

**Incorporation of Masons of Glasgow  
Lady McDonald Bursary Award  
Application Form**



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number (home & Mobile): \_\_\_\_\_

Trade: \_\_\_\_\_

**Incorporation of Masons of Glasgow  
Lady McDonald Bursary Award  
College/Employers Supporting Evidence**



Applicant's Name:

Applicants Address:

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College/Employers Name and Position:

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College/Employers Address:

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Employers Telephone Number (home & Mobile):

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## Incorporation of Masons of Glasgow Lady McDonald Bursary Award Bursary Criteria

The Lady McDonald Fund's aim is to support apprentices and trades people by recognising their efforts to improve at their chosen trade and it does this by awarding prizes and a bursary.

Any apprentice or craftsman in the following trades who work or studied in Glasgow may apply for a Lady McDonald bursary.

Stone Masons  
Bricklayers  
Wall and Floor Tilers  
Plasterers  
Plumbers  
Roof Slater and Tilers

Applicants should complete a bursary application form and send it to the Clerk of the Incorporation at the following address not later than 1<sup>st</sup> May.

Mr Tom Monteith  
Clerk to the Incorporation of Masons of Glasgow  
Bird Semple  
21 Blythswood Square  
Glasgow G2 4BL

A meeting of three members of the incorporation will take place and they will select the most appropriate candidates from the applications presented. The membership of the Bursary Committee will normally be:

The Deacon of the Incorporation  
The Collector of the Incorporation  
The Convenor of the Lady McDonald Trust

The criteria for selecting the most appropriate applicant will be based on:

- a. Best value for money as described by the applicant
- b. Most benefit to the individual's development
- c. Past track record of achievements
- d. Long term sustainable benefits that the individual will gain from the bursary
- e. Supportive comments from the applicant's college/employer

It would be expected that FOUR selected applicants would be called for a 15 minute interview where they would be given the opportunity to present their case for the award of the bursary and this would be followed by questions from the panel. The scoring of the applicants would be based on the above criteria and the actual presentation.

The decision of the selection committee shall be final and no appeals to higher authorities will be available.

The successful candidate will receive a bursary of £1000 and each of the unsuccessful candidates will receive a Lady McDonald Fund certificate.

The successful candidate will be presented with a cheque, medal and certificate at the Deacon's Choosing Dinner in September of the year of presentation. They will also receive life membership of the Incorporation after the completion of the bursary and supply evidence of expenditure and benefits. This will normally be a short written report of between one and two pages in length,