

# Morice Community Skills Centre Legacy Fund Bursary Application for Houston Students

Any award over \$500 is subject to a T4A and students will need to claim this amount as taxable income.

DEADLINE:	Applications may be submitted at any time.
DESCRIPTION:	The purpose of the Morice Community Skills Centre Legacy Fund Bursary is to encourage and financially assist Houston area residents' access and participation in formal learning and skill development. An individual may receive the award maximum once per school year (Sept-Aug) and must successfully complete courses for which they receive the fund before applying again. Funds are granted on a first-come, first-serve basis. The amount granted will be based on the cost of tuition, fees, books, travel and childcare to a max determined annually depending on interest received from investments. The current maximum amount as of August 2023 is \$2,500.
CRITERIA:	<p>To be eligible a student must be 19 years of age or older, a resident of the *Houston area (as defined below), registered in a course/program at a recognized post-secondary institute or training agency, and demonstrate *financial need.</p> <p>*Houston Area Telkwa and Smithers Residents: Not eligible Western Boundary: Top of Hungry Hill, 0.5 km west of Summit Lake Road, 2 km east of Hungry Hill Eastern Boundary: 3.8 km east of Topley Southern Boundary: End of Owen Lake, 5.5 km north of Owen Lake</p> <p>*Financial Need Determined based on gross income and family size thresholds set by the BC Adult Upgrading Grant (AUG) program. Career and College Preparation students are expected to apply to the AUG program for assistance with educational expenses. Students whose educational expenses are paid by a sponsor are not eligible.</p>
APPLICATION:	A complete application includes this form, a copy of the applicant's tax return (showing line 15000 gross income), a registration statement and documentation of expenses. *Note: Married/Common Law students are required to submit their spouse's income documentation.

NAME:		STUDENT ID:	
ADDRESS:		PHONE #:	
CITY:		EMAIL:	
DATE OF BIRTH:		SIN:	
MARITAL STATUS:	Single <input type="radio"/> Single Parent <input type="radio"/> Married <input type="radio"/> Common Law <input type="radio"/>	# CHILD DEPENDENTS:	

Post-Secondary or Training Institution you are attending:

\_\_\_\_\_

Course/Program: \_\_\_\_\_

Start Date: \_\_\_\_\_ End Date: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like assistance with the following:

Have you recently been laid off from full-time employment?

Yes  No

Tuition: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

If "Yes", please tell us from where:

Fees: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Textbooks: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Travel: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (\$225/max per school year)

Childcare: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (\$125/max per school year)

Applicant's

Spouse's

Gross Income: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Gross Income (if applicable): \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Are you receiving any other awards?

Yes  No

If "Yes" provide total amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

I declare that the information on this application is correct and I authorize Coast Mountain College to verify my enrolment at the above institution/agency.

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Office Use Only:

Approved:  Denied:

Total Award: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Financial Aid Officer: \_\_\_\_\_