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Armstrong Regional Cooperative

## Bursary Application Supplemental Information

Co-op Member Number \_\_\_\_\_

The Armstrong Regional Cooperative (ARC) is pleased to announce that we are accepting applications for three separate \$1000 bursaries for students attending accredited Canadian educational institutions. One bursary will be awarded to a student entering their 2nd year of post-secondary education immediately after their 1<sup>st</sup> year, one bursary will be awarded to a student entering their third or subsequent year of post-secondary education immediately following their last completed year, and one bursary will be awarded to a mature (25+ yrs) student returning to post-secondary education after a break of at least 2 school years from their last school term (secondary or post-secondary). The application deadline is 31 Jul 2025.

## **Bursary Program Eligibility**

The Armstrong Regional Cooperative bursary program is open to individuals who have themselves (or their parents if applicant under 25 years) have been active Armstrong Regional Co-op members in good standing for at least one year prior to making application. Please note that eligible candidates must be attending accredited Canadian educational institutions and must be attending school in the same year as the application deadline.

Please indicate which Bursary you are applying for.

\_\_\_\_\_ \$1000 bursary for students entering their second year of full-time post-secondary studies.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\$1000 bursary for students entering their third or subsequent year of full-time post-secondary studies.

\_\_\_\_\_\$1000 Bursary for mature students returning to full-time post-secondary studies

## Please provide in detail the following information:

- 1. A cover letter: Tell us about yourself. What is your relationship with the Armstrong Regional Co-op? What are your goals and career ambitions? How are you involved in your local community? Please include any extraordinary circumstances regarding your application.
- 2. Include a copy of your previous year's transcripts.
- 3. Which educational institution(s) have you applied to and how you plan to finance your education?
- 4. List of other awards and recognition received in all previous years.
- 5. Provide a maximum 500-word paper on how Co-operatives work and their benefit to society.
- 6. Character reference(s)

Forward completed bursary applications to ARC Bursary Committee, Box 250, Armstrong, BC V0E 1B0 or drop it off at our offices at 973 Otter Lake Cross Road, Armstrong, BC. Only those applications received at the ARC offices, regardless of submission method, before end of day on 31 Jul 2025 will be considered. Only successful candidates will be contacted and the successful candidates name will be posted on our website.