



**Women's Institutes of Nova Scotia
2009 Family Scholarship
Application Form**

Name of Applicant:		
Civic Mailing Address:		
Postal Code:	Phone:	Email:
Name of Parent/Guardian:		
Civic Mailing Address:		
Postal Code:	Phone:	Email:
Name of Last School Attended:		
Sponsoring Women's Institute Branch:		
Women's Institute Member To Which You Are Related:		
Community Organizations / Clubs In Which You Are Active:		
Hobbies:		
Sports:		
Other Activities:		
Institution To Which You Have Been Accepted:		

All applications must be received by the Women's Institutes of Nova Scotia, Box 550, Truro, Nova Scotia B2N 5E3, on or before Friday, April 10th, 2009, by 4 pm. (Office located at 35 Rock Garden Road, Nova Scotia Agricultural College, Bible Hill, NS, Monday-Friday 8 am - 4 pm)

Please forward the following items to the WINS office at the above address:

1. Completed application form.
2. Original essay (500 words), written by applicant **in his/her own words** on history of WINS and the importance of the work of the supporting branch in their own community or local area. Essay to be typed or legibly handwritten.
3. Letter of recommendation from head of school last attended.
4. Letter of recommendation from sponsoring Women's Institute Branch, **signed by two Branch Executive Members, indicating financial need.**
5. Letter from applicant telling what career he/she has chosen and reasons why.
6. Transcript of final marks from grade 11, as well as most recent from grade 12.
7. Copy of acceptance letter from institution.

REGULATIONS ON REVERSE



Women's Institutes of Nova Scotia Family Scholarship 2008 Regulations

1. One WINS Family Scholarship of \$700 is offered annually to WINS members, their husbands, children, grandchildren, nieces, nephews, sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law and wards.
2. The purpose of the scholarship is to provide assistance to a graduating high school student who wishes to obtain training at a recognized technical institute, school of nursing, college or university in Canada.
3. The scholarship will be available as follows: \$700 to be paid to the institution, in the name of the student, at the beginning of the second term of the first year upon receipt of a letter from the Registrar of the institution indicating the student is enrolled for that term.
4. This scholarship will be awarded to a student whose permanent residence is in Nova Scotia.
5. Applicants must include notice of acceptance by the technical institute, school of nursing, college or university with application.
6. Applicants are asked to mail all seven (7) items as stated on the reverse of this form to the Chairperson of the Scholarship Committee, c/o **WINS, Box 550, Truro, NS B2N 5E3**.
7. In addition to scholastic standing, applicants will also be judged on evidence of character, leadership skills, participation in extracurricular and community activities and financial need.
8. Winner of the scholarship shall be chosen by a committee of the Women's Institutes of Nova Scotia.
9. No student will be awarded more than one Women's Institutes of Nova Scotia scholarship.

Presentation of award to be made at high school graduation ceremony, if possible by a local Women's Institute member.

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APPLICATION FORM ON REVERSE