



# **ONECA Post-Secondary Student Award**

**Ontario Native Education Counselling Association**

**37A Reserve Road, Box 220, Naughton, Ontario, P0M 2M0**

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A \$1000.00 scholarship will be awarded annually to an aboriginal (Status, Non-status, Metis and Inuit) Post Secondary COLLEGE student and to a (Status, Non-status, Metis and Inuit) post-secondary UNIVERSITY student, who have successfully completed their first year in a full-time program in a field of study that has a counselling component. These two (2) scholarships are administered by the Ontario Native Education Counselling Association.

## **CRITERIA**

- Full-time Post Secondary student of aboriginal ancestry in their second year of their field of study
- Must have successfully completed their first year in a program that has a counselling component at an Ontario Post-Secondary Institution
- 75% overall average in first year
- Proceeding into the second year or graduate year of the same program
- Involvement in the community and/or school extra-curricular activities
- Recommended by Education Counsellor or a Teacher
- Leadership qualities, dedication and good attendance

## **APPLICATION PROCEDURE**

- Application forms are available from a First Nation Education office, and Education Counsellor or from the ONECA office at (705) 692-2999
- Applications will only be processed after all of the following documents are received**
- Copy of letter of acceptance into second year of the program**
- Proof of Ancestry**
- Letter of recommendation from school, First Nation, or Education Counsellor**
- Copy of final marks for 1<sup>st</sup> year of the program**
- Copies of awards, diplomas, or other supporting documents**
- 500 word essay outlining why you have chosen this career path.**

## **SELECTION PROCEDURE**

All application will be reviewed by the Scholarship Committee and the Executive of the Ontario Native Education Counselling Association. Completed documents **must be received by June 30, 2023. Final grades must be received by July 31, 2023.**

**PRESENTATION OF AWARDS**

The two scholarships will be forwarded to the recipients and special recognition will be given to the award winners in their community by their District Representative and Counsellor.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:** June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2023 @4:00 p.m.

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<b>NAME:</b>	
<b>ADDRESS:</b>	<b>POSTAL CODE:</b>
<b>TELEPHONE:</b>	<b>EMAIL:</b>
<b>FIRST NATION COMMUNITY:</b> _____	
<b>or Non-Status</b>	<b>Metis:</b> <b>Inuit</b>
<b>SCHOOL:</b>	
<b>EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:</b>	
<b>COMMUNITY: (i.e. volunteer, youth groups)</b>	<b>SCHOOL: (i.e. Clubs, teams, councils)</b>
<b>POST SECONDARY INSTITUTION:</b>	
_____	
<b>Name of Program Attending:</b>	
<b>RECOMMENDED BY:</b>	
<b>Position:</b>	<b>Date:</b>

Open to students of Aboriginal ancestry proceeding into the second year or graduate year of the same program.

**DEADLINE FOR APPLICATION: June 30, 2023 DOCUMENTATION DEADLINE July 31, 2023**

Forward supporting documents i.e. transcripts, final report cards, awards, diplomas, copy of second year acceptance letter from post-secondary institution etc. **PLEASE NOTE: Send copies to ONECA NO EMAIL or FAXED APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED**

**CHECKLIST**

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Completed Application Form <b>SEND BY June 30, 2023</b></li><li>○ Copy of final marks for 1<sup>st</sup> &amp; 2<sup>nd</sup> term of the first year program</li><li>○ Letter of recommendation from a Teacher or Education Counsellor</li><li>○ Proof of Indigenous Ancestry- i.e. Status Card, Valid Metis Card,</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>○ Final Transcripts <b>SEND BY July 31, 2023</b></li><li>○ Copies of Awards, Diplomas or other supporting Documentation</li><li>○ 500 Word Essay outlining why you have chosen this career path</li></ul>
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**AUTHORIZATION FORM**

I \_\_\_\_\_ authorize the post-secondary institution I am presently attending to provide ONECA with information regarding my attendance at the institution for the purpose of verifying and meeting the criteria for a scholarship from ONECA.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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**RELEASE OF INFORMATION FORM**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby give permission to the Ontario Native Education Counselling Association to publish my name, biography and photograph to their website at [www.oneca.com](http://www.oneca.com) and in their newsletter as a recipient of the 2013 Four Directions Scholarship.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
(In case of minors: Parent/Guardian Signature)



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**APPLICATION DEADLINE: June 30, 2023 @4:00 P.M. FINAL GRADES/TRANSCRIPTS: July 31, 2023**

### CHECKLIST

SEND BY JUNE 30	SEND BY JULY 31
<input type="checkbox"/> Completed Application Form	<input type="checkbox"/> Copy of final grades from year one
<input type="checkbox"/> Proof of Aboriginal Ancestry (see criteria)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Letter of Recommendation	
<input type="checkbox"/> Copy of Acceptance Letter	
<input type="checkbox"/> Copy of first year grades	
<input type="checkbox"/> Recent Photo	
<input type="checkbox"/> Signed Release Form	
<input type="checkbox"/> Signed Authorization form	
<input type="checkbox"/> 500 word essay outlining why you chose the career path	
	<b>MAIL YOUR APPLICATION TO:</b> Ontario Native Education Counselling Association P.O. Box 220, 37A Reserve Road Naughton, Ontario

