



## 2018 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

### WHAT:

The Looking Glass Foundation SCHOLARSHIP program awards several thousand dollars annually to individuals who have received or are currently receiving treatment for an eating disorder, and who are ready for academic pursuit. There are three scholarship categories:

*"Rise Above"*  
Jeff & Sonia Hayes  
Scholarship – \$1,750

In honour of Jeff and Sonia Hayes, the Looking Glass Foundation awards this scholarship to someone who is making a difference through community service and leadership. Every year, we will select a new namesake for this scholarship – our way of recognizing those in our community who *rise above* to support the vision, mission, and values of the Foundation.

*"Pursue Your Passion"*  
Scholarship – \$1,750

The Looking Glass Foundation awards this scholarship in recognition of someone's passion, excitement, and enthusiasm for a goal or ideal – around which they have special aspirations for higher learning.

*"Persevere"*  
Scholarship – \$1,500

The Looking Glass Foundation awards this scholarship to someone who demonstrates a need for financial assistance in reaching their academic goals. The winner will also receive the Elise Skoglund Bursary of \$1,000.

### WHY:

People who are recovering from an eating disorder demonstrate impressive courage and strength as they face down the very real challenges of this disease. The Looking Glass Foundation SCHOLARSHIP program supports that recovery effort by helping them find a fresh start in life through education.

### WHO:

All applicants must be full-time students (3 or more classes) currently enrolled in a secondary or post-secondary institution, who are commencing or returning to a university or college program starting between September 2018 and January 2019 – and who are being or have been treated by a clinician for an eating disorder.

### WHERE:

Applicants must be BC residents attending any accredited post-secondary school in Canada, or Canadian students who are attending any accredited BC post-secondary school.

### WHEN:

Applications for the 2018 SCHOLARSHIP program open on **March 1<sup>st</sup>**, and the deadline for submissions is **July 6<sup>th</sup>**. Recipients will be announced and notified by phone on **July 16<sup>th</sup>**, with cheques issued by **July 23<sup>rd</sup>**.

### HOW:

Applicants are invited to complete **one** application form, write a max. 500-word personal essay, and provide a letter of recommendation, verification of student enrollment, and verification of clinical treatment for an eating disorder.

As of March 1<sup>st</sup>, all Looking Glass Foundation SCHOLARSHIP documents are downloadable from our website at

[www.lookingglassbc.com/scholarship/apply](http://www.lookingglassbc.com/scholarship/apply). For further information, please contact Katalina Bernards at 604-314-0548 or email [scholarship@lookingglassbc.com](mailto:scholarship@lookingglassbc.com)