# Collège Jeanne-Sauvé

# Awards, Bursaries and Scholarships 2014-15

Educators know that the journey never truly ends - the tools available to guide us are constantly **evolving** and **changing**, and we must navigate our way around this ever-changing landscape...

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# WHERE'S THE MONEY?

This booklet is meant to be a resource to help Grade 12 students better prepare for their eventual move to post-secondary learning. The information contained in this manual is about awards, bursaries, and scholarships available to graduating students. Although the list is quite extensive, it is not exhaustive. As we receive more information in the Student Services Department, we will keep students updated.

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# **AWARDS, BURSARIES, AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

# Presented by Collège Jeanne-Sauvé at the June convocation

#### S.V.P. remplir le formulaire à la fin de ce livret et le remettre à votre aviseur en Services aux élèves au début mai.

#### A.J. MacIver Scholarship

Awarded to the student who achieves the highest grade in English 40S.

#### **Barb Findlay Social Justice Award**

Awarded to a student having demonstrated a commitment to furthering social justice, locally or globally.

#### **Bourse Caisse Groupe Financier**

Accordé à un élève méritant qui poursuit ses études à l'Université St-Boniface.

#### **Bourse Club Richelieu**

Awarded to a student who has excelled academically and has given of his / her time by volunteering in the community.

#### **Bourse École Julie-Riel**

Awarded to a former École Julie-Riel student who has made an outstanding effort and shown improvement. Has displayed a positive attitude and good overall performance in school. Must be continuing post-secondary studies.

#### **Bourse École Marie-Anne-Gaboury**

Awarded to a former École Marie-Anne-Gaboury student who has achieved a good academic standing and participated in a variety of school activities.

#### **Bourse École St-Germain**

Awarded to a former École St-Germain student who is enrolled in any post-secondary institution. The student has maintained or demonstrated a sincere and consistent effort in class and in his / her studies. He / she has achieved an average of at least 65 % and has demonstrated good interpersonal skills and is sensitive to others.

#### **Bourse École Varennes**

Awarded to a student who attended École Varennes or Glenwood, and has demonstrated a very good effort and positive attitude. The student has had a good overall performance in school and is involved in the school community through participation in extra-curricular activities.

#### **Bourse de Technologie**

Awarded to a student who demonstrates promise in the ever evolving world of technology.

#### Bourse de la voix estudiantine

Awarded to a student who has shown leadership qualities by promoting a spirit of pride with the students of CJS and who has demonstrated a commitment to perfecting his/her French.

#### **Bourse des Anciens**

Awarded to a student who best exemplifies the spirit of the Immersion Program.

#### Bourse du comité des finissants

Awarded to a student who has maintained a consistent effort in his / her studies, has a good academic standing and has helped to promote a positive school spirit.

#### **Bourse du Flambeau**

Awarded to a student who exemplifies a genuine school spirit by contributing positively to our good name.

#### Bourse du personnel du CJS

Awarded to a student who has maintained a consistent effort in his / her studies, has good academic standing, has shown a positive school spirit, has demonstrated a fair and equitable treatment of staff and students and has made a sincere and constant effort in using the French language.

#### Bourses d'excellence de l'USB

Décerné aux élèves inscrits au USB qui ont atteint une certaine moyenne académique.

#### **Cambrian Credit Union Learning for Life Award**

Awarded to a student who has participated in school and community activities and has demonstrated excellent leadership skills in school. He / she has made a difference to other students' school careers and plans to attend a university or community college in the fall.

#### **Carrie Mulder Scholarship**

Awarded to a graduating student who is pursuing post-secondary studies in health care.

#### **Chautauqua Rotary Bursary**

Awarded to a graduating student who is pursuing post-secondary studies; who is judged to best combine academic achievement and volunteer service to the school and / or community.

#### **Christine Melnick Scholarship**

Awarded to a student who succeeds thru quiet determination and a solid effort.

#### CJS 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Arts Award

Awarded to a student who has excelled academically and has shown talent and interest in the arts.

#### CJS 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Athletic Award

Awarded to a student who has excelled academically and has shown talent and interest in athletics.

#### Collège Jeanne-Sauvé Parent Committee Scholarship

Awarded to a student who participates actively and positively in school activities. Is an all-round good student and possesses a friendly personality. Although academics are important, the student might be a higher "average" student.

#### **Cory Anderson Bursary**

Awarded to the graduating student who demonstrates ability and talent in art.

#### **Councilor's Citizenship Award**

Awarded to the graduating student who plans to enroll as a full-time student in any college or university of Manitoba and has maintained a good average while demonstrating qualities that equal a civic minded individual: leadership, respect for instructors and fellow students, commitment to academic achievement, and sportsmanlike conduct in athletic endeavors.

#### Dakota Community Centre Scholarship Award

Awarded to a student who has demonstrated a strong academic performance and a commitment to sport, leadership and volunteerism.

#### **Damien-Bessette Scholarship**

Awarded to a student who is recognized as hardworking and respected by his / her peers, and who succeeds through quiet determination and by delivering a solid effort.

#### Devin Fougère-Mitchell Music Scholarship

Awarded to a student who is an excellent musician and a leader in the ensemble with remarkable performance skills and a strong work ethic.

#### Food Systems Management Scholarship

Awarded to a student who has achieved academic excellence.

#### **Governor General's Medal**

Awarded to the Grade 12 student who has achieved the highest academic standing in Grade 12.

#### LRSD French Immersion Scholarship

Awarded to a student who has demonstrated high academic standing and has shown a commitment to excellence in the four language skills. (reading, writing, speaking, listening); is intending to pursue French studies at a post-secondary level.

#### LRSD Legacy Scholarship

Awarded to the graduating student who is the recipient of the Governor General's Medal.

#### LRSD Educational Assistant CUPE 3473 Scholarship

Awarded to an all-around graduate who has maintained a consistent effort in his/her studies.

#### Louis Riel Teachers' Association Scholarship

Awarded to a student who is pursuing a degree in Education. Has had a good academic standing. Has demonstrated excellent communication skills, interpersonal skills, leadership abilities and a love of learning.

#### **MB** Association of Teachers of Spanish Bursary

Awarded to a student who is pursuing a career as a Spanish Teacher or in a field requiring the use of the Spanish language.

#### Méritas

Awarded to all students who have achieved a minimum average of 80% in their Grade 12 year, with no grade lesser than 75%.

#### MLA Scholarship for Riel

Awarded to a student who has demonstrated good character and community service and demonstrated sustained achievement over the years in a given field. He / she has also demonstrated exceptional achievement beyond their identified capacities. The recipient must be a Riel constituent. The recipient cannot receive another award.

#### **MLA Award for Seine River**

Awarded to a graduate for outstanding achievement in the study of English literature.

#### Music for life Scholarship

Awarded to a student who has achieved academic excellence and citizenship, as well as extra-curricular involvement in music.

#### Norbert Philippe Scholarship

The former superintendent of the St. Vital School Division, Mr. Philippe has left a legacy to the three high schools of St. Vital by initiating this scholarship in collaboration with the school division. The scholarship is awarded to the graduating student who has demonstrated excellence in character, citizenship, community service, and academics.

#### Partners in Education Scholarship for RRC

Awarded to a student who has applied to enter a full time diploma or certificate program at the Red River College. He / she must also meet academic, civic, and vocational criteria developed by the high schools.

#### Prix académiques du CJS

Awarded to a student(s) who has been recognized as an all-around good student and has had a strong academic performance.

#### **Prix Curtis – Ramsay**

Awarded to a student who has demonstrated ability and talent in art.

#### Prix d'excellence René-Deleurme

Awarded to a student who is a graduate from the St.Vital French Immersion Program, demonstrating academic excellence and citizenship.

#### Prix du directeur

Awarded to all graduates who have achieved a minimum average of 90% in their final year.

