

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)**, **Wednesday**, **August 27**, **2025**.
- 3. Applicants <u>must</u> be sponsored by a current member of the Forest Nursery Association of BC and applications signed by the member sponsor.
- 4. Applicants <u>must</u> 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	
Total	Total	

- 6. <u>Preference</u> 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	Signature	Relationship
Sponsor/Relationship to		
applicant		
	Print:	

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 <u>Wednesday, August 27th, 2025, Noon (Pacific Daylight Savings Time)</u> deadline to: <u>fnabc@fnabc.com</u>

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