

Deadline for Applications to be received at the ACE Office is August 15<sup>th</sup> via our email address [info@ACEnergy.ca](mailto:info@ACEnergy.ca).

Alberta Co-operative Energy recognizes the tremendous amount of dedication, hard work, and educational funding for students to achieve their goals. That's why we developed our Scholarships for Members, or the children of Members, or the grandchildren of Members. We encourage you to apply for the scholarship that best suits your area of expertise.

**\*\*Please note that you may only apply for one scholarship.**



### **\$500 Scholarship for Academic Achievement**

Highest Average achieved in four grade 12 subjects (English, Sciences, Social Studies, Mathematics in any combination of these total 4 subjects).

Please provide verification documentation with your application.



### **\$500 Volunteerism Scholarship Award**

Scholarship applicant must submit a 1000-word essay on why you have chosen to volunteer with the organization(s) you have and how your experience has changed your life. Scholarship applicant must submit approximate hours completed over the last 3 years. To be considered volunteerism, you (the scholarship applicant) must demonstrate how you volunteered, for which you received no pay, school credits, or marks for your contribution (work experience, playing on a sports team etc. will not be considered).

Two (2) signed and dated Reference letters outlining your volunteerism must be included with your application.



### **\$500 Co-operative Leadership Scholarship Award**

Student applicant must submit a 1000-word essay on how you displayed leadership with the organization(s) you have worked with and how your experience has changed your life. Include in your essay the ways your efforts have strengthened others, how long you have been involved in leadership, what you think the long-term impact will be for you because of your leadership experience, and how your involvement showed initiative and innovation.

Two (2) signed and dated Reference letters outlining your leadership involvement must be included with your application.

### **To be eligible to receive one of above-mentioned Scholarships, you the Scholarship Applicant:**

- Must be a valid Membership holder, or the child of a valid Membership holder, or the grandchild of a valid Membership holder in Alberta Co-operative Energy for at least 1 full year (in length), **prior** to scholarship application.
- Must be **enrolled full-time in a Post Secondary Degree or Diploma program or an Apprenticeship Trade Program** within the last twelve (12) months (please provide proof of acceptance).

**As the Scholarship Applicant, you will be required to declare that all information is true and complete, and that you understand it is subject to audit. In addition, you must affirm that you will immediately notify Alberta Co-operative Energy in writing if you withdraw from full-time studies before completing one semester of studies.**

**If you receive a scholarship, you must confirm by your signature that you authorize Alberta Co-operative Energy to release your name, photo, and program of study.**

#### **Selection Process**

- The recipient for the Academic Achievement category will be selected based on the Highest Average Achieved of the four core subjects. If two (or more) applicant's averaged score of the four core subjects are identical to the fourth decimal point, the recipient will be selected on a lottery style basis conducted by an ACE Committee.
- The recipients for the Volunteerism and Leadership categories will be selected on a lottery style basis conducted by an ACE Committee if multiple complete applications are received for the Volunteerism and Leadership categories.
- All portions of application must be completed and submitted with required verification documentation or required essay and reference letters. Incomplete or incorrectly completed applications will be rejected.
- No confirmation of receipt of application will be sent to applicants.
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- A Scholarship will be awarded to the successful applicant within 30 days following the deadline.