



STUDENT
APPLICATION
SCHOLARSHIPS
AND AWARDS

Application Process

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Submission

- Print application or see Mrs. Davidson (239) for printed copy of application
- Write in pen
- Type additional documentation
- Effort is encouraged
- Submit paper application to main office OR send to other location if specified**





We Can Help!



The following teachers are part of the Awards and Scholarships Committee. Come see us with for help:

Mrs. Tarasoff rm. 225

Mr. Foster rm. 178

Mrs. Davidson rm. 239

Mrs. Schneider rm. 223

Mrs. Hollings-Killen rm. 239

Mrs. Dupras rm. 247



Scholarship and Awards Handbook



EDSEMBLI Student Portal

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Fine Arts

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2023-2024 Timetable

Athletics

Grad 2024 - UPDATED May 10

Wellness Resources

2024-2025 Resources

[Daily In-School Announcements](#)

Off Campus Programs

Go to our school website:

<https://www.foothillsschooldivision.ca/foothillscomposite/page/2323/students>

> Select Student

>Academic Resources

> Awards and Scholarships

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4. RUTHERFORD SCHOLARSHIP - Apply once you've been accepted to post-secondary through Student Aid Alberta

5. Apply For Student Loans

- Go to student aid Alberta to apply (some of the loan might come in a grant – which means you don't have to pay it back!!)

Learn

Learn more

**Awards and Scholarships
through FCHS/AHSFA - Full
Handbook**

with these resources:

- Alberta (new)

Resources

[Awards & Scholarship Handbook.pdf](#)

[FCHS Scholarship Handbook.pdf](#)

[FMNI Scholarship Flyer.pdf](#)



<https://www.foothillsschooldivision.ca/foothillscomposite/page/4892/awards-and-scholarships>

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Learn More About Scholarships

Learn more about scholarships through these resources:

- Alberta Scholarship Interview (video)

Resources

[Awards & Scholarships Handbook](#)

[FCHS Scholarship Handbook.pdf](#)

[FMNI Scholarship Flyer.pdf](#)

**Scholarship Resources
General**

<https://www.foothillsschooldivision.ca/foothillscomposite/page/4892/awards-and-scholarships>

Okotoks Elks Lodge Scholarship

Award: A total of **three** awards valued at \$1000 per award

Criteria:

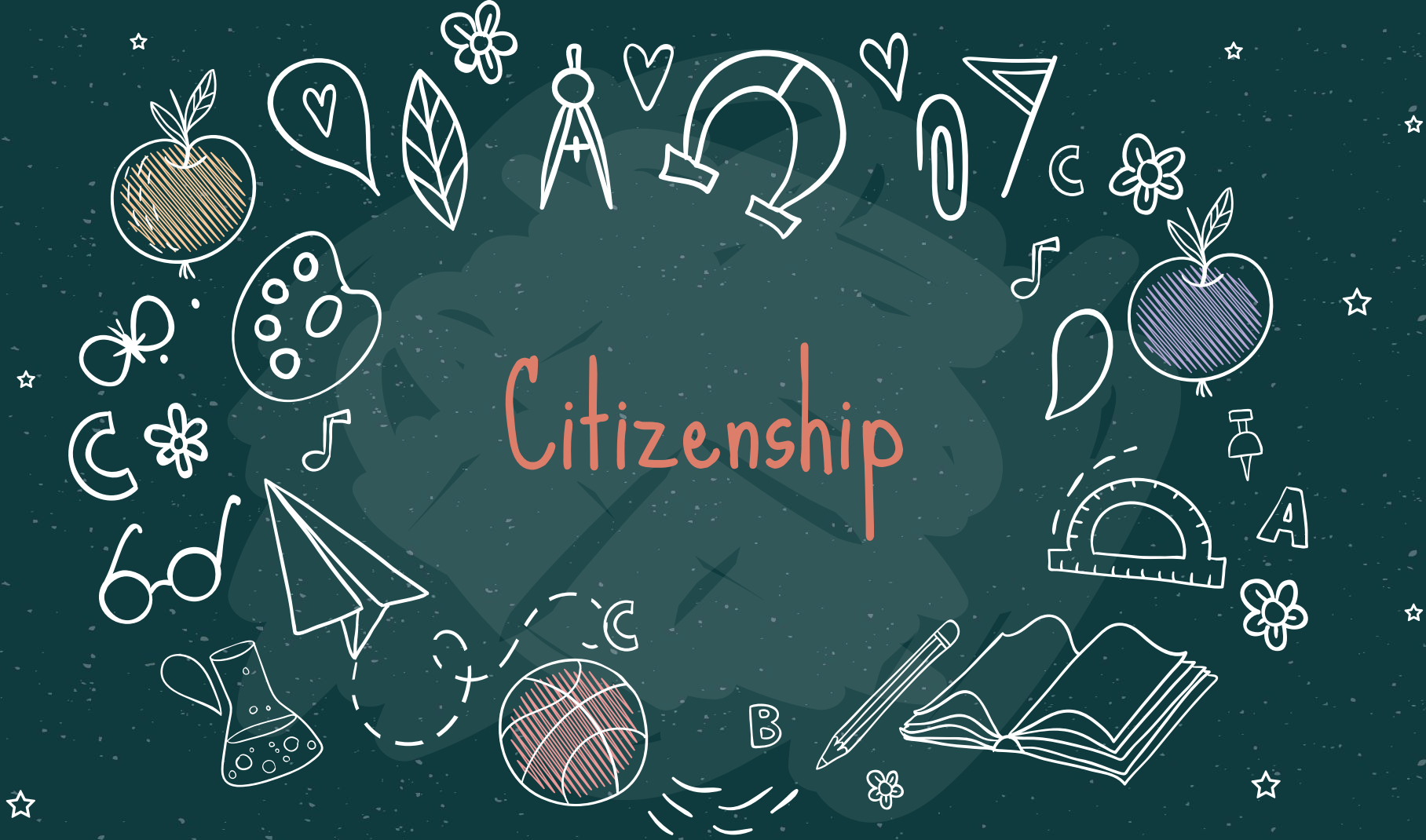
- 1) Must have completed volunteer work to enhance the community.
- 2) Be a graduating grade 12 student
- 3) Must be attending post-secondary the year of graduation.
- 4) Proof of enrolment in a post-secondary school must be provided.
- 5) Strong academics are an asset but will be considered secondary to the community volunteer work.

Okotoks Elks Lodge Scholarship

Submission

- ❑ **SPECIAL APPLICATION.** Applicants must write an essay outlining volunteer work in the community and how this work has helped to build a stronger community.
- ❑ **Essay must be emailed to okotokselks-31@shaw.ca to the attention: David Milos re: Okotoks Elks Scholarship.**

Citizenship



Town of Okotoks Annual Academic Award ☆

Award: \$1000

Criteria:

- Award based on students who demonstrate ambition in **leadership through volunteer activities**, and/or who **model excellent citizenship traits at school or in the community.**

Town of Okotoks Annual Academic Award

Submission

- ❑ See Mrs. Davidson (239) for printed copy of application
- ❑ Write in pen
- ❑ Type additional documentation
- ❑ Effort is encouraged
- ❑ Submit paper application to main office

What form do I need?

General Application Form

[Awards & Scholarships Handbook](#)

★ Dewinton Historical Society Scholarship ★



Description: DeWinton and District Historical Society wishes to recognize outstanding graduates of the school.

Award: \$500

Criteria:

- Must be used immediately following graduation (extension possible through scholarship committee)
- Selections of the scholarship award recipients will be based primarily on scholastic merit (50%), secondly on citizenship (25%) and thirdly on good sportsmanship (25%). The scholastic merit is based on the highest average marks received by the student in the last two semesters the student has attended.

Dewinton Historical Society Scholarship



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- ❑ See Mrs. Davidson (239) for printed copy of application
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- ❑ Type additional documentation
- ❑ Effort is encouraged
- ❑ Submit paper application to main office

What form do I need?

General Application Form

[Awards & Scholarships Handbook](#)

Royal Canadian Legion Scholarship



Award: \$500

Criteria:

- Graduating student in the year of the award
- Student must be enrolled in, pre-registered at and accepted by a recognized post-secondary institution at a professional, technological, trade or other approved program that will start no later than one academic year following graduation
- Best exemplifies: academic achievement, extra-curricular involvement, involvement in the greater community, related work experience, and citizenship

Royal Canadian Legion Scholarship



Submission

- ❑ See Mrs. Davidson (239) for printed copy of application
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- ❑ Effort is encouraged
- ❑ Submit paper application to main office
- ❑ MUST BE HANDWRITTEN

What form do I need?