#### Prix Espagnol – El Premio Vivo

Awarded to a student who excelled in the CJS Spanish program.

#### Prix Modèle Linguisitique

Awarded to a student who has perfected their language skills.

#### Prix Shelly Glover pour leadership & bénévolat exceptionnels

Awarded to a student who demonstrates outstanding leadership in volunteerism and in the community

#### **<u>Rieja & David Leclerc Scholarship</u>**

Awarded to a courageous student who faces life's challenges by striving for personal excellence.

#### **Rod Bruinooge Student Leadership Award**

Awarded to a student with a high academic standing who demonstrates a genuine concern for improvement of the human condition through leadership in the school & community activities.

#### St.Vital/St.Boniface Retired Teachers' / Support Staff Bursary

Awarded to a student who is continuing his / her studies in a post-secondary institution and is a good all-around student.

#### **Stephen Khan Photography Scholarship**

Awarded to a student who has had excellent achievement in mathematics and is enrolled in the Faculty of Engineering or Science.

#### **Technology Award**

Awarded to a student who demonstrates promise in the ever evolving world of technology.

#### **Terry Borys Scholarship**

Awarded to a student who has demonstrated a genuine interest and pride in learning the French language and is continuing his / her studies at the post-secondary level.

#### The Riverside Lionelles Win Rinella Personal Achievement Award

Awarded to a student with good academic potential and is a good all-around student.

#### **The Steven Vermeire Memorial Bursary**

Awarded to a helpful and generous student who represents a calm demeanor and displays traits of modesty and honesty. Has maintained a good academic standing and work ethic. Will be continuing his / her studies in the area of skilled trades or will be continuing education in a field related to music / music production.

#### **United Way Student Community Service Award**

Awarded to a student who has set an example by volunteering in the school and in the community, who motivates others to get involved, who connects and works with others to make a difference.

#### **U of M Chown Entrance Scholarship**

Awarded to a student with a minimum of 85 % average in their high school program and is eligible to enter any degree program at the University. Will be enrolled at the U of M for the coming September. Is considered the best "all-around" graduate.

# <u>U of M Entrance Awards :</u> given by the university at their ceremony – see university calendar for information

#### **University of Toronto National Book Award**

Awarded to a student who has achieved superior academic performance, displayed original and creative thought, demonstrated exceptional achievement in a broad context in History 30S.

# $\underline{U \ of \ W \ Entrance} \ Award$ : given by the university at their ceremony – see university calendar for information

#### Vista Place Physiotherapy & Sports Injury Centre Book Award

Awarded to a student who has maintained good academic standing while being involved in sports and community service.

#### Winnipeg Technical College Partners in Education Scholarship

Awarded to a student who has registered to Winnipeg Technical College and who has graduated with a 65 % average.

#### Wyatt Scholarship

Awarded to two students who have demonstrated scholarship and constructive citizenship with potential for future growth. The recipients must be or will be registered at an institution of learning or training beyond high school.

... et d'autres à venir ...

#### FORMULAIRE DE DEMANDE

BOURSES / PRIX : Remise des diplômes du Collège Jeanne-Sauvé \*\* N.B. Date limite pour remettre ce formulaire – le 5 mai, 2014

Nom:		Date:
Avant d'arriver au Collège Jean	nne-Sauvé, tu étais un étudian	t/e à quelle école ?
-	l'institution où tu penses suivre faculté / quel programme tu com	des cours l'année prochaine. Indique aussi dans nptes suivre ces cours.
Institution		Faculté / Programme
[ ] Université de St-Bonifac	e	
[ ] Université du Manitoba		
*Si tu t'inscris à Univers	sity 1, indique dans quelle	
faculté tu poursuivras te	s études à l'avenir.	
[] Université de Winnipeg		
[] Red River College		

- [] Louis Riel Arts & Technology Centre
- [ ] Winnipeg Technical College
- [ ] Autres institutions:
- [ ] Le monde du travail:

Activités scolaires : Indique les différentes activités / clubs auxquels tu as participé pendant tes années au CJS.

Activité / Club	Période de temps (mois / année)	Position / rôle

Activités communautaires : Indique les différentes activités / clubs auxquels tu as participé dans la communauté pendant tes années au CJS.

Activité / Club	Période de temps (mois / année)	Position / rôle

Bénévolat : Indique les occasions où tu as fait du bénévolat soit au CJS ou dans la communauté.

Activité / Club	Période de temps (mois / année)	Position / rôle

Emploi : Indique les endroits où tu as travaillé pendant tes années au CJS.

Activité / Club	Période de temps (mois / année)	Position / rôle

## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION TIPS

## **INTRODUCTION:**

# The following provide some tips to help you to be more successful in gaining scholarships!

#### 1. Make a list of all available scholarships

After you have identified the universities you will be applying to, make a list of all the scholarships and awards that you appear to be qualified for. To compile this list, use scholarship websites (such as <u>www.scholarshipscanada.com</u> or <u>www.studentawards.com</u>) and university calendars and websites.

It is also important to have your parents ask at their place of employment whether scholarships are available for children of employees and/or in the community. Note the deadlines for each award and the application process. Always verify deadlines for specific awards with university calendars or websites.

Apply only to those scholarships for which you are qualified.

#### 2. Identify "Guaranteed" scholarships

"Guaranteed" entrance scholarships are often the easiest way to achieve a scholarship. These scholarships are based solely on your high school average as calculated for admission to the program and university you are applying to. These scholarships are identified throughout this book for each university where they are available. Unless otherwise noted, you do not even have to complete a scholarship application to receive one of these awards.

For example, if your high school average is 80-84.9%, you might receive an award of \$500 (sometimes renewable over 4 years). If your average is 85-89.9% you might receive a \$1,000 award, and so on. At several Canadian universities these scholarships are valued at \$12,000-\$16,000 (payable over 4 years) and in a few cases even higher.

These are guaranteed scholarships. Achieve the marks and you automatically get the reward! Once you have determined whether the university you are applying to has guaranteed entrance scholarships, ask yourself this question, "What would you have to do to increase your average to get the highest guaranteed scholarship available to you?"

#### **3.** Meet the application deadlines

Once you have verified scholarship application deadlines with the universities you are applying to, ensure that your application and all supporting materials are at the universities before that stated deadline. Most universities will not accept a scholarship application after a deadline has been missed. Even guaranteed entrance scholarships are dependent on you having applied to the university by their stated deadline.

#### 4. Neatness matters

Your completed scholarship application makes a statement about you. A carefully prepared application with no spelling or grammatical errors creates an impression that you are a quality person. A disorganized, sloppy or error filled application gives a message to the scholarship committee that you may not be the kind of person they are looking for.

Completing a scholarship application (especially where essays are a part of the application) can be a major undertaking. Schedule your time to complete the application as though you were working on a major assignment for one of your courses. Ask teachers and your parents to proof your application for spelling and grammar as well as content.

#### 5. Avoid emailing or faxing your application

Unless the university (or organization) specifically states that you are required to email or fax your application then don't do it. People in official positions (such as the people on scholarship committees) are generally very busy. Their email security system might even block your attempts to email them an application unless they are expecting it by email. The exception to this rule is when the application form is online, then you are expected to complete it online.

Applications sent by fax can end up being received in less than perfect condition. In addition, faxed applications do not always reach the right person on time.

Where possible, send your application by mail. It would make sense to send it by Expedited or Express Post in order that you have proof that it was sent and also proof of the date that it was sent. In addition, sending it this way allows you to track on the internet when your application was actually received.

#### 6. Focus on quality rather than quantity

In writing scholarship application essays, some students focus on listing every little thing they have ever accomplished or every activity they have ever been involved in. It is usually more important to identify a few activities and accomplishments and discuss specific ways you were involved and affected. In addition, discuss what you learned from your involvement and how this will make you a better student (and person) in the university program you are applying to. Providing specific examples to illustrate anything you are writing about makes your essay more believable (and shows you as a more genuine person). Be positive!

