



The Canadian Club of Vancouver promotes Canadian identity and nurtures a sense of citizenship and nationhood. To instill a greater sense of pride in Canada, the Club presents the Maple Leaf Youth Awards. These awards recognize and reward exemplary achievements of students and youth in our community.

## Maple Leaf Youth Awards

The awards are designed to recognize well rounded British Columbian students who demonstrate an understanding of Canadian identity and have exceptional achievements in two or more of the following:

1. Outstanding achievements in Fine Arts, Performing Arts, Applied Arts or Digital Media
2. Exemplary contributions to the community—locally, nationally, and or internationally
3. Exceptional athletic achievement

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Award nominees may be invited to a reception event hosted by the Canadian Club of Vancouver in mid-May. The Award recipients will be named during the event and will receive a special Maple Leaf plaque, a certificate and the award cheque.

### The Essay

A 500 word essay on the following topic is required:  
*What is one key issue or element about Canada that is not taught in school and which you think should be? Describe it and tell us why it should be taught.*

### Three Awards will be Given

**\$1,500 for the first place Recipient**  
**\$1,000 for the second place Recipient**  
**\$750 for the third place Recipient**

# 2014 MAPLE LEAF YOUTH AWARDS

## Important Details

**All applications must be received by mail or in person at the address below no later than 5 pm on April 14, 2014.**

**Late submissions will not be considered.**

All Grade 11 and 12 students are eligible to apply and must:

- Be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident of Canada
- Reside in the province of BC
- Have a minimum grade average of 73% (B)

Applications for **Maple Leaf Youth Award** must include:

- 500 word essay
- Copy of transcript of current grades
- Copies of relevant supporting certificates
- **Three** reference letters
- Maximum of six pieces of artwork (DVDs, CDs, thumb drives or photographs accepted)
- A list of extra-curricular activities and community service
- **Please do not send originals.**

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# 2014 Application Form



**2014**  
**MAPLE**  
**LEAF**  
**YOUTH**  
**AWARDS**

**Application Deadline: April 14, 2014**

Please **print** legibly.

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Grade \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Province \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Applying for:

☐ Maple Leaf Youth Awards

I am including:

☐ The most recent transcript (with a letter from teacher converting letter grades to percentage points if required)

☐ Three letters of reference

☐ An essay of 500 words (maximum)

☐ A list of my extracurricular activities and community service with a record of times or dates

☐ Photographs/copies of artwork. Please do not send any original material. Photographs or artwork to be no more than 500KB in size. Maximum of 6 pieces of artwork per application DVDs, CDs, photographs accepted (if applicable).

☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

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## Maple Leaf Youth Awards Application Checklist

Completed application form title page must include:

- ☐ First Name
- ☐ Last Name
- ☐ Permanent Address
- ☐ City
- ☐ Telephone
- ☐ Postal Code
- ☐ Email
- ☐ School
- ☐ Grade



### For the Maple Leaf Youth Awards include:

- ☐ A 500 word essay on "What is one key issue or element about Canada that is not taught in school and which you think should be? Describe it and tell us why it should be taught."
  - 11 point Arial font, double spaced
  - Margins, 1.5 for bottom, top, right and left
  - Page size – 8.5 x 11
- ☐ Copy of transcript of current grades (convert letter grades to percentage points if necessary)
- ☐ Three reference letters
- ☐ Copies of relevant support documents and/or certificates
- ☐ Maximum of 6 pieces of artwork per application DVDs, CDs, photographs accepted (if applicable)
- ☐ A list of extra-curricular activities and community service, including amount of time spent and dates

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