

# BC HYDRO ABORIGINAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS

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BC Hydro scholarships are awarded to select B.C. students who are leaders and role models in their schools and communities. We look to support B.C. students who demonstrate a balanced lifestyle and commitment to a post-secondary education of their choice.

## ELIGIBILITY

Scholarship applications will be accepted from students from B.C. who are currently enrolled in a full-time public post-secondary institution or students in Grade 12 in B.C. who are planning to pursue a full-time public post-secondary education in Canada who can self identify as Aboriginal (First Nations, Métis or Inuit). Students pursuing an education in technology or engineering will be considered priority applicants. General Admission students are also encouraged to apply.

Students who have previously received a BC Hydro scholarship will not be eligible. Please note that scholarships are for the next school year and cannot be deferred from one year to the next.

## HOW TO APPLY

The following information must be included, in duplicate, to be considered for one or more of these scholarships:

1. completed application form
2. reference letter from a teacher or faculty member
3. covering letter describing why you are a good candidate for the scholarship
4. current official transcript of Grade 12 and/or post-secondary institution

Please send your completed scholarship package between **January 25 and April 16, 2010** (post-marked on or before April 16) to **BC Hydro, Community Investment—Scholarship, 15th Floor, 333 Dunsmuir Street, Vancouver, B.C. V6B 5R3.**

For further information, please call **604 623 4401**, or visit [www.bchydro.com/scholarships](http://www.bchydro.com/scholarships).

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

(Print or type all information except signature)

The information provided in this application will be kept confidential and will be used for the purpose of assessing the applicant's eligibility for a scholarship in the above scholarship programs.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Permanent address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Number of years in B.C. \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Postal code \_\_\_\_\_

I, (print name) \_\_\_\_\_ do hereby certify that I am of Aboriginal ancestry.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



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## 1. EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION

(Please attach your most recent high school, college or university official transcript)

List in chronological order all of the institutions you have attended, starting with secondary school through to your present program.

Institution	Years attended From/To	Program/Faculty
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## 2. FOR GRADE 12 STUDENTS ONLY

Please indicate your planned field of study and the post-secondary institution where you plan to register and the date you will start classes.

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## 3. Your individual financial needs will be considered to some extent. If you would like to volunteer information for consideration, please provide details of your financial needs.

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## 4. Describe what led you to choose your field of study and elaborate on your career goals.

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## 5. Describe volunteer positions you have held, including length of time in each position.

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## 6. Outline your extracurricular activities, interests and achievements.

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## 7. Describe a challenging situation where you have shown leadership and/or teamwork at school or in your community.

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8. Any other relevant information.

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I have included five attachments with this form, and a duplicate set, and declare that the information is complete and correct.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Student signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Consent of parent or guardian for applicants under the age of 19.**

I, (print name) \_\_\_\_\_, of (address) \_\_\_\_\_  
being the parent or guardian of the person named above, consent to the above-named student applying for a BC Hydro scholarship and to the disclosure of personal information for use during this application process only.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Parent or guardian signature \_\_\_\_\_