



# 4-H BC

## Scholarship Application Guide

Annual Deadline for Scholarship Submission is **Midnight (PT), April 15**

### General Tips

- **Once you've started, your scholarship application form cannot be saved, and will time-out if left open on your computer for an extended period of time.** It's a good idea to read through the application before you begin so you know exactly what is required, and to gather your materials in advance. See the checklist below.
- The form will work best if completed on a desktop computer or laptop– do not use a mobile device like a cellphone to complete the form.
- You can navigate through the form by clicking the “next” button at the bottom of each page, or by clicking the section buttons at the top of the form. You can complete these sections in any order.
- Accepted file types for uploaded documents are: .PDF, .DOC, .DOCX, .HEIC, .JPEG, .JPG, .PNG, .XLSX, and .XLS. However, .PDF files are preferable.

### Material and Information Checklist

- Phone number, address, and principal/dean's name of your current school.
- Information related to 4-H, such as:
  - Number of years you have achieved in 4-H.
  - Number of meetings held by your club in the past five years.
  - Number of club meetings you attended in the past five years.
  - Details about the committees you have been on.
  - Details about your participation in Public Speaking, Demonstrations, Educational Displays, Speak & Show, Judging, and provincial opportunities.
- List of your extracurricular activities and hobbies *unrelated* to 4-H.
- General information about the school you are planning to attend and the program you are planning to complete.
- Budget in the form of a chart or Excel spreadsheet detailing your first or current year of post-secondary education. Needs to include all of your income and expenses.
- Essay of approximately 250 - 300 words on the topic “My Plans for Post-Secondary Education.” Should include your objectives and career alternatives.
- Copy of your most recent school transcript.
- 3 personal references: a community reference, an academic reference, and a 4-H reference. Must include a phone number and letter of reference from each.



If you have any questions, contact the 4-H BC Provincial Office  
by calling **1-866-776-0373** or emailing **admin@4hbc.ca**.

*Good Luck Applicants!*