



**APPLICATION FOR
THE WILKINSON FAMILY LEGACY AWARD
FOR COMMUNICATIONS & JOURNALISM**

BACKGROUND

The Wilkinson Family Legacy Fund was established in 2025 by Bruce and Michael Wilkinson. With a particular appreciation for their educational experiences at Carihi Secondary School, The Wilkinson Family Legacy Award for Communications & Journalism was created to support students graduating from School District 72 pursuing a career in communications/journalism.

One student graduating from School District 72 and proceeding to an accredited Canadian post-secondary institution in a communications and/or journalism discipline will be selected. The award must be claimed within 24 months of graduation, so it may be applied to first or second year of post-secondary expenses.

SELECTION CRITERIA

1. You must be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, conventional refugee, or a refugee claimant.
2. You must be graduating from grade 12 and enrolling in a Canadian post-secondary education institution.
3. Applicants are requested to provide an essay of 500 to 800 words outlining the following:
 - a. Why you have chosen the future field of study (family history, school experience, community influences, etc.),
 - b. How this award will make a difference in your education path. Financial need will be a factor in determining the award recipient.
4. Submit one or two letters of reference in support of your reasoning.
5. Provide proof of enrollment in a post-secondary institution (once you receive it) to the Campbell River Community Foundation.



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STUDENT CONTACT AND INFORMATION

FIRST AND LAST NAME

PHONE NUMBER

NUMBER STREET

EMAIL ADDRESS

CITY PROVINCE

DATE OF BIRTH

HIGHSCHOOL NAME

EDUCATION PLANS

NAME OF CANADIAN INSTITUTION

LOCATION OF INSTITUTION

BEGINNING YY/MM

FIELD OF STUDY

EVENTUAL CAREER GOAL

MY APPLICATION INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING:

- A. Essay of 500-800 words outlining:
 - Why I have chosen my future field of study (family history, school experience, community influences, etc.), and
 - How this bursary will make a difference to my educational path.
- B. One or two letters of reference in support of my reasoning.

I CONFIRM THE FOLLOWING TO BE TRUE:

- I am a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, conventional refugee, or a refugee claimant.
- I am graduating from Grade 12 and enrolling in a Canadian post-secondary education institution.
- I understand that if I am the successful applicant, to receive the award, I need to provide to the Campbell River Community Foundation confirmation of registration at my educational institution.

STUDENT NAME

STUDENT SIGNATURE