#### 7. Help your references

The people (often principals, counselors, and teachers) who are writing reference letters on your behalf are generally very busy and appreciate your help. Sometimes, they might not even know you as well as you thing they do. You can help them by giving them a one page outline of your major accomplishments in high school and in the community. At the top of this page, state the university and program you are applying to (and scholarship). It would also be useful to briefly state a few reasons why you think you are the best person for this award. Your one page summary should also clearly state the deadline date (and other relevant details) for submitting the reference letter. It is very important that you give a person who is acting as a reference for you as much time as possible to complete their letter on your behalf.

A week before the letter should be sent, it is a good idea to remind the person (in writing) that the letter is required by the date you provided. It is always a good idea to send a thank you card to any people who were a reference for you.

## 8. Help yourself

Hopefully, you are reading this book at least a year or two before you graduate from high school. By keeping an ongoing file of activities, accomplishments, awards, etc., it will then be easier for you to complete scholarship applications once you are in your last year of high school. If there is something about an application that you don't understand, contact the appropriate person who is listed as a contact on the scholarship application form (by email or telephone).

## 9. Keep a hard copy

Applications can get lost. If you follow tip #5 you have a way of tracking the delivery of your application and also, if necessary, proving that it was received by the deadline date. By having a copy of your application, you are prepared for the worst case scenario of your application being misplaced or lost.

In addition, as you are preparing your application, save your work often and be sure to have a back-up file. Stating that your hard drive crashed or you had computer problems will not excuse you from missing a scholarship application deadline.

## 10. Know what they are looking for

Read the criteria for the award carefully and ask yourself, "What are they looking for?" Always attempt to answer this question as you are completing your application. Some university websites provide details of former recipients of major scholarships. Read these descriptions and look for clues that can help you understand what should be highlighted in your application and essay.

If possible, talk to former scholarship winners from your high school and ask them for tips. Whenever you have an opportunity to talk to anyone from the university (especially high school liaison representatives) ask them for tips. Don't hesitate to contact the university awards office and ask what they are looking for on any scholarships you are applying to. Knowing what they want can help you to be more successful. And follow the directions given!

## **SUMMARY OF TIPS**

- 1. Make a list of all the available scholarships
- 2. Identify "guaranteed" scholarships
- 3. Meet the application deadlines
- 4. Neatness matters
- 5. Avoid emailing or faxing your application
- 6. Focus on quality rather than quantity
- 7. Help your references
- 8. Help yourself
- 9. Keep a hard copy
- 10. Know what they are looking for

# AWARDS, BURSARIES, AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Most of the applications for the following scholarships are available on- line. If no web site is listed, the applications are available in Student Services. There may be other awards, bursaries, and scholarships added as the year progresses. Please check the bulletin boards near the Student Services offices. <u>Note</u>: Begin the application process at least one month before dates indicated here.

#### Alpha Omega Alumnae Bursary

Application Deadline: May

- Alpha Omega Alumnae is an association founded fifty years ago of female university graduates of Ukrainian descent.
- Our major goal is to assist financially young women having that same background who are entering post-secondary education.
- Our Alumnae offers three bursaries of \$750 each to three deserving women who are applying for admission into a program in one of Manitoba's universities.
- http://www.alphaomegaalumnae.freeservers.com/about.html Information
- http://www.alphaomegaalumnae.freeservers.com/whats\_new\_4.html Application form

#### Alpha Phi International Women's Fraternity Alumnae Scholarship

Application Deadline: May

- \$300 awarded to a graduating female high school student in the province of Manitoba who will be attending an accredited post-secondary institution within the province
- Applicants must have maintained a high level of academic standing while showing a commitment to community activities, leadership and volunteer activities
- http://www.alphaphi.org/Search/Results/6?term=scholarships

#### **Blyth Scholarship to Cambridge University**

Application Deadline: October

For more info visit <a href="http://www.BlythEducation.com">www.BlythEducation.com</a> or email <a href="http://www.BlythEducation.com">BlythEducation.com</a> or email <a href="http://www.BlythEducation.com">www.BlythEducation.com</a> or email <a href="http://www.BlythEducation.com">BlythEducation.com</a> or email <a href="http://www.BlythEducation.com">www.BlythEducation.com</a> or email <a href="http://www.BlythEducation.com"/>www.BlythEducation.com"//www.BlythEducati

#### **Bourse ACFAS**

Date d'échéance : mai

- une bourse d'études d'une valeur de 500 \$ destinée à une finissante ou à un finissant du programme d'immersion française ou de la Division scolaire franco-manitobaine
- Être admissible à obtenir son diplôme d'études secondaires
- Etre inscrite ou inscrit à un établissement d'études postsecondaires de langue Française
- http://www.acfas.ca/acfas/qui-sommes-nous

#### Bourses d'été pour francophones hors Quebec

Date d'échéance : février

- > avoir la citoyenneté canadienne ou le statut de résident permanent
- > avoir le français comme langue première
- > avoir ta résidence permanente dans une province ou territoire autre que le Québec
- > avoir étudié à temps plein pendant au moins un semestre de l'année scolaire courante
- http://www.internationalstudent.com/scholarships/35/Programme+De+Bourses+D'%C3%A9t%C3%A9+Pour+Franco phones+Hors+Qu%C3%A9bec

#### Bourses d'études de la langue minoritaire officielle

Date d'échéance : septembre

- > résident du Manitoba dont l'anglais est la langue première du candidat
- > inscrit à quatre plein cours en français à une institution post secondaire hors du Manitoba
- http://www.edu.gov.mb.ca/m12/bourses/docs/bourses\_etudes\_lang\_fr.pdf

#### Bourse d'études des Jeunes libéraux duManitoba

Date d'échéance : mai

- Les bourses d'études des Jeunes libéraux du Manitoba sont distribuées à des jeunes de 16 à 25 ans qui entrent, ou qui sont déjà inscrits, dans un établissement postsecondaire du Manitoba.
- Si vous avez des questions, veuillez communiquer avec nous à MYLscholarships@gmail.com
- http://www.gov.mb.ca/opportunities/postsec,education.fr.html

#### Bourse d'études en la langue française

Date d'échéance : mai

- > étudiants devrait être entrain de poursuive des études post secondaires hors de la province et en français
- La bourse a une valeur de 2500 \$ par année
- Formulaire <u>www.edu.gov.mb.ca/m12/bourses/index.html</u>

#### Bourse du Programme en éducation de la jeune enfance

#### Date d'échéance : septembre

- Bourse de 1500\$ pour les élèves inscrit à temps plein au programme Éducation de la jeune enfance offert par l'école technique et professionnelle
- Autres renseignements <u>www.ustboniface.mb.ca</u>

#### **Bourse French immersion studies**

Date d'échéance : mai

- > Cette bourse est offerte à un étudiant qui poursuit des études intensives en français hors de la province
- La bourse a une valeur de 2500 \$ par année
- Formulaire <u>www.edu.gov.mb.ca/m12/bourses/index.html</u>

#### **Bourse d'études Fondation Donatien-Frémont**

Date d'échéance : juillet

- vient en aide aux étudiants francophones qui se dirigent vers une carrière au sein des médias francophones (communications, journalisme, graphisme)
- > doit être inscrit dans une insititution post-secondaire francophone
- être en besoin financier
- besoin d'une lettre de recommandation d'un journaliste membre de l'APF
- http://apf.ca/fondation/index.cfm?Repertoire\_No=2137985082&Voir=menu\_liste3&M=550
- Formulaire <a href="http://apf.ca/fondation/documents/formulaire-demande.pdf">http://apf.ca/fondation/documents/formulaire-demande.pdf</a>

