Highland Society of New Brunswick at Miramichi

Educational Grant Application

The Highland Society of New Brunswick at Miramichi became incorporated on April 11th, 1846, and is a volunteer, and not-for-profit organization. Our purpose is to celebrate Scottish culture and provide an opportunity for education and growth of this diverse culture. The Highland Society could not survive without our volunteers, and we encourage the next generation to volunteer their time to keep our Society and other organizations moving forward.

Along with the outlined criteria for each scholarship, it is important for you as an applicant to appreciate that your volunteer activities play a significant role in the selection process. Volunteering reflects our values – what we care about, our vision for our community, our notion of justice, and our sense of responsibility for the world and all those with whom we share it. Volunteering also generates value for organizations, neighbourhoods, businesses, and society, and builds character. By taking the initiative to volunteer, you demonstrate your motivation to make a positive impact and drive change.

The Highland Society is thrilled to accept scholarship applications from eligible applicants. Be sure to complete all parts of the application, including your volunteer activities. This information will be an important factor in determining the success of your application.

The decision of the scholarship committee is final.

Highland Society Educational Grants

Deadline: <u>September 15, 2026</u>

U.N.B. Scholarship

TERM: Four (4) years
VALUE: Announced annually. Average value $1000 per year

CRITERIA:

1. Relatives of members (children, grandchildren, nephews, nieces) of the Highland Society of New Brunswick at Miramichi. The member must be a member of the Society for one (1) year with up-to-date dues.
2. The Applicant must have been accepted for entrance to Arts, Science or Applied Science.
3. Financial need will be taken into consideration in deciding among applicants.
4. If the recipient fails to maintain pass-standing, at the discretion of the Scholarship Committee, may be required to forfeit the Scholarship.

The Highland Society of New Brunswick at Miramichi
John Crosbie Memorial Scholarship & Len Robertson Scholarship

TERM: One (1) year
VALUE: $4000

CRITERIA:

1. Relatives of members (children, grandchildren, nephews, nieces) of the Highland Society of New Brunswick at Miramichi. The member must be a member of the Society for one (1) year with up-to-date dues.
2. The Applicant must be attending a first-year program at a recognized Canadian University.
3. Financial need to be a consideration in deciding among applicants.

Educational Grants

TERM: One (1) year. (Candidates may re-apply annually)
VALUE: $3000

CRITERIA:

1. Relatives of members (children, grandchildren, nephews, nieces) of the Highland Society of New Brunswick at Miramichi. The member must be a member of the Society for one (1) year with up-to-date dues.
2. The Applicant must be planning to attend an institution providing post-secondary education.
3. Financial need to be a consideration in deciding among applicants.

- Applicants must submit a completed application by **<u>September 15, 2026</u>**, to the Highland Society of New Brunswick at Miramichi, Box 303 Miramichi, NB, E1N 3A7

- Applicants must meet all requirements to be considered.

Before mailing your application, please be sure to ✓ that you have included the following:

- ☐ 1. Your Application
- ☐ 2. The Letter of acceptance or proof of enrollment for upcoming year
- ☐ 3. An Official Transcript from your school, university, or post-secondary education
- ☐ 4. A letter stating (750-1000+ words in length):
    a. Your personal goals
    b. Your financial need
    c. Your involvement/volunteerism in community
    d. Your future plans
- ☐ 5. Two (2) letters of reference: dated (current with the year of application), signed by referee

Once checked, mail your completed application to:

Highland Society of New Brunswick at Miramichi
P.O. Box 303
Miramichi, NB E1N 3A7

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Award(s) applied for:

☐ U.N.B. Scholarship
☐ John Crosbie Memorial Scholarship
☐ Len Robertson Memorial Scholarship
☐ Educational Grant

Name of Applicant: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____

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Home Address: Street, City, Prov Postal Code

Cell Phone: _____ **Home Phone:** _____
Email: _____

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Name of High School & Graduate Year or Equivalency (G.E.D.) & Year

_____
Name of postsecondary institution and proposed course of study

Name of Parents: _____
Address of Parents: _____

Are you a member of the Highland Society? Yes ☐ No ☐
Are you a child, or grandchild of a Highland Society member in good standing? Yes ☐ No ☐

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Name of Member and Relationship

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Member's Address: Street, City, Prov Postal Code

Describe your Scottish Ancestry: _____

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How many siblings are in your family? _____ **Ages:** _____

List any other scholarships or bursaries you have received: _____

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Did you or any member of your family receive educational assistance from the Highland Society before? No ☐ Yes ☐ If yes, what year? _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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