



BTA TRC Grant Application Form

To redress the legacy of residential schools and advance reconciliation, in its final report the Truth and Reconciliation Commission of Canada called on governments, **educational** and religious institutions, civil society groups and all Canadians to take action on the 94 Calls to Action it identified.

As educators it is upon us to learn and teach the truth - it is upon us to respect and embed indigenous perspective into the curriculum. A Truth and Reconciliation Event should be a Call to Action - it should include plans for change that will become evident in future generations.

The BTA offers grants of up to \$500.00 to schools planning a school wide event on the topic of Truth and Reconciliation.

Who can apply?

Any representative of the school who is assisting with or presenting a large school event on the topic of Truth and Reconciliation.

Please fill out the information below and send the completed form to the BTA Office via the District mail or by scanning and emailing a copy to bta3@bctf.ca with the "TRC Application" as the subject line.

Name: _____

School: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Date of event: _____

Funds applying for (max \$500): _____

1. Please describe the nature of the event (please include number of students/teachers involved).

2. How will these funds be used?

3. How will the school community promote follow-up actions to the event? (ex. writing an article for the BTA Whistle)

Application of the Social Justice Lens

Access: How will you ensure that there are no barriers to participation in the event?

Agency: How will this event motivate participants toward actions for change?

Advocacy: How will this event help participants to identify and develop concrete skills to effect change?

Solidarity action: How will the event allow for networking with community groups and coalition building to effect systemic change?
