



ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION NELSON BRANCH # 51 POPPY FUND BURSARY APPLICATION

Preference will be given to those descendants of Canadian Forces ex-service or current personnel.

APPLICATION FORMS MUST BE RETURNED TO:

ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION
402 VICTORIA STREET
NELSON, B.C.
V1L 4K5
Email – office@rcl51.ca

COMPLETED APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED NO LATER THAN MAY 2, 2026

- It is the responsibility of the applicant to fully and properly complete the application to ensure that all related items are submitted to the Nelson Legion Branch #51 or School office by the deadline date.
- Applicants must provide a statement from a teacher, school principal, professor or education administrator or other letter of reference attesting to the applicant's character.
- An applicant must provide a concise statement about their educational goals or objectives and of their expected degree or professional qualification/certification.
- Although others may be considered based on need, preference will be given to the sons and daughters, grandchildren and great grandchildren of Veterans or current Canadian Service Personnel.
- Bursaries will be awarded to students planning to attend, or are currently attending university, a regional college, or an approved school for vocational or technical training in the province of British Columbia, the Yukon, or Southern Alberta.
- Our awards may be used outside BC only if there are extenuating circumstances such as availability of courses or living arrangements.
- Applications will be accepted from qualified persons living within the Nelson area of Royal Canadian Legion Branch 51 not the area of other legions.
- Recipients of \$1,000 bursaries may be asked to help with the Poppy Campaign.
- The funds expended for these bursaries are generated by our Poppy Campaign.

PLEASE NOTE:

Any bursary awarded will only be made payable to the post-secondary educational institution and will not be paid until proof of enrolment is received, along with student number.

Once the bursary is granted by the Legion, the student has until September 1st of the following year to submit the enrolment documentation, otherwise the bursary will expire.



APPLICATION FORM (Please Print Clearly)

SECTION 1 – STUDENT INFORMATION

Full Legal Name of Applicant			
First Name:	Middle Name:	Last Name:	
Mailing Address			
Number	Street	City	Postal Code
Telephone & E-mail			
Home:	Cell:	E-mail:	
Other			
Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)	Social Insurance Number		

SECTION II – HIGH SCHOOL, COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY AND EDUCATION INFORMATION

College/University/Institution will you be attending			
Name:	Campus:		
Mailing Address			
Number	Street	City	Postal Code
Telephone & E-mail			
Phone:		Registrar's E-mail:	
Other			
Student Number			



SECTION III – MILITARY SERVICE INFORMATION

Full Name of ____ Parent ____ Grandparent ____ Great Grandparent (check one)		
First Name	Middle Name	Last Name
Service Details		
Service Number		
WW1 <input type="checkbox"/>	WWII <input type="checkbox"/>	KOREA <input type="checkbox"/>
PEACE KEEPING <input type="checkbox"/>	REGULAR ARMED FORCES <input type="checkbox"/>	OTHER – PLEASE SPECIFY <input type="checkbox"/>

SECTION IV –FINANCIAL INFORMATION (do not fill in if self supporting)

Father's Name		
First Name:	Middle Name:	Last Name:
Occupation		

Mother's Name		
First Name:	Middle Name:	Last Name:
Occupation		

Family Net Income: UNDER \$100,000 ☐ OVER \$100,000 ☐

NOTE: Declare income from all sources, using amounts shown in last year's income tax return. If a disability pensioner, give particulars, including amount of pension.



IF SELF SUPPORTING:

Are you		
Single <input type="checkbox"/>	Married <input type="checkbox"/>	Number of Dependents
Occupation		

Family Net Income: UNDER \$75,000 ☐

OVER \$75,000 ☐

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Is the applicant applying for a Government Loan or Grant? ☐

Has the applicant previously applied for a Legion Bursary? ☐

If so, state the years of application _____

Was a Bursarie(s) awarded? ☐ Total Bursaries awarded _____

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IMPORTANT:

Only fully completed applications will be accepted.

I hereby certify that the above information concerning income and military service is correct.

(Signature of Applicant)

DATE ____/____/_____
dd / mm / yyyy

Please send your completed application and any supporting documents to:

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