**Legion Scholarship
Special Application**

Awards & Scholarships Handbook

☆ Kinsmen Club Citizenship Award ☆



Description: The Kinsmen Club of Okotoks, being a service club involving members of the community, wish to recognize one student that is not only academically inclined, but also involved in service to the school and community.

Award: \$500

Criteria:

- A student in good standing at the school and must be graduating in the year the award is given
- Student must have an overall grade 12 average of at least 70%
- Student must be involved in at least one school based extracurricular activity
- Student must be involved in at least one non-school based organization with the community in which the students reside or considers to be their community

Kinsmen Club Citizenship Award



Submission

- ❑ See Mrs. Davidson (239)) for printed copy of application
- ❑ Write in pen
- ❑ Type additional documentation
- ❑ Effort is encouraged
- ❑ Submit paper application to main office

What form do I need?

**Kinsmen Club
Special Application**

Awards & Scholarships Handbook

★ Royal Canadian Legion Bursary ★



Description: To support students enrolled in, pre-registered at and accepted by a recognized post-secondary Institution starting no later than one academic year following graduation.

Award: \$500 - \$1000

Criteria:

- Available only to the children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren of those who are serving or have served in the Canadian armed forces, or are veterans of certain merchant navy operations, or were members of the forces of commonwealth and other allied countries.
- Establishment of acceptable and documented family military background, identifiable need, academic achievement, extra-curricular involvement, involvement in the greater community, related work experience

★ Royal Canadian Legion Bursary ★



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- ❑ Write in pen
- ❑ Type additional documentation
- ❑ Effort is encouraged
- ❑ Submit paper application to main office
- ❑ **MUST BE HANDWRITTEN**
- ❑ **DEADLINE:** May 31st

What form do I need?

**Legion Bursary
Special Application**

Awards & Scholarships Handbook

☆ Western Wheel Journalism Award ☆



Description: The Western Wheel, a community newspaper, wishes to encourage students to become involved in the field of journalism.

Award: \$250

Criteria:

- In grade 12 and taking/completed English 30-1 or English 30-2
- Be interested in journalism
- Show growth and initiative in the field of journalism
- Contribute to school/community newspaper, school newsletter, and or yearbook

☆ Western Wheel Journalism Award ☆



Submission

- ❑ Print application OR see Mrs. Davidson (239) for printed copy
- ❑ Write in pen
- ❑ Type additional documentation
- ❑ Effort is encouraged
- ❑ Submit paper application to main office

What form do I need?

General Application Form

Awards & Scholarships Handbook

CTS & Fine Arts



☆ Windmill Theatre Drama Award ☆



Description: The Windmill Theatre Players are a local group that wish to foster and encourage Drama and the Performing Arts at the school.

Award: \$300

Criteria:

- A graduating student at the school in the year of receiving the award
- A student who makes a contribution to the development of the drama program and a student involved in the production of a drama presentation

☆ Windmill Theatre Drama Award



Submission

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- ❑ Effort is encouraged
- ❑ Submit paper application to office



What form do I need?

General Application Form

Awards & Scholarships Handbook



☆ G. Scott Memorial Scholarship ☆



Description: The Gordon Scott Memorial Scholarship is a performing arts scholarship sponsored by The Alberta Weekly Newspapers Association and administered by Windmill Theatre Players.

Award: \$1000

Criteria:

- A graduating student at the school in the year of receiving the award
- Continuing with post-secondary in the performing arts
- In high academic standing
- A proven participant in high school and/or community theatre

☆ G. Scott Memorial Scholarship ☆



Submission

- ❑ See Mrs. Davidson (239) for printed copy of application
- ❑ Write in pen
- ❑ Type additional documentation
- ❑ Effort is encouraged
- ❑ Submit to address provided
- ❑ DEADLINE Sept. 15th

What form do I need?

**G. Scott Memorial
Special Application**

Awards & Scholarships Handbook

**See special instructions for
letters of reference**

Beneath the Arch Bursary



Description: Beneath the Arch is committed to the development of culture and the performing arts in the Foothills Region. Performing Arts are defined as “any creative, artistic endeavor that is active and viewed by an audience”.

