

Frequently Asked Questions:

1. Where do I get the application form to apply for the scholarship?

The application for the scholarship is available on the Scandinavian Centre website at www.scandinaviancentre.ca. The application can be downloaded and completed on your computer. Completed application can be printed and a hard copy mailed to SCC Scholarship Committee c/o S. Hjalmarson 319 McLean Street Winnipeg Manitoba R3R 0V8

2. How do I apply for membership to the Scandinavian Cultural Centre and what is the cost of that Membership? How do I pay?

Membership forms and fees are available on the Scandinavian Centre website at the following link, <http://www.scandinaviancentre.ca/wp-content/uploads/membership.pdf> You can print the form and mail it to the Scandinavian Centre with a cheque or drop off your application form in the mail slot. The address is Scandinavian Cultural Centre 764 Erin Street Winnipeg Manitoba R3G 2W4

3. When is the scholarship awarded?

The scholarship will be awarded in October of each year.

4. Who chooses the successful candidate?

All applications are reviewed by a committee and graded by criteria and eligibility.

5. In which year of schooling can I apply?

Students enrolled in a multi-year program can apply in their second year or subsequent years. Students enrolled in a 1 year program can apply upon acceptance to that program.

6. Can I apply for the scholarship multiple times?

Yes, you can apply for the scholarship multiple times.

7. Can I be awarded the scholarship more than once?

Yes, you can be awarded the scholarship more than once.

8. Is there an age limit?

No, there is no age limit.

9. What is the amount of the scholarship?

\$ 1,500.00

10. What is the deadline for the application?

The deadline for application is September 28 of the current school year.

11. Is it taxable?

We follow the rules of the Canada Revenue Agency. Please refer to their website for more information. www.canada.ca

12. Where do I send the application?

Scandinavian Centre Scholarship Committee
c/o S. Hjalmarson
319 McLean Street
Winnipeg, Manitoba
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13. Is the scholarship only for those attending University?

The scholarship is for anyone attending an accredited Canadian post-secondary institution which include, for example, University, Community College, Technology and Vocational Schools, Nursing School and private institutions such as a business college. A list of Canadian accredited post-secondary institutions can be found on www.canada.ca.

14. Can I apply for the scholarship when I'm in Grade 12?

Yes, if you are accepted into an accredited 1 year program that starts during the year following your grade 12 year.

15. Am I still eligible if I have received other scholarships?

Yes, you are still eligible if you have received other scholarships.

16. What is the minimum Course load I can carry to be eligible for the scholarship.

Part time and full time applicants are eligible for the scholarship.

17. What type of references should I include?

You should include references who can confirm your community involvement. This could include volunteer supervisor, teacher, member of the clergy, community service organization contact, etc. References cannot be family members.

18. How are some ways that I can be involved at the Scandinavian Centre?

You can volunteer at various events such as Folklorama, the Viking School program, the Viking Feast, the children's Christmas party, Sunday brunch or helping any of the groups associated with the Scandinavian Centre. Contact the Scandinavian Centre Office at scandinaviancc@shawcable.com

19. Can I go to school out of Manitoba?

Yes, you can go to any accredited Canadian Institution.

20. How can I donate to the Maya Person Memorial Scholarship fund?

Donations to the Maya Person Memorial Scholarship are accepted by cheque to the Scandinavian Cultural Centre. 764 Erin Street Winnipeg, Manitoba R3G 2W4. A Tax receipt will be issued for all donations over \$10.00.