#### **Bridge Builders**

Application Deadline: May

- Making a recognized positive contribution to society through civic engagement and/or volunteering experience.
- Substantial contribution to building or mending broken multi-ethnic, multi-faith and multicultural bridges. Ten scholarships available
- http://www.cfobb.org/awards

#### **Building a Brighter Future**

Application Deadline: January

- Must be a Canadian resident Aboriginal individual with Métis status as recognized by the Métis National Council
- Ten scholarships available
- <u>http://indspire.ca/scholarships</u>

#### **Burger King / McLamore Foundation Scholarship**

#### Application Deadline: December

- must maintain a GPA of 2.5 3.5 (67% or higher) throughout high school
- > must work part-time 15 hours per week and at least 40 weeks throughout the year
- > good conduct and attitude in school and on the job
- participation in community services and/or co-curricular activities
- must demonstrate financial need
- http://www.bkmclamorefoundation.org/WhatWeDo/ScholarsProgram

#### **Canadian Association of Principals – Student Leadership Award**

#### Application Deadline: March

- b demonstrates leadership in school activities and in the community
- > academic achievement
- http://www.cdnprincipals.org/AWARDS.htm , Click on Student Leadership Award
- http://cdnprincipals.org/cap-student-leadership-award/

#### **Canadian Charolais Association**

- Application Deadline: June
- Six scholarships of \$300
- > Independently researching and writing an essay. Any references or resources should be cited
- http://www.charolais.com/

#### **Canadian Council for Exceptional Children Scholarship**

#### Application Deadline: March

- > individuals entering post-secondary education or training
- intending to pursue a career related to working with persons with exceptionalities (i.e. Social Work, Physiotherapy, Speech and Language Pathology, Teaching)
- http://www.pwc.k12.nf.ca/scholarships/crown\_scholar.html#Canadian\_Council\_For\_Exceptional\_Children

#### **Canadian Hospitality Foundation**

#### Application Deadline: Ongoing

- University or College (min 2 year program) in the areas of culinary, hotel, tourism, events, food and beverage, hospitality, resort
- www.chfscholarships.com

#### **Canadian War Museum History Award**

#### Application Deadline: April

- open to all graduating high school and CEGEP students who are entering university studies, preferably in a recognized degree program in history
- http://www.warmuseum.ca/education/

#### **CBC Diversity Scholarship Manitoba**

Application Deadline: May

- > must be in your final year of high school
- ➢ minimum average of 70%
- must have Canadian citizenship or residency and be living in Manitoba
- All applicants must come from an ethnic or ancestral background that is a visible minority or Aboriginal
- http://www.mbchamber.mb.ca/2011/04/applications-for-cbc-diversity-scholarship-manitoba-now-open/

#### **Chartered Accountants Scholarship**

#### Application Deadline: April

- must have an overall average of 80% from Grade 10 to Grade 12
- ➢ is involved in school and community activities
- ➢ has shown interest in a career as a Chartered Accountant
- must be attending a Manitoba university
- Email: <u>icam@icam.mb.ca</u>

## **Children's Legacy Fund**

#### Application Deadline: June

- > must be a graduating student with Aboriginal ancestry
- > must have made contributions at home or in their community
- > must submit a written account explaining why they feel they deserve the scholarship, indicating future goals
- www.lutherwood.ca/.../sites/.../Guelph%20Calendar%20June%202010.pdf

#### **Coaching Manitoba Bursary**

#### Application Deadline: April

- > must be enrolled in post-secondary education
- > must take a minimum 60% course load in post-secondary institution
- currently coaching with a plan to continue coaching in Manitoba
- http://www.coachingmanitoba.ca/docs/Bursary Application Form.pdf Application Form

#### **Colonel Douglas H. Gunter Award**

Application Deadline: April

- ➢ Five scholarships of \$1000 awarded
- To qualify, each student must submit an original work using one of the following media: Text, Visual Art, Web Design, Audio or Video Production
- http://www.warmuseum.ca/education/programs/the-colonel-douglas-h-gunter-award/

#### **Dalhousie Alumni Leadership Scholarship**

#### Application Deadline: March

- Number of entrance scholarships, valued from \$1000-\$2000, awarded to students who demonstrate leadership and achievement in their extra-curricular activities and communities.
- Must have a minimum of 80%
- Recipients must begin full time studies at Dalhousie in the academic year following notification of their award. For more info visit <u>www.dal.ca/scholarships</u>

#### **Ethel Boyce Achievement Award**

#### Application Deadline: September

- > given to a male and a female recipient who exhibits leadership traits and skills in softball
- > must be a registered player with a provincial / territorial association
- > a resident of the province or territory
- > in attendance at a recognized Canadian post-secondary institution, or plan on attending one in the following year
- http://www.softball.mb.ca/Documents/ETHELBOYCEACHIEVEMENTAWARD.pdf

#### **Firefighters Burn Fund Bursary**

Application Deadline: April

- students must be burn survivors who have been admitted to the burn ward of the HSC
- must be a Canadian citizen
- > must be accepted in a post-secondary institution
- > should be active in volunteer work for their community, peer group, school, community club, church, etc...
- http://www.burnfund.org/our\_programs/bursaries.php

#### Flying Higher Aboriginal Award (Business Council of Manitoba)

Application Deadline: May

- citizen of Canada and permanent resident of Manitoba, having resided in Manitoba for the last 12 months
- > presently enrolled or planning to enroll in Manitoba post-secondary institution, in any discipline
- full-time student
- http://www.arucc.ca/documents/HECQO%20Resource%20Websites.pdf

#### Folk Arts Council of Winnipeg – Mark and Dorothy Danzker Scholarship

#### Application Deadline: April 30

- demonstrate an active involvement in preserving cultural heritage (through volunteer work or employment)
- > be accepted or currently enrolled in a university, college or other recognized post-secondary institution in Canada
- volunteer in a cultural activity in the general community
- maintain an average of 75% or better
- <u>http://www.folklorama.ca/youth\_scholarship.php</u> Web Site
- <u>http://www.folklorama.ca/index.php?option=com\_content&view=article&id=40&Itemid=40</u> Application Form

#### Fonds Neil Gaudry / Bourse Louis-Riel

#### Date d'échéance : septembre

- > membre du Manitoba Métis Federation ou bien admissible à devenir membre du Manitoba Métis Federation
- inscrit à l'Université de St-Boniface
- avoir un besoin financier
- Régistariat : (204) 235-4408 Courriel : registra@ustboniface.mb.ca
- Université de Saint-Boniface
  - 200, avenue de la Cathédrale

Saint-Boniface (Manitoba) R2H 0H7 Téléphone : (204) 233-0210

#### Fountainhead Essay Contest

Application Deadline: April

- Scholarship value \$500-\$10000
- Entrants must be in the 11th or 12th grade
- http://www.futureaces.org/

#### **Future Aces Foundation Scholarship**

#### Application Deadline: January

- > must be a Canadian resident who exhibits exemplary citizenship qualities
- ➢ 30 scholarships of \$1000
- pursuing a post-secondary education or training
- $\blacktriangleright$  be between the ages of 16-24
- ➢ for more information- <u>http://www.futureaces.org/about\_our\_scholarship.php</u>

#### **Garfield Weston Merit Scholarship**

#### Application Deadline: March

- > must be a Manitoba resident in the final year of study in high school or an adult in the work force
- > must be entering first year of full-time studies leading to a diploma or applied degree
- ▶ have a minimum average of 75% in courses required for college program of choice
- demonstrate leadership potential
- > present a record of service to the school and / or community
- http://www.garfieldwestonawards.ca/

#### **Gerrie Hammond Memorial Award of Promise**

#### Application Deadline: February

- ▶ a woman graduating from Grade 12
- > made a significant contribution to the school and the community
- ▶ has demonstrated high academic achievement
- shows promise of becoming a "Woman of Distinction"
- http://www.ymcaywca.mb.ca/wodcategories.html