Award: \$1000 divided among recipients

Criteria:

- Student in grade 10, 11, or 12
- Demonstrate financial need
- Provide letter of recommendation (see application)
- Submit a resume or portfolio of work

Beneath the Arch Bursary



Submission

- ❑ See Mrs. Davidson (239) for printed copy of application
- ❑ Write in pen
- ❑ Type additional documentation
- ❑ Effort is encouraged
- ❑ Submit to address provided
- ❑ **DEADLINE:** Postmarked prior to May 31st

What form do I need?

Beneath the Arch Special Application

Awards & Scholarships Handbook

**See special instructions for
application and letters of
reference**

★ Sheep Creek Arts Council Bursary ☆



Award: \$500.00 scholarship that is renewable for up to 4 years. Any form of the fine arts qualifies for this scholarship.

Criteria:

- Be registered at the post-secondary level in Fine Arts
- You may reapply to receive this scholarship for up to 4 years. Priority consideration is given to graduating grade 12 students.

Sheep Creek Arts Council Bursary



Submission

- ❑ See Mrs. Davidson (239) for printed copy of application
- ❑ Write in pen
- ❑ Type additional documentation
- ❑ Effort is encouraged
- ❑ Submit to address provided
- ❑ DEADLINE Sept. 1st

What form do I need?

**Sheep Creek
Special Application**

Awards & Scholarships Handbook

**See special instructions for letter
and transcripts**

AHSFA Society Award



Award: 4 scholarships of \$500

Criteria:

- Grade 12 students who meet the requirements to graduate from AHSFA
- Demonstrated hard work and professionalism in developing their craft
- Pursuing post-secondary studies in any field of study
- Recognized by their peers as a positive mentor within their fine arts program

AHSFA Society Award



Submission

- ❑ See Mrs. Davidson (239) for printed copy of application
- ❑ Write in pen
- ❑ Type additional documentation
- ❑ Effort is encouraged
- ❑ Submit paper application to main office

What form do I need?

**AHSFA Society
Special Application**

[Awards & Scholarships Handbook](#)

☆ AHSFA Future Artist Scholarship ☆



Award: \$1000

Criteria:

- Grade 12 students who meet the requirements to graduate from AHSFA
- Demonstrated excellence and professionalism in developing their craft
- Pursuing post-secondary studies in the fine arts (proof of post-secondary registration must be presented)
- Recognized by their peers as a positive mentor within their fine arts program

☆ AHSFA Future Artist Scholarship



Submission

- ❑ See Mrs. Davidson (239) for printed copy of application
- ❑ Write in pen
- ❑ Type additional documentation
- ❑ Effort is encouraged
- ❑ Submit paper application to main office

What form do I need?

Future Artist

Special Application

Awards & Scholarships

Handbook



☆ Wilkie Family CTS/Arts Appreciation ☆



Description: The Wilkie family would like to thank École Foothills Composite High School/Alberta High School of Fine Arts for providing opportunities for students to explore academic pursuits/passions beyond the traditional academic courses.

Award: \$300

Criteria:

- Student must be in good standing at the school and must be graduating in the year the award is given
- Student must show intent to attend a post-secondary institution
- Student must be involved in a CTS and Fine Arts program/course
- Need and work ethic will be considered

☆ Wilkie Family CTS/Arts Appreciation ☆



Submission

- ❑ Print application OR see Mrs. Davidson (239) for printed copy
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- ❑ Type additional documentation
- ❑ Effort is encouraged
- ❑ Submit paper application to office

What form do I need?

General Application Form

Awards & Scholarships Handbook

Athletics



Big Rock Runners Award



Description: An award that recognizes a student's dedication to running.

Award: Grade 12 \$750 (Grade 10 and 11 awards available - check QR code)

Criteria:

- Full name, grade and school;
- Residential address/rural land description as student must either reside within the Okotoks town boundaries or attend a school within the town;
- Coach's recommendation; and
- Teacher's recommendation; and
- A written submission of up to 500 words describing your running activities over the past two years. Why is running important to you? What do you love about running? What are some of your successes in running? Or perhaps you've had some setbacks that running has helped overcome? Give an account of any community activities, personal interests and how this award would assist you with your future plans. Explain why you should be considered for this award.

