

Faith United Bursary Program Details

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ELIGIBILITY

1. Child or Grandchild (in their last year of high school) of a current full Faith United Church member/adherent
2. Child (in their last year of high school) who is a current full Faith United Church member/adherent
3. An adult (up to and including 25 years of age) who is a current full Faith United Church member/adherent
4. All applicants must have involvement in Faith United Church faith-based programs and community-based programs
5. Proof of acceptance to a University, a College or an Apprenticeship Program

SELECTION CRITERIA

1. High School Diploma Certificate
2. Post-Secondary Graduation certificate, if applicable
3. Faith United Church faith-based programs involvement
4. Community based-involvement

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

1. A completed application form
2. Letters of reference attesting to involvement in Faith United Church faith-based activities(min.2/max3).
3. Letter(s) of reference attesting to community involvement (min.1/max.2).
4. High School Diploma Certificate
5. Post-Secondary Graduation certificate, if applicable
6. Proof of college, university or apprenticeship acceptance with six weeks of coursework already commenced

DEADLINE

Complete applications must reach Faith United Church by July 31st of the applying year. Confirmation of receipt of each application will be provided to the applicant and/or parent/guardian/sponsor by e-mail. An adult applicant will be the only one to receive communication and confirmation.

DECISIONS

The bursary will be established to offer three awards of \$500.00 each. Bursary applications will be reviewed by the Bursary Committee of three current Faith United Church

members/adherents who do not have children applying for the Bursary. The committee members will independently score the applications. The scored applications will be returned to the Bursary Committee Chairperson to be tallied. The top three applicants will be awarded \$500.00 each. In the event there are more than three qualified applicants, the committee can entertain sharing the award evenly amongst the applicants, i.e. $\$1500/4=\375 each.

DISBURSEMENT OF FUNDS

For final dispersal, a proof of college, university or apprenticeship acceptance must be forwarded to the church office on or before July 31st of the applying year. Awards should be finalized by October of that year once the applicant has confirmed attendance at their post-secondary program through proof of enrollment.