



JHSS – District/Authority Award Application 2022/23

District/Authority Awards are \$1,250 awards intended to reward students for excellence in non-academic fields. These scholarships are meant to assist in tuition for furthering students' post secondary education. This school year Johnston Heights has been awarded 31 District/Authority Awards.

Criteria:

Be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident (landed immigrant) and

- Meet graduation requirements
- Have had good attendance, punctuality, work habits and cooperation.
- Meet the criteria determined by the Johnston Heights Scholarship Committee, which requires a student to demonstrate superior achievement in one of the following areas:

1. APPLIED DESIGN, SKILLS AND TECHNOLOGIES

- a. Business Ed, Home Economics, Technology, Media Arts, Tourism, Information Communication Technology

2. FINE ARTS

- a. Visual Arts, Drama, Music, Photography, Dance: (may include school and/or community activities)

3. PHYSICAL ACTIVITY (and Health)

- a. (E.g. Athletics, Dance, Gymnastics: not limited to Physical Education, may include school and/or community sports)

4. INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGES

- a. Languages from the Languages curriculum. International Languages must have been learned as part of a students' education (e.g. in classes).

5. TECHNICAL & TRADES TRAINING

- a. (E.g. Partnership, Coop & Apprenticeship Programs, Carpentry, Automotive, Chef Training/Culinary Arts, Robotics, Coding)

6. COMMUNITY SERVICE

- a. (E.g. Evidence of volunteer activity, pictures, awards and letters of reference), which includes awareness of local, global, and cultural issues.

7. INDIGENOUS LANGUAGES & CULTURE

- a. Demonstrated at school or in the community

Students must redeem the voucher within five years from their date of graduating from Johnston Heights, before the expiry date stated on the voucher.



Student Application Form

Student Information

Surname

_____ Date of Birth (YYYY/MM/DD)

_____ SIN No. _____ PEN No.

_____-_____-_____
Current Telephone No.

General area of interest: _____
(Applied Skills, Fine Arts, Physical Activity, Second Languages, Trades Training/Technical, Community Service, Indigenous Languages & Culture)

Specific area of excellence: (Please explain briefly)

Instructions

- Students applying for a District/Authority Award need to demonstrate superior achievement in one of the seven categories, and provide supporting evidence.
- This evidence could take a number of forms: photos, letters of reference, certificates of achievement, records of marks in courses applicable to the non-academic area (e.g. Woodworking 11 and 12), extra-curricular activities, newspaper articles, a portfolio of art work (copies only), etc.
- This material should be presented in a duotang, or other thin folder, with this application, to help the Johnston Heights Scholarship Committee make their decision. Every effort will be made to return the binder, although this cannot be guaranteed. Please submit only copied photos and certificates. Do not submit originals!
- Please submit this Student Application Form with your duotang or other thin folder.

This application must be on received no later than 3:00 PM, April 24th, 2023 to Ms. Domingo in the counselling area. Students wishing to apply for a District/Authority Award in more than one area must complete a separate application for each area. Late, incomplete, faxed or emailed packages will not be accepted.

Signature

Date (YYYY/MM/DD)

Note: Failure to follow all instructions and submission of unoriginal, "paraphrased", uncited and/or incorrectly cited work submitted will disqualify this application.



CONFIDENTIAL REFERENCE FORM

Thank you for providing a reference for the student named below, who is applying for a District/ Authority Scholarship in the indicated area of interest. Please complete the form and return it to the student in a sealed envelope with your signature across the envelope flap. Enclosure of additional information on a separate sheet of paper is also encouraged.

Student Name: _____

Area of Interest: _____

1) How long and in what capacity have you known the applicant?

2) Please rate and comment on the applicant's quality of attributes

	<u>Excellent</u>	<u>Very Good</u>	<u>Good</u>	<u>Fair</u>	<u>Poor</u>
Initiative/Motivation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Collaboration/Leadership	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Creativity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Critical Thinking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Communication Skills	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

3) Please comment on the applicant's unique strengths as they pertain to their chosen area of interest. Please include examples that illustrate the applicant's strengths.

4) Other comments you wish to make in support of this applicant.

Your Name _____ Position _____

Signature _____ Date _____