★ Big Rock Runners Award



Submission

- ❑ See Mrs. Davidson (239) for printed copy of application
- ❑ **PAPER DEADLINE**: Submit application to main office a week prior to email deadline.
- ❑ **EMAIL DEADLINE**: Submit to email provided by June 24th

What form do I need?

**Big Rock Runners
Special Application**

Awards & Scholarships Handbook

Agriculture



Rainer Hoffman Memorial Scholarship



Award: \$500

Criteria:

- Demonstrates rural leadership and/or strong community/school involvement in organizations such as 4H Program of Alberta
- Farm involvement and agricultural related work experience
- Participation in agricultural related programs
- On track for successful completion of graduation requirements

Rainer Hoffman Memorial Scholarship



Submission

- ❑ See Mrs. Davidson (239) for printed copy of application
- ❑ Write in pen
- ❑ Type additional documentation
- ❑ Effort is encouraged
- ❑ Submit paper application to main office

What form do I need?

General Application Form

[Awards & Scholarships Handbook](#)





Josephine Bews Award



Award: \$500

Criteria:

- Demonstrates rural leadership and/or strong community/school involvement in organizations such as 4H Program of Alberta
- Farm involvement and agricultural related work experience
- Participation in agricultural related programs
- On track for successful completion of graduation requirements



Josephine Bews Award



Submission

- ❑ See Mrs. Davidson (239) for printed copy of application
- ❑ Write in pen
- ❑ Type additional documentation
- ❑ Effort is encouraged
- ❑ Submit paper application to main office
- ❑ **DEADLINE:** First Monday in June

What form do I need?

**Josephine Bews
Special Application**

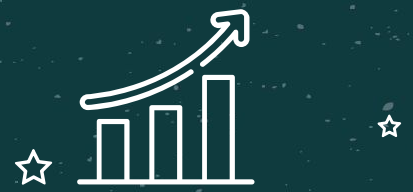
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Business Education





Academy of Learning



Award: \$1,000 in tuition fees at the Academy of Learning

Criteria:

- The recipient must be a graduating student of École Foothills Composite High
- Attends the Academy of Learning, High River
- Demonstrates ability in high school courses related to secretarial arts or accounting
- Demonstrates success in information processing, financial management and/or computer processing
- Has a good academic standing
- Has a financial need
- Is involved in extracurricular activities



