@nvit.ca](mailto: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

## EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION:

What program are you currently enrolled in?

What year of studies are you currently enrolled in?

1<sup>st</sup>

2<sup>nd</sup>

3<sup>rd</sup>

4<sup>th</sup>

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

### Checklist:

- In a sealed envelope, please attach two (2) signed instructor character reference letters attesting to the student's skills and abilities
- Proof of Indigenous ancestry (copy of status/metis card or letter from Band, Tribal Council, Metis or Inuit organization)
- Budget statement

### 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 responsibly 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

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	
		<b>Sub-total:</b>	\$ -
		Sponsored	
		Tuition/Books/Supplies	
		<b>A) TOTAL INCOME</b>	\$ -

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	
		<b>Sub-total:</b>	\$ -
		Tuition & Fees	
		Textbooks & Supplies	
		<b>B) TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	\$ -

		<b>Unmet Need (Difference between Income &amp; Expenses)</b>	\$ -
			<i>(Line A - Line B)</i>