

# KESPU'KWITK MÉTIS COUNCIL



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# APPLICATION FORM

## **Applicant's Information**

**FOR OFFICE USE ONLY: KM#** \_\_\_\_\_

**Surname** \_\_\_\_\_ **Maiden Name (if applicable)** \_\_\_\_\_

**First & Middle Names** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mailing Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**Town/City** \_\_\_\_\_ **Province** \_\_\_\_\_ **Postal Code** \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_  
                            Day                    Month                 Year

**Telephone- Home:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell:** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

### **Children Under the Age of 12:**

If you have children under the age of 12 who would like to apply for their membership cards, please list their names and birth dates below and attach a copy of a **long-form birth certificate** or **baptismal certificate** showing the names of their parents.

**Note:** Children who are 12 years or over must complete a separate application.

**Family Name**

### Given Names

**Birth Date**

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**If you are related to a current member of the Kespu'kwitk Métis Council, please supply the following:**

Name of current member: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to you: (i.e., parent, brother, cousin, uncle) \_\_\_\_\_

KMC Card Number of that member: \_\_\_\_\_

**All applicants should know that**

- 1) Acadian Métis are not exempt from sales tax or income tax.
- 2) Acadian Métis have no recognized aboriginal hunting or fishing rights.

**REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

**1. Genealogical Documentation**

A **certified genealogy** demonstrates that you have Indigenous ancestry. You can obtain this genealogy either by using Kespu'kwitk Metis Council's genealogist, at a cost of \$20 **OR** through le Musée des Acadiens des Pubnicos (who also charge \$20). Le Musée can be reached at 902-762-3380. Please contact the office (902 742 6591) if you would like the KMC genealogist to complete your certified genealogy.

**2. Proof of Relationship to Parents**

KMC requires documentation that shows your relationship to the parent(s) whose lineage leads back to an Indigenous ancestor. You may send either a copy of your **long-form birth certificate** or a copy of a **baptismal certificate**.

**3. Photo for Membership Card**

You will need to provide an original (i.e., not copied from any government document) **headshot photo** for your membership card. This can be taken on a cell phone. Your photo can be emailed to us along with your completed application and documents ([kmcmetis@gmail.com](mailto:kmcmetis@gmail.com)). If you choose to, you may mail a current headshot photo or passport photo to the office, along with your completed application.

**4. Payment**

A payment of **\$40** for each applicant should accompany your application. You may send this amount by E-transfer using the email address [kmcmetis@gmail.com](mailto:kmcmetis@gmail.com) or you may mail or drop off

a cheque payable to: **Kespu'kwitk Métis Council** to the office at **368 Main Street, Suite 221, Lovitt Plaza, Yarmouth NS B5A 1E9**. Cash is accepted in person.

The KMC thanks you for your support of our organization. **Please ensure that you have included all the required documents and payment with your completed application.** You may email your application to [kmcmmetis@gmail.com](mailto:kmcmmetis@gmail.com) or mail it to Kespu'kwitk Metis Council, 368 Main Street, Suite 221, Lovitt Plaza, Yarmouth NS B5A 1E9.

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**APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE**

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Day      Month      Year