

# Betty Calimente Memorial Bursary 2025

## Application

Betty Calimente was long-serving teacher in Campbell River, teaching English at Carihi in the 1960s and Adult Education and English as a Second Language from 1976 to 1994. She cared deeply about helping her students develop their English skills to become confident in their ability to express their thoughts to their fullest abilities through the written and spoken word.

The Betty Calimente Memorial Bursary consists of an award of \$500, given to a deserving Carihi student who meets the following criteria:

- Students will complete their Dogwood diploma by the end of the current school year, with plans to attend a post-secondary institution such as university, college, technical or arts school in September;
- Applicants must write an essay of between 500 and 1,000 words on their recent activities and interests outside of school and why they enjoy them, their future goals, and the reasons they feel they would be a good candidate for this bursary.

Preference will be given to a Carihi School student who has been 'out in the world', according to Betty: a student who has enjoyed participating in the world outside of school through work, volunteering, other activities such as writing or music.

Consideration will be given to those from an Indigenous background, those from racialized communities, and those using English as a second language.

Consideration will be given to students planning to study English Language or English Literature.

Completed application forms must be turned in to your school counsellor by the last school day in April.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

EDUCATIONAL PLANS: \_\_\_\_\_

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CAREER PLANS: \_\_\_\_\_

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INDICATE TWO EDUCATIONAL REFERENCES WITH PHONE NUMBERS AND EMAIL ADDRESSES:

REFERENCE #1:

1. Name \_\_\_\_\_

2. Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

3. Email \_\_\_\_\_

REFERENCE #2:

1. Name \_\_\_\_\_

2. Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

3. Email \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE: Include your high school transcript.

A cheque for \$500.00 will be sent via e-transfer to their email address upon receipt of formal proof of registration at a recognized post-secondary school.

Send completed application package including:

\_\_\_\_ application form      \_\_\_\_ personal essay and      \_\_\_\_ transcript to:

Betty Calimente Memorial Bursary  
c/o Maralyn Lloyd, Carihi