Academy of Learning



Submission

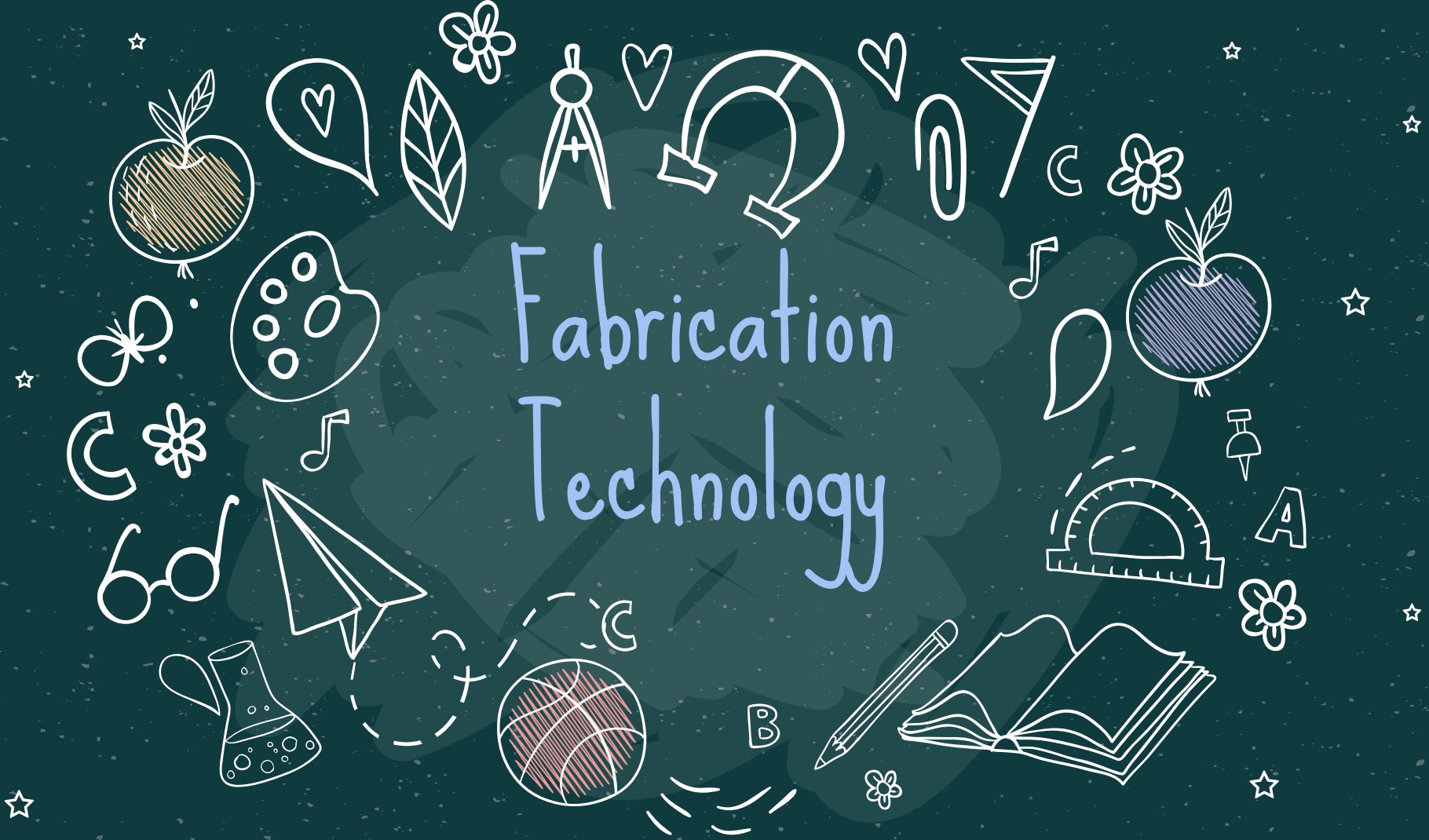
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What form do I need?

General Application Form

Awards & Scholarships Handbook

Fabrication Technology



High River Rotary Club Above Self - Fab



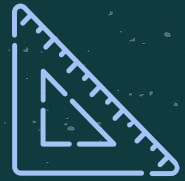
Description: High River Rotary Club Fabrication Studies - Service Above Self Award

Award: \$500

Criteria:

- This scholarship is to be awarded to a student from École Foothills Composite High School who has successfully completed graduation requirements and has a first-class standing in fabrication studies. The recipient will be someone who will be going forward into the mechanical trades
- Along with academic excellence, the recipient will demonstrate involvement in shop-based community projects and, most importantly, involvement within the community showing the Rotary way of "Service above Self"; exemplifying the beliefs of Rotary by the Rotarian four way test. Is it the truth?/ Is it fair to all concerned/ Will it build goodwill and better friendships? Is it beneficial to all concerned?

High River Rotary Club Above Self - Feb



Submission

- ❑ See Mrs. Davidson (239) for printed copy of application
- ❑ Write in pen
- ❑ Type additional documentation
- ❑ Effort is encouraged
- ❑ Submit paper application to main office



Special Application HR Rotary Above Self

[Awards & Scholarships Handbook](#)

See instructions for letter



High River Rotary Club Work Ethic - Fab



Description: High River Rotary Club Fabrication Studies - Work Ethic Award

Award: \$500

Criteria:

- This scholarship is to be awarded to a student from École Foothills Composite High School who has successfully completed graduation requirements and has a first-class standing in Fabrication Studies. The recipient will be someone who will be going forward into the mechanical trades
- Along with academic excellence, the recipient will demonstrate an exemplar work ethic. They have an intrinsic desire to do the best they can and use their time to the utmost. The student has outstanding attendance and participation. The recipient is honest, dependable, and productive

High River Rotary Club Work Ethic - Feb



Submission

- ❑ See Mrs. Davidson (239) for printed copy of application
- ❑ Write in pen
- ❑ Type additional documentation
- ❑ Effort is encouraged
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Special Application HR Rotary Work Ethic

[Awards & Scholarships Handbook](#)

See instructions for letter



Questions?



See Mrs. Davidson
(rm. 239) for any
questions or for
printed copies of
award applications.

