

2019 SHARIF SCHOLAR AWARD SCHOLARSHIP & BURSARY

DESCRIPTION OF THE AWARD

This scholarship is instituted in the memory of Syed Shariful Hasan Naqvi.

The Sharif Scholar organization believes that children should have access to profound opportunities limited only by their imagination. Yet lower incomes for some parents, especially immigrant parents trying to find a foothold in this country should not result in the denial of opportunities to their children.

Canada offers its citizens a high standard of living, and a robust education system. The Sharif Scholar program wants to provide an opportunity for the those children of immigrants, who need a little support, to imagine their own futures in this country, and through that success contribute and give back to the country that has itself given them so much.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

There are five conditions of eligibility:

1. The applicant student must be a Canadian citizen or a Permanent resident
2. The applicant student must be enrolled in a full-time accredited Post Secondary education program at a college or university or any other qualified institution in Canada.
3. The applicant student should be a first generation immigrant.
4. The applicant must not have been a Canadian citizen or Permanent citizen for more than 20 years
5. Must not be older than 28 years of age at the time of submitting their application for scholarship or bursary.

If you meet these five conditions you are eligible to apply for a Sharif scholar scholarship or bursary.

SELECTION CRITERIA

- Proof of studying at a post-secondary institution
- Evidence of academic standing
- Evidence of community service

APPLICATION FORM CHECKLIST

- One original application form
- Your typed essay
- One letter of reference from your school (optional)
- One or more letters or certificates from organizations that you have volunteered with.
- One copy of an official transcript of grades including provincial exam results for grades 12 or the most recent 2 years at the Post-Secondary institution (If final transcripts are not available for the current year, then students should submit available transcripts and mid-term marks for their subjects/term.)
- Copy of your driving license or other suitable document to confirm your identity.

MAILING INSTRUCTIONS & DEADLINE INFORMATION

- **All applications must be received by 30th May, 2019.**
- Email completed applications to: Scholarship Committee at info@sharifscholars.com
- Incomplete and late applications will not be accepted

FURTHER INQUIRIES

- Please visit www.sharifscholars.com and read our FAQs. If you still do not find the answers that you are looking for please email us at info@sharifscholars.com

2019 SHARIF SCHOLAR AWARD APPLICATION

IMPORTANT: Applicants must read instructions on pages 1 & 2 before completing this application.

Last Name: _____ First: _____

Female Male

Date of Birth [DD/MM/YY]: _____

Canadian Citizen Permanent Resident Other

Mailing Address

Street: _____

City: _____ Province: _____

Postal Code: _____

Home Telephone: _____

E-mail: _____

How important are the following factors in your decision to apply for this scholarship?

(enter relevant number into the space below as appropriate: "1 to 5": 1 = not really important, 5 = very important)

Recognition of accomplishments: _____ Financial Need: _____

How will you be financing your post-secondary education?

Parent/s Student Loan Scholarships Work Other

VOLUNTEERING

PLEASE TELL US WHAT VOLUNTEERING ACTIVITIES YOU HAVE BEEN INVOLVED IN DURING THE PAST THREE YEARS AT SCHOOL (IF NECESSARY ATTACH ADDITIONAL INFORMATION)

YEAR	NAME OF CHARITY OR COMMUNITY ORG.	BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF ACTIVITY (POSITIONS HELD)	HRS/MONTH; MONTHS/YR

SCHOOL AWARDS/RECOGNITION

DATE	NAME OF AWARD	DESCRIPTION OF AWARD

AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL INCLUDING CONFERENCES ATTENDED

DATE	NAME OF AWARD & ORGANIZATION	DESCRIPTION OF AWARD

HOW DID YOU FIRST HEAR ABOUT THIS SCHOLARSHIP? (please check all that apply)

- Teacher/Counsellor
- Website
- Friend(s)
- Web Search
- Other (Please specify) _____

Declaration

I hereby declare that the information contained in this application is to the best of my knowledge correct and complete. If awarded a scholarship, I authorize the Sharif Scholar organization to display my picture along with other scholarship or bursary awardees on their website and to share any information contained in this application as needed by the Sharif Scholarship organization, both with the individuals authorized to review the applications for the selection of the awardees, and in the documentation needed to send the funds to the selected candidates.

Date

Signature of Applicant