



CONGRESS OF BLACK WOMEN OF MANITOBA INC.

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SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

This scholarship program is designed to encourage and support women of color to enter, or continue their education in their chosen fields of study.

CRITERIA FOR SCHOLARSHIP:

1. Be a current member of the Congress of Black Women.
2. Be enrolled full time in or entering a program at a recognized post-secondary institution.
Note: The primary focus of the scholarship is undergraduate study.
3. Only active members of COBW are eligible to apply.
You also must have at least 20 hours TOTAL of volunteer time to qualify for the Scholarship. A minimum of 10 hours with the Congress of Black Women of Manitoba is REQUIRED. Please contact the COBW directly for a list of approved Black Organizations and COBW Volunteer opportunity details.
4. Provide a copy of the most recent transcript of academic achievement.
5. Please include a one-page personal biography, including your education details, volunteer experience and accomplishments of note in the Black and wider communities.
6. Provide a one-page essay stating your current financial need of this scholarship and how these funds will assist you to further your academic goals.
7. **Two references:**

One written by someone from your current institution of study and one written by a community member. Both reference letters must be originals and signed by the party submitting said letter. Letters should be submitted along with all other paperwork for a complete submission.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS IS February 11, 2022.

****submissions can be submitted via email to COBWScholarship@gmail.com. Applications sent by mail need to be received no later than February 11, 2022****

Please see the attached application form



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SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM 2021-22

Please type or print the information requested.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: () _____

E-mail address: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Checklist: The following information must be included with your application form:

- A short biography
- One-page Essay
- Most recent academic transcript
- Two reference letters (original and signed)
- COBW and Black Organization Volunteer information

Mail to:

Scholarship Committee Chair, Congress of Black Women of Manitoba Inc.

1425 Manitoba Ave., Winnipeg, MB. R2X 0L5

Email: COBWScholarship@gmail.com

Note: The Congress of Black Women relies solely on volunteer support; as a scholarship recipient your continued participation in the Congress is highly encouraged. Scholarship recipients are expected to support the Congress through volunteering on a committee of their choice.