



Bursary Application Form

Bursary information

Purpose

The purpose is to assist brethren, children, grandchildren, wives and widows of brethren and deceased brethren in the jurisdiction (province) of New Brunswick with university/college/trade school education.

Basis of awards

The financial circumstances of the applicant/family will be the foremost consideration when awarding bursaries.

Requirements

The bursaries can attend any university/college/trade school, and study level.

Payment of bursaries

The bursary amount will be paid directly to the university/college/trade school the student attends. Should one or more bursaries fail to be awarded during the year, the amount will be used for additional bursaries in future years.

Selection of the applicants

Applications for these bursaries shall only be made in writing on the GLNB masonic bursary form – March 31, 2025. All other forms are not acceptable. This is very **important!** Applications that are not fully completed will **not** be considered.

Applications must be fully completed and signed by the applicant, a responsible adult (if the applicant is a dependant), the Worshipful Master, and the Secretary of the Mason's Lodge.

Make sure the application is fully completed, and attach the following three items:

1. This completed form,
2. Proof of acceptance from the college/university/trade school, and
3. Colour photograph suitable for publication/social media (passport type of photo – 2½" x 3½").

And send to:

The Office of the Grand Secretary
PO Box 20072, Brunswick Square
SAINT JOHN NB E2L 5B2

Applications **must be received** no later than the **second Friday in July**. Late applications will not be considered.

The Bursary Committee, appointed for the purpose, shall select the awards.

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1. Statement by Applicant

1.1. Who are you?

Name in full _____ Age _____

Street address _____

City/Town/Village _____ Prov _____ Postal Code _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Social Insurance Number: _____

1.2. Masonic connection

1.2.1. What is/was the name of the mason you are related to that makes you eligible for this bursary? (We're looking for his name)

1.2.2. What is your relationship with this mason? _____

1.2.3. What is the name of the Masonic Lodge where he is/was a member? _____

1.2.4. What high school or institution did you attend to prepare for university/college/trade school? _____

1.2.5. Mention any distinctions gained in schoolwork, sports, school societies, etc., and positions of responsibility held.

1.2.6. Have you already received your acceptance from an educational institution? Yes No

What year of studying will you be entering? (1st, 2nd, etc.) _____

What course will you be taking? _____

What work will this lead you to pursue? _____

1.2.7. What college/university/trade school will you be attending? _____

Street address or PO Box _____

City/Town/Village _____ Prov _____ Postal Code _____

1.2.8. Have you received or applied for any other bursary or scholarship? If so, please provide details, including name and amount.

Applied for	Amount (\$)	Received (\$)
_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____	\$ _____

1.2.9. Have you previously received a Masonic bursary? Yes No

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1.2.10. I understand and agree that **any change(s)** in my intention to enter university/college/trade school this year or in my choice of institution of higher education and course of study **will be sent in writing to the Office of the Grand Secretary without delay before the closing date of the second Friday of July** for receipt of this application. **Initial to signify you have read and understand this requirement.**

1.2.11. If awarded a bursary, I understand that it will be conditional on my entering or returning to an educational institution this current year. Please initial to signify that you have read and understood **this requirement.**

You must include the following with this form:

1. Proof of acceptance at the above-named college/university/trade school.
2. Colour photograph suitable for publication/social media (passport type of photo – 2½" x 3½").

Signature of applicant

Date

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2. The applicant's husband, father, mother, guardian, or grandparent must complete the following declaration.

I, _____, of _____, the county of _____, in the Province of New Brunswick, do solemnly declare and state:

2.1. I am the husband, father, mother, guardian, or grandparent of the applicant mentioned earlier.

2.2. The total number of dependents in our family is _____, composed of the following: (Give names and ages of dependents)

Dependent #1 _____ Age _____

Dependent #2 _____ Age _____

Dependent #3 _____ Age _____

Dependent #4 _____ Age _____

2.3. Our financial position is as follows:

State the gross income (income before taxes), sources of the same, and any other facts you believe would assist the committee. The gross income of both parents must be indicated. If none, state NIL. For Guardian or Grandparents, indicate that you are a guardian or grandparent.

Father: Gross salary \$ _____ Other income \$ _____

Mother: Gross salary \$ _____ Other income \$ _____

Other facts: _____

Note for applicant: If you are no longer a dependant, provide information on your earnings:

Gross income \$ _____

2.4. Other than a bursary or scholarship, have you or the applicant made an application for or received financial assistance for their education from other sources (i.e., provincial grants or loans)? If yes, please explain:

Source _____ Amount received \$ _____

Source _____ Amount received \$ _____

Remarks _____

2.5. What financial support will you provide to the applicant? \$ _____

Explain _____

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2.6. **If you are a guardian or grandparent**, briefly explain why the natural parents are not completing this portion of the application and/or not contributing. _____

Signature of the husband, father, mother, guardian, or grandparent of applicant

Date

3. **The following declaration must be completed by the Worshipful Master and Secretary of the Masonic Lodge that your Masonic relative was a member.**

3.1. We certify that the above Mason, Brother is/was a member in good standing and not in arrears of Lodge _____ No. _____
and that the enclosed information is correct and complete to the best of our knowledge.

Signature of Worshipful Master

Signature of Lodge Secretary

Date

Note! Bursaries have not been awarded in the past because the Worshipful Master and Secretary have not signed. Please get both signatures of this application.

(For Grand Lodge use only below)

4. **Disposition of Application**

Committee

Date