

Kamloops Pro-Life Society
APPLICATION FOR 2025/2026
ALBERT JOHNSTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

To be completed by applicant:

Applicant's Name: _____

Address: _____

City _____ Province _____ Postal Code _____

Parent's Name: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ Student's Cell: (_____) _____

Email Address: _____

Attending High School: _____

Address: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ Graduation Date: _____

University* _____

Check all that apply: ☐ Applied ☐ Accepted

Planned field of study: _____

APPLICATION DEADLINE: April 1, 2026.

Mail-in applications must be postmarked no later than April 1, 2026 and mailed to:

Kamloops Pro-Life Society
Attn: Scholarship Competition
P.O. Box 24051, 74B-700 Tranquille Road,
Kamloops, BC V2B 8R3

If submitting your application online, please use only a PDF format and send to:
kamloopsprolife@gmail.com

Applications submitted/postmarked after April 1, 2026 deadline will not be reviewed.

** or any other recognized post-secondary educational institution.*

Kamloops Pro-Life Society Application Guidelines

This \$1000 Scholarship is offered annually by Kamloops Pro-Life Society to assist students who are committed to the pro-life philosophy.

The following criteria will be considered by a selection committee of judges:

1. Applicant must be graduating or have graduated from high school (home schooled students are eligible) and have applied to a post- secondary education institution and then have been accepted for the fall of 2026.
2. Applicant must reside within the boundaries of Kamloops School District #73.
3. Applicant's participation in one or more pro-life activities (eg: assistance or attendance at pro-life events, volunteering in the special needs or pregnancy care areas, etc.) will be required as part of the application.
4. Applicant will provide 2 references completed by adults (non-relatives) who are familiar with his/her pro-life involvement and attitudes and who will include this information in their letters. These could be written by pastors, teachers and/or guidance counsellors, etc.
5. Each selected applicant will be interviewed personally by a committee of board members in order to assess his/her commitment to pro-life values.

APPLICATION PROCESS

A complete application is due on April 1, 2026 and consists of:

1. A completed **application form** signed by the applicant.
2. An **essay** (not to exceed 2 to 3 typed double- spaced pages, and to a maximum of 1000 words) from the applicant describing how **specific life-experiences** have affected the applicant's pro-life beliefs and philosophy and how it relates to his/her personal life mission. Applicant should give a description of his/her commitment to continue to support life issues.
3. **Activities list**, please see #3 in the criteria section above. For any questions regarding this, please email: kamloopsprolife@gmail.com.
4. Two **recommendation letters**, please see #4 in the criteria section above.

Return these with the application in a sealed envelope to the address provided on the application form, or please email to us.

EVALUATION CRITERIA

1. The applicant will be judged on the content and literary quality of his/her essay. Literary quality includes correct spelling, punctuation, sentence construction, paragraphing, flow of ideas, etc.
2. Definite consideration will be given to his/her dedication to the protection of all human life. His/her pro-life efforts can be in the area of volunteering, organizing, fundraising, education, prayer, or service (to the elderly, the disabled, or pregnant women), a combination of any or all, or any other involvement that promotes the mission and goals of the Kamloops Pro-Life Society.
3. The finalist(s) will be personally interviewed by a committee of board members in order to definitively assess his/her commitment to all pro-life values.

The mission of Kamloops Pro-Life Society is to promote and educate the community concerning the value, respect and protection of human life from conception to a natural death. This is to include the lives of the unborn, disabled (physically/mentally), elderly, and those who are dying.

Additional information may be requested and required from the applicant.

The \$1000 Scholarship winner will be advised by May 31, 2026. The cheque will be issued upon our receipt of the name of the post-secondary education institution at which he/she has been accepted. We will require a copy of the letter/form of acceptance.

If you have any questions please contact the Kamloops Pro-Life Society at:

Phone: 250-376-4054

E-mail: kamloopsprolife@gmail.com