



## APPLICATION FORM

The Kamotaki (Rescue Woman) Memorial Award was established in memory of Alexis Claire Snow White, to recognize and support First Nations youth who have demonstrated a commitment to achieving excellence in any chosen endeavor and who are also positive role models. Examples of areas of endeavor include academics, sport, language, culture, arts, debate or public speaking, community development and business. Role models are those who are active or engaged in their school or community, and who share their knowledge, skills or experience in a way that inspires or supports others.

Awards this year are for \$500. To apply, you must be a registered First Nations individual aged 15 - 21 years (at the time of application) residing and attending school in Alberta.

A completed and signed application form and two reference letters should be emailed to [rescuewoman@okaki.com](mailto:rescuewoman@okaki.com) by November 30 of each year. Incomplete applications, applications without references and applications received after November 30 will not be considered. One award for each Treaty Area of 6, 7 and 8. Another award specifically available for Siksika youth.

The applications will be judged by a panel consisting of members of the late Alexis Claire Snow White's family and a team member from OKAKI. Judges may ask an applicant for additional information to support their application. Award recipients will be notified by email.

**References:** Applicants must provide two references from adults who can attest to their community/school involvement and their commitment to achieving their goal. Teachers, coaches, community leaders, employers would be suitable people to ask for references. References from family members will not be accepted. Please secure the references and email them with your application,

**Right to Publish:** Recipients of this award must agree to provide OKAKI Health Intelligence Inc. with a short biography and picture, and further agree to have this information published on the OKAKI website ([okaki.com](http://okaki.com)) along with other Award recipients. Award funds will be distributed after OKAKI receives this.

### CHECK LIST

#### YOU ARE:

- a First Nations individual
- 15-21 years
- living in AB
- attending school
- a good role model
- active in school or community
- pursuing excellence in any field

#### YOU HAVE:

- completed the form
- printed and signed
- 2 reference letters
- submitted by November 30

**1** complete form electronically

**2** print and sign

**3** scan and email to [rescuewoman@okaki.com](mailto:rescuewoman@okaki.com)

Date

Email

Phone Number

Name

Date of birth

Mailing address

First Nation community you belong to

Educational Institution you attend

What field are your studies in?

What is the goal or dream that you have been working to achieve?  
What steps have you taken or accomplished towards that goal?

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Tell us your story. Have you had any supports or struggles? Have you had to overcome challenges?

Describe how you have been a positive role model to others and how you have been active in your school or community?

If you win the Award, how would you use the funds?

If I am successful in receiving this award, I agree to provide a biography and picture to OKAKI Health Intelligence, and I further agree that OKAKI Health Intelligence may publish my name, picture and biography on the OKAKI website.

Date

Signature

Name of parent or guardian for those under 18 at the time of application

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