



Optimist Club William J. Cummer Scholarship

DEADLINE: June 30

BACKGROUND: This award is established in recognition of the 70th anniversary of the Optimist Club of Calgary and long standing member, William Cummer, for his service and contributions to the Club.

VALUE: One award at approximately \$2,500 (applied directly to tuition).

CONDITIONS:

Full-time student
Entering **final year of study** in a certificate, degree or diploma program
Alberta resident, Canadian citizen, preference given to students from Calgary area
Service to youth and community
Individual financial need
Good academic standing

APPLY TO: Optimist Club William J. Cummer Scholarship, c/o Student Awards Administrator
The Calgary Foundation
700, 999 8th Street SW
Calgary, AB T2R 1J5
Fax: 403-802-7701
Email: studentawards@thecalgaryfoundation.org

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Application Form

Personal Information (Please Print):

Student #: _____ S.I.N.: _____

Name: Ms. Mr. Surname: _____ Given: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Postal Code: _____ Phone Number: _____

Permanent Home Address: Same as above or:

Postal Code: _____ Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Date of Birth: (mm/dd/yy): _____

Immigration Status: CANADIAN PERMANENT RESIDENT STUDENT VISA

Alberta resident:

Name and location of high school: _____

Year Completed: 1st 2nd 3rd 4th OTHER

Note: To be eligible for this award you must be entering your final year of study.

Academic Record:

For the upcoming year specify: Type of program: Certificate Diploma Degree

Name of educational institution: _____

Faculty: _____ Major: _____

Minor: _____ Degree: _____

Year Entering in the upcoming Fall: 1st 2nd 3rd 4th OTHER

Length of program: _____

In which session do you plan to be registered full-time: FALL WINTER



If you will not be registered full-time for both fall and winter, please explain:

Post-secondary record: (Please attach a copy of your most recent transcript.)

| | Courses/Specialization | Institution | Average Final Grade |
|----------------------|------------------------|-------------|---------------------|
| 1 st Year | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 2 nd Year | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| 3 rd Year | _____ | _____ | _____ |

Community Involvement, Civic Engagement, Volunteerism

Please number and type your answers to the following questions on a separate page and attach to this application form:

1. In your schooling or in your community, what responsibilities have you taken on, what leadership responsibilities, what extra curricular activities?
2. Describe your service to youth and community, including volunteer activities.
3. What are your personal interests and goals outside of the academic environment?
4. In which sports or performance arts do you participate, or have you participated in the past, and at what level (recreational/competitive)?

Financial Information

How much do you expect to earn this summer? Net: _____

Number of weeks employed: _____

Estimated savings from summer employment: _____

If you are unable to work full time for the summer, give reasons why: _____



Where will you live during the four months prior to this September? Parents home Other

Did you apply for a student loan last year? Yes No

Did you apply for a student loan for the upcoming year? Yes No

What is your total outstanding student loan? _____

Extenuating circumstances or additional comments: _____

Complete this budget for the academic year (Fall and/or Winter terms only). If married, or common-law, the budget should be for the whole family. Please explain any extenuating circumstances in the space provided or attach a covering letter.

| EXPENSES | | RESOURCES | |
|--|-----------------|---|-----------------|
| Tuition and Fees | \$ _____ | Savings as of start of academic year (exclude investments) | \$ _____ |
| Are you a visa student? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> | | Your expected part-time earnings during the academic year | \$ _____ |
| Books and supplies | \$ _____ | Investments -= Specify | \$ _____ |
| Where do you plan to live while attending University? Parent's home <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> | | Scholarships/Bursaries (only those confirmed for the upcoming year) | |
| Estimated Living Costs: (including rent, food, transportation, utilities, clothing and personal expenses) | | Specify | \$ _____ |
| \$ _____/month x 8 months = | \$ _____ | Contribution from parents | \$ _____ |
| Child Care | | Does this include a Registered Education Savings Plan? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| \$ _____/month x 8 months = | \$ _____ | Contribution from spouse (net earnings during academic year) | \$ _____ |
| Exceptional Expenses (Specify with amounts) | | Other Income – Specify | |
| _____ | \$ _____ | _____ | |
| _____ | \$ _____ | _____ | \$ _____ |
| TOTAL EXPENSES | \$ _____ | TOTAL RESOURCES | \$ _____ |
| TOTAL EXPENSES \$ _____ minus TOTAL RESOURCES \$ _____ =SHORTFALL\$ _____ | | | |



PRIVACY AND CONSENT

The Calgary Foundation respects your privacy. For detailed information regarding the Foundation’s privacy policy, please call 403-802-7716.

The information that I provided for this application is true, accurate and complete.

I am aware that providing incomplete or false information will be considered fraud and will affect my ability to access future funding.

I authorize The Calgary Foundation to access student information maintained by my high school and the post-secondary institution that I will and/or am attending for the purpose of determining and verifying eligibility for, and the general administration of the award(s) for which I have applied. I am aware that the granting of these awards is subject to conditions listed in my acceptance letter.

I authorize the Selection Committee to contact my references if needed.

I authorize The Calgary Foundation to distribute this application to the Selection Committee for review.

Applicant’s Signature: _____ Date: _____

CONSENT FOR PUBLIC RECOGNITION OF STUDENT AWARD RECIPIENT

Signing this consent form permits The Calgary Foundation to publicly recognize the achievement of the student as a recipient of the award.

If selected for an award, consent is given to The Calgary Foundation to publish the student’s name, school location with award(s) received, future post-secondary plans and excerpts from answers to the essay question contained in the application form. This and celebrating recognition may take place at public award ceremonies or be displayed publicly in one or more ways including but not limited to newspaper, school newsletter, and yearbook for the purpose of recognizing student accomplishment(s). It is understood that not signing this consent will not prejudice the consideration of student award applications.

Applicant’s Signature: _____ Date: _____

It is your responsibility to ensure that all relevant information has been included or attached. Incomplete applications may not be considered. Forward completed applications to, Scholarship Administrator, The Calgary Foundation, 700, 999-8th Street SW, Calgary, AB, T2R 1J5. Incomplete applications may not be considered.