



CHARTERED PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANTS'
EDUCATION FOUNDATION OF NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR, INC.

CPA Education Foundation of Newfoundland and Labrador, Inc. University Entrance Scholarship

Objective

To provide an opportunity for High School Graduates, College graduates or mature students who are entering into a university degree program to enhance their knowledge of the Chartered Professional Accountancy profession and to attract the best and brightest students to the CPA profession.

Award

Maximum of four scholarships annually, valued at \$2,500 each will be awarded to successful applicants, 50% will be paid out at the time of entrance into a University with the remaining 50% paid out upon entrance into a business or economics degree program within the University.

Eligibility and Selection Criteria

1. Applicant must be child or grandchild of a Member (active or retired) of CPA Newfoundland and Labrador
2. Applicant must be accepted into a University.
3. Applicant must be a resident of Newfoundland and Labrador.
 - a. Location within province will be taken into consideration with at least one of the four possible scholarships being awarded to a resident outside of the Avalon Peninsula (if qualifying candidate is available).
4. Successful applicant will demonstrate being a well-rounded individual through both academics and extra-curricular activities. This could include:
 - Academic performance;
 - Participation in various sports and extra-curricular activities ;
 - Volunteer experience; and
 - CPA leadership qualities as noted in essay criteria.
5. Successful candidate will demonstrate the CPA leadership qualities through their Summary Statement.
6. Candidates will also be selected based on information obtained in the academic reference letter.

Selection Committee

Successful candidates will be selected by the board of the CPA Education Foundation of Newfoundland and Labrador

Application Process

1. The applicant must complete the attached application form.
2. The applicant must submit their most recent academic transcript.
3. The applicant must submit one academic reference letter.

All items noted above should be sent to the Address below.



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**CPA Education Foundation of Newfoundland and Labrador Inc.
University Entrance Scholarship Application Form**

Personal Information

Name: _____
Mailing Address: _____
Phone: _____

High School Information (attach most recent transcript)

School Name: _____
Mailing Address: _____
Graduation Date : _____

College Information – if applicable (attach most recent transcript)

School Name: _____
Mailing Address: _____
Graduation Date: _____

University Information

Indicate the university you will be (or plan on) attending and the program in which you plan to enroll.

University: _____
Program: _____
Planned Start Date: _____

Scholastic Information

List any scholastic achievements (i.e.: principal’s list, honour roll, etc.)

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____

Extra-Curricular Activities

List any teams, clubs, volunteer organizations or charities with which you are, or have been, involved, dates and level of involvement.

	Activity	Role	Date
1.			
2.			
3.			



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Summary Statement

The skills of a Chartered Professional Accountant can be classified into four major categories:

1. Strong Leadership

- The ability to be a good leader is extremely important in business.
- There are many opportunities for students to develop these skills in the following leadership roles:
 - Serving on student council
 - Organizing school events
 - Being captain of a sports team
 - Tutoring other students

2. Business Sense

- The ability to identify a problem, gather necessary information, and find creative solutions to problems are very important skills.
- It is also important to be reliable, honest, and exert good ethics.
- Some opportunities for students to learn and develop these skills include:
 - Setting schedules to manage studies and extra-curricular activities
 - Taking and doing well in courses such as math, economics, and physics
 - Keeping informed of global, national, and local issues
 - Taking part in clubs, such as Junior Achievement

3. Communication

- Interpersonal skills are very important skills for a Chartered Professional Accountant. Strong writing, speaking, and listening skills are necessary for Chartered Professional Accountants to succeed.
- Students have many opportunities to learn and develop good communication skills:
 - Taking part in school or outside plays and recitals
 - Playing in a band or being a member of a choir
 - Participating in public speaking engagements
 - Writing for the school newspaper or other public journal

4. Technology

- Keeping up with existing and new technologies is a must for Chartered Professional Accountants.
- Some of the ways a student could do this include:
 - Taking technology classes both in school and outside of school
 - Networking with family and friends using social networking sites
 - Keeping electronic files organized



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Do you have the skills necessary to become a Chartered Professional Accountant?

Please attach a description of the strong leadership, business sense, communication and technology skills you have gained from school and extracurricular activities that are necessary to become a successful Chartered Professional Accountant.

References

Include one letter of reference, which must be academic (teacher, Instructor, guidance counselor, principal, Dean, Etc.).

Reference Information:

Name:

Relation:

Contact Information:
