

thank you

Dear Lotus Light Charity Society,

Thank you so much for selecting me as a recipient of the Lotus Light Charity Scholarship. I'm truly honoured to be recognized by an organization that embodies values of compassion, community, and education. Your generosity not only supports my academic journey, but also serves as a meaningful reminder of the importance of giving back and uplifting others.

This fall, I will begin my studies at the University of British Columbia in the Bachelor of Science and Master of Management dual degree program. My long-term goal is to become an orthodontist and eventually open my own clinic in order to help people feel confident in their smiles and cared for in their experience. To me, healthcare is not only about treatment, but about connection, dignity, and creating safe spaces for others to feel seen and supported. I hope to lead with these values in every step of my career.

Throughout high school, I've taken every opportunity to get involved in my community and contribute to accessible education and healthcare awareness. I've served as Media Chair for the Lions Gate Hospital Foundation's Youth Advisory Committee, Youth Engagement Ambassador for Space & STEAM Learning at the HR MacMillan Space Centre, and a volunteer with the Strathcona Community Policing Centre among others. These experiences have allowed me to lead projects that bring students together, bridge knowledge gaps, and promote opportunities for youth to strengthen ties with their communities. These are initiatives I'm proud to say reflect the spirit of your organization.

What inspires me most about the Lotus Light Charity Society is the way you lead with purpose, through scholarships, outreach, or community events. Your support is more than financial aid; it's a reflection of your belief in young people's potential to make a difference. I'm grateful to be a part of that vision, and I carry your support with me as I begin my next chapter.

Thank you once again for this generous scholarship and for your continued impact in the Vancouver community. Thank you again for supporting students like me. I'm excited to carry your values forward in everything I pursue.

Yours Sincerely,

Melody Mokhtari