



KHALSA CREDIT UNION
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**OUTSTANDING SCHOOL AND SIKH RELIGIOUS
 ACHIEVEMENT AND BURSARY
 APPLICATION FORM**



**Academic Scholarships 5 of \$1,500 each - Religious Scholarships 5 of \$1,500 each
 Sports Scholarships 3 of \$1,200 each - Bursaries 5 of \$1,000 each**

A. Name of School: _____

Your Name: _____

Your Address: _____

Postal Code: _____ Phone Number: _____

Are you or your parents/guardian a Khalsa Credit Union member? Yes No
 (This is a requirement for Scholarship but not for Bursary.)

Specify category of scholarship

Academic Religious (If yes, answer question B4) Sports

Do you wish to be considered for a bursary

Yes (If yes, see section C) No

NB Successful candidates will only be awarded either a Scholarship or a Bursary.

B. When completing the following questions, use a separate piece of paper, if necessary.

1. Describe your involvement within your school (positions you have held, teams and clubs in which you participate, volunteer work you have done for school events, etc.)

2. Describe your involvement within the community (list clubs, groups and teams of which you are a member and volunteer work you have done in the community).

3. What are your educational and career goals?

4. If applying for a religious scholarship please attach a short essay stating reasons why you believe that you qualify for this scholarship. Also tick against the following:-

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>		<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
a. Amritdhari	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	h. Punjabi Language	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
b. Kesadhari	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	i. Public speaking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
c. Nitnemi	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	j. Path Kanth	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
e. Shabad Kirtan	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	k. Bath/shower - morning	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
f. Sikh History	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	l. Punjabi writing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
g. Religious Community work Gurmat Camps, Gurdwaras	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			

C. If you are applying for a Bursary:-

1. Parent's income
2. Other sources of income
3. No. of members in immediate family
4. Other scholarships or/ & bursaries awarded
5. Specify reasons for applying for bursary in a short paragraph. (all information strictly confidential)

D. When submitting this application, please include:-

1. Students pursuing post secondary education: A copy of your School/Provincial Examination marks for Grade 12 completed in 2009
2. A copy of your post-secondary school registration form *or* a letter from your post- secondary school confirming your registration.
3. Two letters of reference recommending you for this scholarship including one from a teacher who is fully familiar with your academic work. The second letter can be a reference of your choice, but cannot be a relative or a teacher.
4. A recent colour photo (head and shoulders only). This photo may be used in the Khalsa Credit Union newsletter and other publications, should you be the selected candidate. Photos cannot be returned.
5. Deadline for submission is 5 p.m. Friday, September 11, 2009.
6. Decision will be made by Friday, September 25, 2009. Only successful candidates will be advised and results will be posted on Credit Union's web site.
7. Funds will be released to applicant upon proof of full time equivalent enrolment in a qualified University or College and upon receipt of proof of payment.

Please submit your completed application form, copies of your grades, two reference letters and a colour photo of yourself addressed to the Scholarship Committee, at Head Office of Khalsa Credit Union. Applications must reach at our Head Office at 8788-120th Street, 3rd floor, Surrey, B.C. V3W 3N6 by 5 p.m. Friday, September 11, 2009. For further information, please call at 604-507-6404 or Toll free 1-800-324-6747.

****Individuals who fall under the category of related parties of a member of the Committee i.e. immediate family members, (brothers, sisters & children) shall be eligible to apply for the KCU scholarship and bursary. However, such Committee member will not be involved in the selection and approval process of that family member.***

Signature: _____

Date: _____