



# BC Dairy Association Scholarships

## Overview

BC Dairy Association, a proud sponsor of BC School Sports, is pleased to announce this year's Scholarship Fund. BC Dairy Association is dedicated to assisting worthy student-athletes in their desire to attend an accredited Canadian University or College by sponsoring this year's BC Dairy Association Scholarship.

The BC Dairy Association Scholarship rewards student-athletes who exemplify school spirit, practice a healthy lifestyle, and engage with their community.

Scholarships may be awarded to students enrolled in member schools who apply, and who meet all of the criteria set out below.

## Scholarships Available (2 x \$1000)

To qualify, applicants must have competed in BCSS approved sports, specifically, **girls or boys soccer** during the applicant's grade 12 school year. Applicants must be enrolled in a BC secondary member school, be graduating this 2017-18 school year and will be entering their first full-time studies in a Canadian University or College. Applicants must have demonstrated school spirit, a healthy lifestyle, and community involvement in order to be considered.

## Payment of Scholarship Funds

A scholarship will be paid to the successful applicant upon receipt by BC School Sports of proof of registration in a full-time program of study at an accredited Canadian College or University. Receipt of the award may be deferred for a period no longer than one (1) academic year.

For tax reasons, successful applicants are required to provide their Social Insurance Number (SIN) to BC School Sports.

## Application Procedure

Candidates for scholarships must complete a BC Dairy Association Scholarship Application Form online (see below).

Print the completed form, sign the Candidate Declaration section and have an administrator (Principal or Vice-Principal) complete the Endorsement section.

Attach the following **mandatory** documentation in support of your application:

- A 400 to 500 word essay (minimum of three paragraphs) relating your experience in school sports to the concept of school spirit, a healthy lifestyle, and community involvement.

- Letter from a school administrator (or his/her designate) certifying candidate's school spirit, healthy lifestyle, and community involvement.
- Letter from the school coach certifying candidate's school spirit, healthy lifestyle, community involvement, and athletic ability; and
- Transcript of grades showing percentages for all grade ten, eleven and twelve courses completed, as well as interim percentages for all courses in progress

## Form Instructions

Download the form to your computer. You may begin typing in the boxes to fill in the required information. Boxes will expand to accommodate more information as you type. Pressing enter will start a new line.

## Application Deadline

Completed and signed application forms, together with all supporting documentation, must reach the BC School Sports office by email ([info@bcschoolsports.ca](mailto:info@bcschoolsports.ca)) no later than **May 7th, 2018**.

## Submission Instructions

**Only completed applications will be considered.** Please refer to the Document Checklist to ensure that you have submitted all required documentation.

Applications will be accepted by e-mail **only**.

All submissions can be e-mailed to [info@bcschoolsports.ca](mailto:info@bcschoolsports.ca). Please ensure all scanned documents are high quality and legible.

All attachments should be in PDF or .doc (Word) format. Other file formats will not be accepted. All documents should have the candidate's first and last name in the filename.

When your application is received, BC School Sports will contact you using the e-mail address that the application was sent from to confirm receipt. If you do not receive a confirmation, we might not have received your application.

# BC Dairy Association Scholarship Application

Please refer to the Application Instructions document for information about how to fill out this form and what supplementary documents are required. Incomplete applications will not be considered. **You may type directly into the boxes on this application.**

*Note for Mac users: if you have trouble using the dropdown or check boxes, you may type your response into the box/mark an "X" into the space before the dropdown/check box (as appropriate).*

## Section A: Applicant Information

Form submit date:

First name:

Last name:

Middle name:

Date of birth:

Current school:

Home address:

City:

Postal code:

Phone number:

E-mail address:

Applicant Gender: [Click to select gender.](#)

## Section B: BC School Sport Participation

List all **BC School Sports** sports/school athletic teams on which you have competed in grades 10, 11, and 12. Approved sports include: aquatics, badminton, basketball, cross country, curling, field hockey, football, golf, gymnastics, mountain biking, rugby (boys), skiing, snowboarding, soccer, tennis, track and field, volleyball, wrestling

Grade 10

Grade 11

Grade 12

## Section C: Athletic Achievement

List all athletic awards that you received in grades 10, 11, and 12.

Grade 10

Grade 11

Grade 12

## Section D: Athletic Leadership

List all athletic leadership positions you have held in grades 10, 11, and 12.

Grade 10

Grade 11

Grade 12

## Section E: Overall Academic Percentage

Count 4 credit courses only.

Grade 11	%
Grade 12	%

## Section F: Academic Achievements

List all scholastic achievement awards you have received in grades 10, 11, and 12.

Grade 10
Grade 11
Grade 12

## Section G: Post-Secondary Institutions

List the Canadian Colleges and Universities to which you have applied, or intend to apply, for the upcoming academic year.

## Section H: Leadership and Volunteerism

Starting with the most recent, list the community service activities in which you have participated in grades 10, 11 and 12. **If you require more space for your information, click within the box area below and then use the blue “+” to generate another content box.**

Name of organization or school initiative:	
Years of involvement (from – to)	
Time commitment (e.g. monthly/weekly/hours)	
Is this a credited school course? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Did you receive pay, a wage or financial benefit for this activity? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Explain the type of activities involved (box will expand as you type):	

## Candidate’s Declaration

By submitting this application by email, I declare and agree that all information that I have provided in my application is true, complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

I understand and agree that:

1. My application information may be subject to verification.
2. Application materials will not be returned.
3. BCSS and BC Dairy will not be responsible for applications lost during submission.
4. I may be required to mail in a hard copy of my application.
5. If my application is successful, I understand I will have to provide copy of a photograph and my Social Insurance Number (for tax purposes) to BCSS.

## Publication of Applicant Information

BC School Sports and BC Dairy reserves the right to publish the name, secondary school, city/town, brief list of scholastic/athletic achievements, photograph and anticipated university/college and course of study of all successful applicants, in BCSS publications, websites, newsletters, and press releases to selected Canadian media outlets.

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## Required Attachments

- Application form
- 400-500 word essay
- Letter from principal with endorsement
- Letter from coach
- Transcript for grades 10-12

Any documents besides the ones listed above will be discarded and not considered in the application.

E-mail application to [info@bcschoolsports.ca](mailto:info@bcschoolsports.ca) and ensure that all documents are PDF or .doc format.