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BCTA Scholarship Opportunities Academic Year 2024/2025

Available Scholarship Awards

Entering First Year Post-Secondary:

- Motor Carrier Member Award \$1,250
- Associate Member Award \$1,250
- Kerry Winkler Memorial Award \$1,250

Entering Second or Higher Years Post-Secondary:

- Motor Carrier Member Award \$1,250
- Associate Member Award \$1,250
- Kerry Winkler Memorial Award \$1,250

Eligibility

- Children of employees/owners of BCTA Motor Carrier or Associate Members
- Graduating from secondary school or have completed one or more years of post-secondary education
- Must be enrolled or enrolling full-time at an accredited Canadian college, university or institute of technology
- Minimum average grade achievement of 70% or equivalent letter or grade point average
- Member Company must be in good standing with respect to payment of current year's dues

Application

- Completed application form
- Entering first year post-secondary copy of official transcript for the final year of secondary school
- Entering second or higher years post-secondary copy of official transcript of marks from previous year (must be a full time student as defined by Canada Revenue Agency)
- Confirmation of acceptance/continued enrollment to accredited Canadian post-secondary institution
- 1 page outline of student's career goals
- 1 page outline of student's community involvement and/or extra-curricular activities

Evaluation

- Scholastic Achievement: 60/100 points Planning and Career Goals:* 20/100 points
- Community Involvement / Extra-Curricular Activities 20/100 points

*Career goals will be evaluated based on the student's plans to use their education to further their career goals, not on the actual position being sought.



The Kerry Winkler Memorial Scholarship Awards



The Kerry Winkler Memorial Scholarships have been established in the memory of Kerry Winkler by his family and his former employer, ColdFront. The Winkler family are providing a scholarship to a student entering their second year of post-secondary studies, and ColdFront is providing a scholarship to a student graduating from high school. Kerry was President of ColdFront from 2012 to 2018, when illness required him to step down. He was a well-respected leader with exceptionally strong business and strategic skills which were reflected in his passion for his work and the transportation industry. Kerry was an active and enthusiastic participant in and supporter of the BC Trucking Association, including as a BCTA Associate Executive Committee member.



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Scholarship Application Form | Academic Year 2024/25

Student Information		
Student Name:		
Address:		
City:	Province:	Postal Code:
Email:		Telephone:
Name of Member Company:		
Name of Employee / Parent:		
Scholarship Application Check List		

Please be sure to include with your application package:

This completed application form

Copy of official transcript for the final year of secondary school or previous year of post-secondary

Confirmation of acceptance/enrollment to an accredited Canadian post-secondary institution

1 page outline of student's career goals

1 page outline of student's community involvement and/or extra-curricular activities

Declaration

I hereby certify that the above information is true and that any false information may disqualify the above named student from eligibility for a BC Trucking Association Scholarship. Should I be awarded a scholarship, I agree to allow BCTA to publish my name and photograph in news releases, website and other material published by the BCTA.

Name:

Date:

Signature:

Signature of Parent/Guardian (for minors only):

Please forward completed applications to BC Trucking Association, #100 – 20111 93A Avenue, Langley, BC V1M 4A9 or via email to JenniferC@BCTrucking.com

All applications and supporting documentation must be received by July 31, 2025.