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DEADLINE: May 14, 2027 by 4:00 to the Main Office

Attention: Mrs. Laurie Pearson, Vice-Principal

APPLICATION FOR BLACK KAT SCHOLAR AWARD
(For the time period September 2023- Q3 Reporting Period 2027)

Name of Student _____ Student # _____

Homeroom _____ Phone # _____

All applicants must be students in good standing at Fredericton High School who have attended FHS for all four years. A minimum of **90%** is required at **year end** **in each** of grades 9, 10 and 11, and at the **end of semester 1 and mid-semester 2 (Q3) in grade 12** (with no mark below 60%) for the application to qualify. This standard is upheld literally. Averages are not rounded up. Marks will be reviewed 4th quarter. Significant changes in marks/averages after submission of the application could result in disqualification. **Please include year end report cards for Grade 9, 10, 11 and Q3 Report for grade 12. If copies are required please request from the admin assistant one week prior to the deadline.**

Grade 9 Average: _____ Grade 10 Average: _____

Grade 11 Average: _____ Grade 12 – Semester 1 average: _____
Semester 2 (mid-term) average: _____

CRITERIA : Select 3 of the following criteria to support your application. Circle the number of the criteria. Be sure to provide the necessary supporting information. **Family members cannot be used as references to verify requirements for any of the criteria. Applicants must demonstrate significant achievement in more than 1 type of activity (beyond academics) such as drama, music, sports, community service, etc.**

1. Community Service with an established institution – Provide the organization's name and the person's name who has supervised your volunteer service. Approximate number of hours served is _____. A letter of confirmation is required. A minimum of **100** volunteer hours is needed to qualify. **The volunteer service hours can be from more than one source, but they must be unrelated to the other two criteria used to support your Black Kat Scholar application, and they cannot be part of the requirements for a school course credit or school related.**

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2. **Small or Large Athletic Yellow F** – Provide a list of the athletic teams on which you played, the name of the coach in each activity, and the year. **Include a completed copy of your "Small or Large Yellow F" application.**

3. Activity **Black F** – provide a list of the activities in which you participated together with the name of the advisor/supervisor and the year. **Include a completed copy of your "Black F" application.**

4. **National or Provincial Award** through High School competition or equivalent. Select only one of the following two options.
   a. Individual Award – 1st, 2nd and 3rd place is acceptable
   b. Team or Group Award or Championship – 1st, 2nd and 3rd place is acceptable.

   Provide the name of the event, year and the coach/supervisor/advisor. Also provide supporting documentation including a letter from your coach, and advisor/supervisor and a copy of your award.

5. **Duke of Edinburgh Award** (Bronze). Provide photocopy of the certificate and the name of the supervisor.

6. **Music Proficiency** – at least Grade 8 Conservatory. Provide a photocopy of the certificate and name of music teacher. Both practical and theory components must be completed.

7. Any other unpaid activity considered acceptable by the Black Kat Scholar Committee, **unrelated to criteria 1-6**. Describe in detail the activity you wish considered. **Students must demonstrate a significant, long-term commitment and a high level of growth and achievement within one activity, while attending high school.** Growth and achievement must be objectively validated by demonstrating an increase in responsibility over time. **Please provide a minimum 250 word – typed explanation of the activity, your involvement over the years and your growth as a result of your involvement.** Attach copies of supporting documents such as awards, diplomas, certificates, letter(s) of reference etc. Some activities that are acceptable are: Shad Valley, Cadets, Venturer Scouts, Girl Guides, possibly other non-school organized activities. The activity cannot be part of the requirements for a school course credit.

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Applicants:

It is your responsibility to read the application form carefully.

- **All applications will be reviewed on an individual basis by the Black Kat Scholar committee.**
- **It is the applicant's responsibility to contact all referees and to make sure that reference letters and supporting documentation are provided with your application (letters or emails arriving after the due date will not be considered). It is also your responsibility to include copies of documentation for other awards. Failure to do so will result in an incomplete application.**
- **The Committee reserves the right to reject incomplete applications, and applications will not be accepted after the May 14th deadline.**

****Please submit your application packet duotang (not binder), in the following order:

1. This application form with your name, student number, homeroom and phone number clearly printed or written in ink.
2. Your averages for grades 9 – 12. Please attach copies of your year end report cards and Grade 12 Q3 report. If you do not have copies, please request them from the main office at least one week prior to the deadline.
3. The **3 criteria items** you wish to be considered for your application neatly circled.
4. All supporting reference letters, photocopies and documentation ATTACHED IN ORDER. (For example, everything for criteria #1, everything for criteria #3 and everything for criteria #5).

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Signatures verify that you have read the application carefully and understand the terms.

The recipients of this award are determined by a committee.

Applicant's signature:

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Parents'/guardians' names and signatures:

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