

DSS Community Scholarships

Questions and Answers

List of Awards:

1. **When are the applications due?**
 - a. April 30 – 3:00pm
2. **Will you accept a late application?**
 - a. No
3. **What does Category 1 mean?**
 - a. It means there are no supplemental applications (except for the CUPE award). You just check off the scholarship you want to apply to
4. **What does Category 2 mean?**
 - a. It means that there may be supplemental applications you need to submit. Some of these awards are external awards which are managed by DSS and you submit the supplemental application forms back to me and some require you to send the applications direct to the donor
5. **Where do I find the supplemental applications?**
 - a. You will find them on my website – www.deltasecondarycareercentre.weebly.com. Look under “current awards” and you will see them there
6. **What are the deadlines to submit the supplemental applications?**
 - a. It varies depending on which scholarship you are applying to. The deadline will be on the supplemental application. Some supplemental applications you send directly to the donor and some you submit back to me with your scholarship application.
 - b. The supplemental applications you email back to me with your scholarship application is as follows:
 - i. Ancient Light 88 Masonic Lodge Bursary
 - ii. Kinsmen Club of Ladner/Tsawwassen
 - iii. Oddfellows/Rebekah
 - iv. Delta Retired Teachers Scholarship (April 20th deadline)
 - v. District Award (May 4th deadline)
 - c. The supplemental applications you email/mail back to the donor is as follows:
 - i. Delta Choral Society
 - ii. Delta Concert Band Bursary
 - iii. Delta Fastpitch Association
 - iv. Delta Hospital & Community Health Foundation/Robert T Reynolds
 - v. Delta Hospital Auxiliary
 - vi. Delta Lacrosse Scholarship
 - vii. Royal Canadian Legion Br. 61
 - viii. Royal Canadian Legion – Ladies Auxiliary (application not available yet)
 - ix. Take Two Effort
7. **What does Category 3 mean?**

- a. You just check off the scholarships you want to be considered for

Application form

1. Please answer all the questions asked
2. To be eligible for these scholarships, you must be attending a post secondary institution within 3 years of graduating
3. Please indicate your career goal
4. Financial need letter
 - a. Please indicate on a separate piece of paper the circumstances of your financial need
 - b. The information you give is confidential and will only be shared with the Scholarship committee
 - c. Please be as detailed as you can as this will increase your chance of winning an award
5. Listing your activities
 - a. Only list activities from grade 8 onwards (unless you've been participating in the sport/activity from a young age)
 - i. Please be as detailed as you can ie. If you played soccer and were captain of the team, write that down. If you won the Coastal Cup two years in a row, write that down
 - b. Hours of involvement
 - i. You need to indicate total hours of involvement. Please don't write down per week or per year (ie. Played soccer twice a week for 10 years). If you played soccer since grade 8 and accumulated hundreds of hours, you can put down 500+ hours, 1000+ hours or whatever your hours were
6. Signing the application form
 - a. Do not worry if you cannot sign the form electronically. I will still accept it unsigned
7. When will I be notified if I've won an award?
 - a. If we have commencement this year, you will be notified when you walk across the stage. If we don't have commencement?.....not sure what the process will be but will keep you updated