



## Forest Nursery Association of BC Scholarship Award

### Requirements

The purpose of this award is to assist worthy students who are FNABC members or sons/daughters/grandsons/granddaughters/employees of an FNABC member to further their post-secondary education.

1. Depending on the quality of the applications and annual financial considerations, up to two annual awards of \$1000 each will be determined by the FNABC Scholarship Award Committee by August 30th of each calendar year. A short list of the selected applicant(s) will be forwarded to the FNABC Executive for final approval.
2. Applications for this award will be accepted any time prior to Noon (Pacific Daylight Savings Time), Tuesday, July 30, 2024.
3. Applicants **must** be sponsored by a current member of the Forest Nursery Association of BC and applications signed by the member sponsor.
4. Applicants **must** be planning to enter or returning to post-secondary education within the 12 month period following the application deadline.
5. Financial need may be a qualifying criterion, depending on applicants. Please outline your budget for the next year (include income and expenses). The following is a sample format:

Income		Expenses	
Savings		Rent & Food	
Employment		Tuition	
Family		Books	
Awards		Transport	
Other		Other	
<b>Total</b>		<b>Total</b>	

6. **Preference** for this award will be given to a student that is entering into a forestry-related field of study, field horticulture, or agriculture.
7. The Forest Nursery Association of BC (Scholarship Award Committee and Executive) is empowered to: grant this educational award at its discretion; withhold this educational award in any year if there are no eligible applicants, financial considerations or for any reason deemed advisable.
8. The award will be payable on receipt by the FNABC of documentation (e.g. unofficial transcripts) confirming acceptance or continuation into a post-secondary institution.
9. Incomplete or late applications will not be considered.

Complete the following:

## Forest Nursery Association of BC Educational Award Application Form

Name		
Address		
City and Postal Code		
Email address		
Post-secondary Institution (current or planned)		
Field of study		
Signature of applicant		
Signature of FNABC Member Sponsor/Relationship to applicant	Signature  Print: _____	Relationship

**The applicant must have the application sponsored and signed by a local FNABC member indicating the relationship to applicant.**

Include with your application:

1. A brief letter describing your various interests, experience, and reasons you feel qualified for this award.
2. A letter of support from an instructor or administrator at your high school or attending educational institution summarizing your academic standing and record.  
If a high school or attending educational institution support letter is not possible then a letter of reference from a nursery manager, supervisor or grower or past employer with preference given to ones linked to forestry, horticulture or agriculture will be accepted by the FNABC Scholarship Review Committee.
3. A copy of your most recent transcripts of previous year's marks. (Official transcript not necessary)
4. Your budget for the year, including anticipated sources of income and expenses (see above template).

Submit this application form and attachments prior to the July 30<sup>th</sup>, 2024 Noon deadline to: [fnabc@fnabc.com](mailto:fnabc@fnabc.com)

If you have any questions please contact: David Trotter, FNABC Secretary at the above email or 604-936-5264.