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# JOYCE FAMILY FOUNDATION

## **Bursary Program**

For High School Students choosing a program of study at College of the North Atlantic



## The Joyce Family Foundation Bursary with CNA

The Joyce Family Foundation and College of the North Atlantic have partnered to offer a unique program to high school students across Newfoundland and Labrador who are entering a full-time program of study at College of the North Atlantic. The Joyce Family Foundation Bursary helps students who have completed high school and who want to be successful in a program of study at CNA. The bursary provides financial support to qualified students from the time of their application to the College until they complete their certificate or diploma in a one, two or three year program.

- •The Joyce Family Foundation Bursary focuses on supporting students, regardless of life barriers, who have decided to move forward with an educational program.
- · CNA supports students with various people, resources and facilities that enable growth, engagement and overall success as they work through their education opportunities and adapt to a college learning environment.



#### The Joyce Family Foundation

The Joyce Family Foundation's primary focus is to provide access to education for children and youth with significant financial need or facing other socioeconomic barriers to success. Bursaries can play an essential role in enabling a student to pursue a post-secondary education. The Joyce Family Foundation provided bursaries based primarily on financial need and awarded to students enrolled in full-time studies at a recognized college or university in Canada.

The purpose of the bursaries is to increase the participation of disadvantaged or at-risk youth who face obstacles and barriers to a post-secondary education. The bursaries target those who have traditionally been left behind, helping them move from poverty to prosperity through education. To learn more about The Joyce Family Foundation please visit their website:

thejoycefoundation.com

## The Joyce Family Foundation Bursary - Qualifications

CNA and The Joyce Family Foundation will work with high school students who have the ability and desire to attend college. The bursary will be a renewable up to a maximum \$4,000 per year (based on the specific program requirements), for a maximum of 3 years. (Some exceptions apply)

#### **Applicants must:**

- · Demonstrate financial need
- Be enrolling in any full-time program offered by College of North Atlantic
- Be in the final year of high school or have graduated within the last 14 months
- Be a permanent resident of Newfoundland and Labrador and a graduate from a provincial secondary school
- Be applying for first year of their program with confirmation of enrolment at CNA for the fall semester (meeting all program requirements)
- Must prepare a 250 word impact essay on application
- Must identify and work with at least one mentor throughout the bursary period
- Maintain clear academic standing each semester of the program

Note: The complete application outlines all the specific criteria for the award. The application must be completed in its entirety.

**How to apply:** Please contact your principal or guidance counsellor for an application or visit:

www.cna.nl.ca/joyce