#### **Great Question Essay Competition**

Application Deadline: May

- Using the book Great Questions of Canada, students are asked to write an essay on one of the six Great Questions debate topics
- > The winning entry will receive a \$2000 cash prize, have their essay published on the website and win a trip to Ottawa
- http://www.greatquestion.com/e/bulletin.html

#### Horace Patterson Foundation Scholarship

Application Deadline: July

- African-Caribean descent
- pursuing post-secondary studies
- academic potential
- community / volunteer involvement needed
- ➢ financial need
- http://www.hpfdn.com/

#### **Howard Hughes Medical Institute Scholarship**

#### Application Deadline: January

- Must be admitted to Calvin College by January 31
- > Intend a major in biology, biotechnology, biochemistry, chemistry, physics, or mathematics
- Intend to pursue a career in research and/or post-secondary education in biology or one of the related disciplines of chemistry, biochemistry, physics, or mathematics
- Have an overall high school grade point average of no less than 3.5 and have grades higher than a B in high school science classes
- ▶ Have an ACT composite score of at least 30 or an SAT combined score of at least 1300
- http://www.hhmi.org/grants/

#### iQmetrix - Female in Technology Scholarship Award

#### Application Deadline: October

- Eligible to all female students enrolled in Grade 12 of a Manitoba high school
- Has an interest in computer science/technology
- http://www.iqmetrix.com/fit-scholarship

#### Jack Dunn Bursary

#### Application Deadline: June

- has demonstrated a strong commitment to community service
- has varied involvement in volunteer activities
- has an acceptable grade average
- http://www.amik.ca/index.php?option=com\_content&view=article&id=91:community-schol

#### Joint Providence/High school Leadership Scholarship

#### Application Deadline: May

- Scholarship is only available to those applying to Providence College and is not available with any other entrance scholarship offered by **Providence**. Students will receive \$1000 per year for 3-4 years.
- > Student applying must have achieved academic success and have exhibited leadership ability
- Student must have a GPA of 3.0
- Must be enrolled in at least 30 credit hours at Providence College
- Must live in Providence housing
- ➢ Follow the links at <u>www.prov.ca</u> to apply

#### Jon Sigurdsson Chapter Iode Scholarships

Application Deadline: August

- > academic excellence
- good citizenship
- leadership skills
- > some scholarships specific to music, medicine, teaching, agriculture
- http://www.umanitoba.ca/student/fin\_awards/media/JON\_SIGURDSSON\_CHAPTER\_IODE\_SCHOLARSHIPS\_201\_0.pdf

#### J.R. (Joe) Power Scholarship Award

Application Deadline: August

- > must be entering in their first year of post-secondary education on a full-time basis
- > be a PSAC (Public Service Alliance of Canada) member, an employee, a spouse or a child of a member or employee
- must demonstrate financial need
- http://www.psac-afpc.com/what/benefits/scholarships-e.shtml

#### Kinsmen and Kinettes Bursary: Hal Rogers Endowment Fund

Application Deadline: February

- ➢ full-time student at a post-secondary institution
- demonstrate high ideals and qualities of citizenship
- http://www.bursary.ca/

#### **Leaders of Tomorrow**

#### Application Deadline: March

- must have a high school average of at least 90% based on English 30S / Math 30S and three of Biology 30S / Chemistry 30S / Physics 30S / History 30S / Geography 30S or another 30S language
- has demonstrated leadership qualities and future potential
- has a high level of communication skills
- shown community involvement
- ➢ has demonstrated evidence of special abilities other than academic results
- http://umanitoba.ca/student/fin\_awards/school\_entrance/1479.htm

#### Loran Award (aka-Canadian Merit Scholarship Foundation)

Application Deadline: October

- > any graduating high school student who demonstrates leadership potential
- present a minimum average of 85%
- > the ability to carry a substantial and serious academic load
- demonstrates interest in service activities
- http://www.loranaward.ca/sef/page/id/10.html

#### Louis Riel Institute

#### Application Deadline: September

- Métis
- > planning to attend one of Manitoba's Universities http://www.umanitoba.ca/education/scholarships/index.shtml,
- Louis Riel Bursary Program (\$1,500; 52 awards available) due October 1 This bursary is open to full-time Metis students with a cumulative GPA of at least 2.0, or who have been admitted to the U of M for their first year of study. Applicants must submit the two-page "Louis Riel Institute Application form" (available in Room 230, Education Student Services or at the Financial Aid and Awards Office) together with the U of M Bursary application.
- http://dev-louisrielinstitute.com/index.php/financial-aid/scholarships-and-bursaries/142-louis-riel-scholarships-abursaries

#### Manitoba Blue Cross Bursary/ Award Program Application

Application Deadline: July

- Three awards of \$750.00 will be awarded based on the following criteria:
- > A handicapped student with special needs who will incure additional expenses to attend Winnipeg Technical College
- A student that has a high academic standing and financial need
- A student of high academic standing and financial need, and that must travel over 100km (one way) to attend Winnipeg Technical College
- http://www.mb.bluecross.ca/about\_us/scholarships

#### Manitoba Community Newspapers Association Scholarship

Application Deadline: June

- enrolling in an accredited journalism course
- desire, upon graduation, to work for a community newspaper
- resident of Manitoba wishing to work in Manitoba
- involvement in community activities
- ➢ good work ethic
- ▶ for more info call the Manitoba Community Newspaper Office at 1-800-782-0051
- http://www.mcna.com/?section=Home

#### Manitoba Credit Unions Scholar / Athlete Award

Application Deadline: May

- > must participate in a minimum of 2 interscholastic athletic programs
- minimum average of 85% in S4
- must be taking a full course load with at least 2 40S level courses
- > athletics, academics and citizenship taken into consideration
- http://www.mhsaa.mb.ca/pdfs/forms/Manitoba Credit Unions Scholar-Athlete Award.pdf

#### Manitoba Forage Seed Scholarship Award

Application Deadline: October

- Residents of Manitoba who is a member or has a parent who is a member of Manitoba Forage Seed Association, or who has a special interest in forage seed production
- > Applying to enroll in the Faculty of Agriculture and Food Sciences at the University of Manitoba
- Achieved a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.5 or 65%
- \$500 Scholarship
- http://www.forageseed.net/index.php?option=com\_content&view=article&id=114:scholarship&catid=50:programs-&Itemid=108

#### Manitoba Foundation for Sports Scholarship

Application Deadline: April

- must have participated in an amateur sport (a member of Sport Manitoba)
- > will be attending a university or college as a full time student
- ➢ be a Manitoba resident for a minimum of one year
- <u>http://www.sportmanitoba.ca/scholarships.php</u>,

## Manitoba Hydro Employment Equity Bursaries

#### Application Deadline: October

- available to aboriginal peoples, members of visible minorities, persons with disabilities, or women aspiring to be in a male dominated occupation
- seeking enrollment in first year Engineering, Computer Science, University 1 or Civil / Computer / Electrical / Electronic Engineering Technologies or Industrial Electrical Electronic Technology at the University of Manitoba / Brandon University / Red River College or Keewatin College
- has a good academic standing
- resident of Manitoba pursuing first year post-secondary studies in Manitoba and is legally entitled to work
- http://www.hydro.mb.ca/careers/student\_opportunities/awards/2184.pdf, Application form

#### Manitoba Lotteries Employment Equity Education Awards

#### Application Deadline: October

- available to aboriginal peoples, members of visible minorities, persons with disabilities, or women aspiring to be in a male dominated occupations
- must be entering first year studies U of M / U of W / USB
- <u>http://www.canadian-universities.net/Scholarships/M/Manitoba-Lotteries-Corporation-Employment-Equity-Education-Awards.html</u>

#### Manitoba Music Educators Association Scholarships

#### Application Deadline: April

- will be awarded to two eligible graduating high school students who plan to pursue a Bachelor of Music Degree or a Bachelor of Education Degree with a Music emphasis at one of our provincial accredited colleges or universities
- > applicants must be students of teachers or institutions belonging to the Manitoba Music Educators Association
- participation in school musical activities

#### Manitoba Ringette Association Scholarship

Application Deadline: April

- must meet the admission standard and will be enrolled full-time in a recognized Manitoba post secondary institution
- actively participated in Ringette as a player and one other aspect of the Ringette program as a volunteer in their community (instructor, coach, manager, referee, etc)
- > indicated a significance of Ringette participation in their personal development
- http://www.manitobaringette.ca/forms/scholarhips.cfm

#### Manitoba Soccer Association: Archie Nunn Scholarship

#### Application Deadline: August

- ▶ must have proficiency in soccer or have shown contribution in refereeing, coaching or administration
- still playing soccer or refereeing / coaching
- good citizenship, character and leadership
- enrolled in a post-secondary institution
- http://www.manitobasoccer.ca/forms/documents/ArchieNunnScholarshipApplication.pdf

#### Manitoba Softball Association Bursaries

#### Application Deadline: August

- must be a resident of Manitoba
- > must be a registered player with Softball Manitoba for the past three years
- must be attending a post-secondary institution
- demonstrate a high level of softball and academic ability or demonstrate exemplary sportsmanship and dedication to softball
- http://www.masrc.com/wcm-docs/docs/attach-Softball Bursary Program.pdf

#### Manitoba Theatre Centre Scholarships

Application Deadline: June

#### Jean Murray-Moray Sinclair Theatre Scholarship

- must be attending an accredited theatre school or a university theatre program, majoring in Theatre, with a view to graduating into the theatre profession
- must be a resident of Manitoba
- http://www.mtc.mb.ca/PDFs/Outreach/2013/Scholarship-Application-1314.aspx

#### Manitoba Trucking Association Scholarships

- **1. Associated Trades Division** Application Deadline: **July**
- minimum 80% grade point average in final year of study in at least three of the following : Math, Chemistry, Geography, Physics, Biology and History
- > plus English or French
- > available only to dependants of employees of Manitoba Trucking Association Member Companies
- http://www.trucking.mb.ca/MTAScholarshipAwards.htm

#### 2. Edward M. Ewanochko Transportation

Application Deadline: July

- applicants can be attending or planning to attend university, college apprenticeship, private vocational institute, distance learning, continuing education or private institution and will be pursuing post-secondary education in a transportation related discipline
- > based on a combination of academic achievement, community involvement and financial need
- > available only to dependants of employees of Manitoba Trucking Association Member Companies
- http://www.canadian-universities.net/Scholarships/E/Edward-M-Ewanochko-Transportation-Scholarship.html

#### Manitoba Volleyball Association Scholarships

Application Deadline: May / June

- Nikki Redekop Memorial Scholarship
- > must be a Manitoba resident, 19 and under to be considered
- grants to individual athletes are designed to help those unable to afford a summer volleyball camp or developmental experience
- > sport activities must be affiliated with organizations recognized by the Manitoba Volleyball Association
- http://www.volleyballmanitoba.ca/wp-content/uploads/2011/09/Camp-Scholarship-application.pdf

#### **McDonald's Employee Scholarships**

Application Deadline: April

- > must have at least 6 months continuous employment at McDonald's
- must be prepared to continue working at McDonald's for a minimum of 15 hrs per week during non-academic periods throughout the two year scholarships
- > application forms are available from restaurant managers
- http://www.mcdonalds.ca/ca/en/careers/rest\_opp/training\_education\_and\_benefits.html

#### Monsanto Canada Opportunity Scholarship

#### Application Deadline: May

- > graduating high school student pursuing studies in agriculture or forestry
- www.monsanto.ca Information page
- http://www.monsanto.ca/ourcommitments/Pages/OpportunityScholarshipFR.aspx

#### **MTS Future First Scholarship**

#### Application Deadline: April

- Students enrolled in university or college next year and planning on a career in Business, Engineering, or Computer Science
- > \$1000 towards tuition for up to four years

Information and application available at: http://www.mts.ca/scholarships

#### **National Merit Scholarship Corporation**

#### Application Deadline: October

- > Route of entry is through the preliminary SAT/PSAT/NMSQT tests.
- <u>http://www.nationalmerit.org/nmsp.php</u>

#### National Scholarship Program

Application Deadline: May

- ➤ 12 \$1500 scholarships available
- Applicants must be Canadian residents studying in Canada and expected to enroll in a post-secondary program of at least two years
- Available to students in grade 11 or 12
- http://www.registrar.uwo.ca/student\_finances/scholarships\_awards/national\_scholarship\_program.html

#### National Youth in Care Ken Dryden Scholarship

#### Application Deadline: March

- > Available to students that have been in the care of the Canadian child welfare system
- Scholarship is worth up to \$3000 or 80% of tuition costs to the institution whichever is less
- ➢ It is renewable annually
- > For more information or an application follow the link below
- http://www.youthincare.ca/work/

#### Northwest Law Enforcement Academy Scholarship

#### Application Deadline: May

- ▶ 18 years of age
- graduating from high school
- no criminal record
- must demonstrate outstanding qualities in leadership, community spirit, involvement in extra-curricular activities and a commitment to place the welfare of others above their own needs
- > pass the Academy entrance exam
- http://www.nwlawenforcement.ca/diploma/apply-Scholarship.pdf
  Information page and Application form

#### North Winnipeg Credit Union Limited Scholarships

Application Deadline: May

- must be members of the North Winnipeg Credit Union
- must be of Ukrainian origin
- participation in extra-curricular activities, community volunteer work and involvement in the Ukrainian community are important
- http://www.nwcu.mb.ca/scholarships.htm

#### **Order of Sons of Italy Scholarship**

Application Deadline: October

- Manitoba students of Italian origin
- entering post-secondary university education
- scholastic achievement
- community involvement, especially in the Italian community of Manitoba
- demonstrate financial need
- <u>http://www.ordersonsofitalycanada.com/scholarships.html</u>

#### Order of the Knights of Rizal Youth Recognition Awards

Application Deadline: July

- full or partial Filipino descent
- overall grade average of at least 88%
- > nominated by School Principal or authorized school official

#### Phi Delta Kappa Scholarship

Application Deadline: May

- scholarship for prospective teachers
- http://www.pdkintl.org/awards/prospective.htm

#### Portuguese Business & Professional Association Scholarship

Application Deadline: April

- Manitoba students of Portuguese descent / basic knowledge of Portuguese language and culture
- entering post-secondary education
- good academic standing and citizenship
- <u>http://www.fpcbp.com/</u> Information page and link to application form

#### Princess Royal Pan Am Scholarship

Application Deadline: April

- scholarship for high performance athletes
- must be member of a provincial or national team/training program
- > must be a Canadian citizen and Manitoba resident, enrolled at a post-secondary institution
- http://athleticsmanitoba.com/resources/scholarships/2275-2/

#### Public Service Alliance of Canada Scholarship

Application Deadline: July

- must be the son or daughter of a PSAC (Public Service Alliance of Canada) member in good standing at March 31<sup>st</sup> of the calendar year.
- > must be entering the first year of post-secondary education.
- http://www.psac.com/what/benefits/scholarships-e.shtml Information page

## **Rainbow Stage Scholarship Awards**

Application Deadline: May

- awarded to Grade 12 students who are enrolled in a musical theatre program or a like program recognized by Rainbow Stage
- scholarship must be used within one calendar year of the award
- http://rainbowstage.ca/pdfs/Rainbow Scholarship Award.pdf

#### **<u>RBC Royal Bank Scholarships</u>**

Application Deadline: May

- must maintain a 65% average throughout Grade 12
- must be enrolled in a Canadian university or college
- > must demonstrate involvement in extracurricular activities, special project, volunteering
- <u>http://www.royalbank.com/lifeskills/</u> Information page and link to application form

#### **Red River Exhibition Foundation Scholarships**

Application Deadline: May

- > for individuals pursuing careers in the tourism, aerospace, agriculture and agri-food, creative arts or business industry
- > must be a Manitoba resident enrolled at a Manitoba university or accredited College
- must be actively involved in the Automotive Industry either as a student, employee or apprentice if applying for the Automotive Industry Scholarship
- http://me.rrc.mb.ca/Catalogue/AvailableAwards.aspx

#### **Re/Max Quest for Excellence School Bursary Program**

#### Application Deadline: March

- demonstrate passion for and dedication to on of the following : Leadership / Sports / Technology & Trades / Performing Arts / Fine Arts / Community Service
- attending post-secondary institution
- http://www.remax-western.ca/4002 quest for excellence.html Information page and link to application form

#### **Retail Council Scholarship**

#### Application Deadline: March

To be considered for one of the scholarships applicants must meet the following criteria:

- > 26 \$1000 scholarships and 1 \$5000
- Enrolled full-time or part-time at a Canadian college or university in Fall 2012
- Pursuing a retail business or marketing-related program
- Currently working part-time or full-time within the retail industry
- A reference letter and typed essay (500-700words) will be requested
- http://www.retailcouncil.org/sponsorship/scholarships.asp

#### **Scholarship for Aboriginal Canadians**

Application Deadline: June

- \$1500 scholarship awarded to the best 750-1000 word essay on: "The importance of quality public services in enhancing the quality of life of Aboriginal Canadians."
- Open to all Aboriginal Canadians who plan to enter the first year of a Canadian public post secondary education institute and who are the children of, or foster children of, a member of the National Union of Public and General Employees
- For more information call (613) 228-9800 or email <u>national@nupge.ca</u>
- <u>http://www.nupge.ca/scholarships</u>

#### **Scholarship for Visible Minorities**

Application Deadline: June

- \$1500 scholarship awarded to the best 750-1000 word essay on: "The importance of quality public services in enhancing the quality of life of visible minorities."
- Open to all visible minorities who plan to enter the first year of a Canadian public post secondary education institute and who are the children of, or foster children of, a member of the National Union of Public and General Employees
- ➢ For more information call (613) 228-9800 or email <u>national@nupge.ca</u>
- http://nupge.ca/files/publications/scholarships/VISIBLE\_MINORITIES\_SCHOLARSHI2011.pdf

#### Summer Language Bursary Program

#### Application Deadline: February

- must be a Canadian citizen and have completed Grade 11
- must be a full time student in at least one semester
- taking a spring or summer language course
- http://www.myexplore.ca/en/

#### **Supporting Agricultural Youth Bursary**

#### Application Deadline: June

- must be graduating and going on to post-secondary education
- based on financial need
- must be from an agricultural based home

#### Syndicat des employés du gouvernement du Manitoba et d'employés généraux au Manitoba

Date d'échéance : mai

- > 10 000\$ en bourses postsecondaire
- Les travailleurs et leurs familles sont éligible de recevoir une de neuf bourses SEGM
- Formulaires de demande ou plus d'information, visitez <u>www.mgeu.ca</u>

#### TD Canada Trust Scholarship

Application Deadline: November

- must be in their final year of high school
- must have demonstrated an outstanding community leadership
- > possess academic skills to successfully enter and complete college or university
- <u>http://www.tdcanadatrust.com/scholarship/</u> Information page and link to application form

#### **Terry Fox Humanitarian Award**

#### Application Deadline: February

- studying towards a first degree in a Canadian university or college
- > demonstration of the highest ideals and qualities of citizenship
- involvement in humanitarian work
- further relevant qualities are: courage in overcoming obstacles, and participation in sport, fitness, and community service
- <u>http://www.terryfox.org/</u> Information page and link to application form

#### **Tommy Douglas Scholarship**

#### Application Deadline: June

- \$1500 scholarship awarded to the best 750-1000 word essay on: "How Tommy Douglas contributed to making Canada a more just and equitable society."
- Open to all students who plan to enter the first year of a Canadian public post secondary education institute and who are the children of, or foster children of, a member of the National Union of Public and General Employees
- For more information call (613) 228-9800 or email <u>national@nupge.ca</u>
- http://nupge.ca/content/3706/national-unions-scholarship-program-2014

#### **Top 20 under 20**

#### Application Deadline: January

- must have a record of innovation, leadership and achievement, of meeting personal challenges and of making a difference in school or the larger community
- > must be enrolled in a post-secondary institution
- must be a Canadian citizen
- <u>http://www.top20under20.ca/engHome.htm</u> Information page

#### **Training for Tomorrow**

#### Application Deadline: September

- for women pursuing training in math, science, or technology at eligible Manitoba colleges (Assiniboine, Keewatin, USB, Red River)
- must be a Canadian citizen
- > must be entering the first year of full-time training in a eligible 2-year diploma program of study
- www.manitobascholarships.ca Information page and link to application form

#### **Union Plus Scholarship**

#### Application Deadline: January

- > One scholarships of \$4000 will be given out to applicants under 30 years old
- Scholarship is available to students planning on attending a post secondary institution
- > Applicants will be evaluated according to academic ability, social awareness, financial need, and appreciation of labor More info: <u>http://www.unionplus.org/college-education-financing/union-plus-scholarship</u>

#### **United Way Youth Leaders in Action Scholarship**

#### Application Deadline: February

- Four scholarships of \$500 will be given out to applicants under 30 years old
- Awards will be given to those enrolled or attending a post secondary institution
- Situations where applicant have demonstrated great leadership ability an asset
- > Applicant must have a connection and made a commitment to the community
- Must have volunteered or worked for an organization funded by the United Way
- > Applicant with a higher financial need will be a priority
- > Application on-line: <u>www.UnitedWayYouth.mb.ca</u>

#### University Canada West High School Scholarship Program

#### Application Deadline: June

- > Open to high school graduates planning to attend the University Canada West full-time program
- Multiple scholarships awarded at values ranging from \$1000 \$25 000
- For more info: <u>www.scholarshipinfo.ucan.ca</u>

#### Université de Saint-Boniface Bourse sportive

#### Date d'échéance : septembre

- Bourse de 500\$ à 1000\$
- ➢ avoir maintenu une moyenne d'au moins C+ en 12<sup>ème</sup> année
- suivre des cours de première année au USB
- > avoir l'intenssion de faire partie d'une équipe sportive du USB
- http://www.ustboniface.mb.ca/page.aspx?pid=714

#### **University of Guelph**

#### Application Deadline: January

- > Open to students planning to attend the University of Guelph
- Students must achieve a minimum 90% admission average.
- Scholarships are awarded to recognize students of academic distinction who have made significant contributions to their schools and their communities and demonstrate the potential to become leaders in society.
- Scholarships will be allocated as follows: 8 President's Scholarships, 2 Lincoln Alexander Scholarships (Aboriginal), 2 Pamela Wallin Chancellor's Scholarships (interest in International relations).
- > For more info: <u>www.uoguelph.ca/president/scholars/</u>

#### **University of Manitoba University 1 Student Council Scholarships**

Application Deadline: July

- extra-curricular and community service involvement
- > Information page and link to application form:
- http://umanitoba.ca/student/fin\_awards/

#### **University of Toronto National Scholarship Program**

#### Application Deadline: November

- Demonstrate superior academic performance, original and creative thought and exceptional achievement in a broad context.
- excels in academic pursuits
- > has enthusiasm for intellectual exploration and involvement in the life of their school and community
- http://www.adm.utoronto.ca/adm-awards/html/awards/natschps.htm

#### **University of Western Ontario Scholarships**

Application Deadline: February

- The Presidents Entrance Scholarship, Faculty Entrance Scholarship, and Beryl Ivey Continuing Entrance Award are awarded on the basis of outstanding academic performance.
- > Demonstrate the ability for creative and innovative thought and a passion for the pursuit of learning
- http://www.registrar.uwo.ca/student\_finances/scholarships\_awards/index.html

#### Vancouver College of Art and Design

Application Deadline: May

- Must be a high school student scheduled to graduate in 2012
- ▶ \$150 000 in scholarships to be awarded
- For more info: <u>www.scholarshipinfo.vcad.ca</u>

#### Variety/MTS Allstream "Leadership in the Community" Scholarship

Application Deadline: April

- High school student pursuing post-secondary studies in Manitoba
- ⋟ \$2000 scholarship
- > Preference given to applicants who have demonstrated leadership in caring for others in their community.
- http://www.varietymanitoba.com/scholarship.html

#### Variety Pat Riodan Fine Arts Scholarships

Application Deadline: April

- High school student pursuing post-secondary studies in either music or fine arts
- ▶ \$1000 scholarship

#### Voice for Animals High School Essay

Application Deadline: March

Eleven scholarships of \$1000 awarded More info: http://hennet.org/contest.php

#### Voices: Manitoba's Youth in Care Scholarships

Application Deadline: June

- must live 'in care' for at least one year
- high-school graduate pursuing post-secondary education
- ➢ in need of financial support
- http://www.voices.mb.ca/assets/2011-2012%20voices%20scholarship%20program%20application.pdf

## Wal-Mart Canada Community Scholarship Program

Application Deadline: May

- > must be in financial need
- > must demonstrate participation in extracurricular activities and community involvement
- > applications are available from courtesy desk at every Wal-Mart
- http://www.walmartcanada.ca/assets/content/forms/community\_scholarship\_form.pdf

## Winnipeg Handel Chorus Scholarship

Application Deadline: June

- ➢ first year fine arts or music student
- studying at a Manitoba university

#### **Company Sponsored Awards**

There are many awards offered to dependents of employees of different organizations. Scholarships are awarded mainly on the basis of academic excellence with some additional eligibility criteria. For information on a specific organization, scholarship program, contact the head office of the organization.

Here are some examples of company-sponsored scholarships:

- ABB Inc.  $\geq$ ≻
- Abitibi-Consolidated ≻ Air Liquide Canada Inc.
- $\triangleright$ Alcoa Itee.
- ≻
- Aliant Inc.
- Amcor PET Packaging Canada, ≻ Inc
- ⊳ Apotex Corp.
- Apotex Inc. ≻
- ARAMARK Canada Ltd.
- ⊳ Aritzia LP
- ArvinMeritor
- ⊳ Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada
- ⊳ Asten Johnson, Inc.
- Avon Canada Inc.
- BASF Canada ≻
- Bayer Canada
- Beaver Lumber Co.Ltd.
- Bell Canada
- Bell Helicopter TEXTRON ≻ Canada Ltd.
- ⊳ Bericap North America Inc.
- Best Buy Canada
- Bowater Canadian Forest ≻ Products Inc.
- BP Canada Energy Company
- Bristol-Meyers Squibb Canada ⊳
- Inc. BUNGE Canada  $\triangleright$
- ⊳ Business Development Bank of
- Canada  $\triangleright$
- Canadian National Railway
- Canadian Parking Foundation  $\triangleright$
- Canadian Tire Corporation
- Cargill Limited ≻
- Celanese Canada Ltd.
- ≻ CGC Inc.
- Chevron Canada Ltd.
- ≻ Chevron Canada Resources
- Clariant (Canada) Ltd. ⊳
- Colgate-Palmolive Canada Inc. Comark Inc.
- $\triangleright$ Commonwealth Plywood Co.
- Ltd.
- ≻ Compass Group Canada Ltd.
- Corby Distilleries Ltd.
- Costco Wholesale Canada Ltd.
- Cytec Canada Inc.
- ⊳ Diageo Canada Inc.
- Direct Energy Marketing Ltd.  $\triangleright$
- Directions East / Vivah Jewellery ≻
- Domtar
- Donald Construction

... et beaucoup d'autres ...

- ⊳ Dura Automotive Systems
- (Canada) Ltd.
- Easyhome Ltd.
- ⊳ EJC Mining Equipment Inc.

Equifax Canada ⊳ Expertech Network Installation ⊳

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Proctor & Gamble Inc.

RBC Financial Group Reimer Express Lines Ltd.

Rockett Lumber & Building

Rockwell Automation Canada

Schindler Elevator Corporation

Smurfit-Stone Container Canada

Ricoh Canada

**Robins Donuts** 

Supplies Ltd.

Rusel Metals Inc.

Schering Canada Ltd.

Ltd.

Inc.

Sobevs

Safeway

Scotiabank

Scott Paper Ltd.

Sears Canada Inc.

Siemens Canada

Shaklee Canada Inc.

St. Lawrence Seaway

Standen's Ltd.

Management Corporation

STAPLES Business Depot

Syngenta Crop Protection

**TELUS** Communications Inc.

The Home Depot Canada

Toys 'R' Us (Canada) Ltd.

State Farm Mutual Automobile

Starbucks Corporation

Insurance Company

Suncor Energy Inc.

Canada Inc.

Talbots Inc.

Telebec S.E.C.

Telestat Canada

**TELUS** Quebec

The Bay Corp.

Tim Hortons

UAP Inc. Ultramar Ltd.

Walmart

Winners

Transport Canada

Trimac Corporation

Unilever Canada Ltd.

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Wal-Mart Canada Corporation

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Urban Barn Ltd.

Weston Bakeries

Whirlpool Foundation

Wrigley Corporation

Wyeth Canada Inc.

Xerox Canada Inc.

Winnipeg Transit System

Sears Canada

- Inc.
  - Export Development Canada
- ExxonMobil Canada
- ExxonMobil Chemical Films  $\triangleright$
- Canada Ltd.

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- 6 Famous Players
- Flexia Corporation ⊳
- Future Shop ⊳
- ⊳ Gaz Metropolitan
- GDX Automotive-Welland Plant  $\triangleright$
- Haliburton Group Canada Inc. ⊳
- Home Depot  $\triangleright$
- Home Hardware Stores Ltd.
- Honeywell
- Horn Plastics Inc. ⊳
- Hudson Bay Company  $\triangleright$
- IBM Computers ≻
- $\triangleright$ ICI Canada Inc.
- ⊳ IGA
- $\triangleright$ IKEA Canada
- ⊳ Imperial Oil Limited
- Ingersoll-Rand Canada Ltd.  $\triangleright$
- > Interforest Ltd.
- International Union of  $\triangleright$ Bricklayers and Allied Craftsworkers
- ⊳ Iron Ore Company of Canada
- James Richardson & Sons ≻
- $\triangleright$ Johnson Diversey Canada Ltd.
- Kraft Canada Inc.
- $\triangleright$ La Compagnie Miniere Quebec Cartier
- Lafarge Canada Inc.  $\triangleright$
- Lehigh Cement Ltd.
- Lombard Canada Ltd.  $\triangleright$
- ⊳ Manitoba Hydro System
- ⊳ Manitoba Teachers Society
- ⊳ Manitoba Telephone System
- MDS Nordion  $\triangleright$
- Merck Frosst Canada
- Michelin North American ⊳
- (Canada) Inc.
- $\triangleright$ Molson Breweries
- Motorola Canada Ltd.

O-I Canada Corp.

Pfizer Canada Inc.

PPG Canada Inc.

Procor Limited

Pepsi Bottling Group

Owens Corning Foundation Inc.

PPG Canada Inc. (Refinish)

Precision Drilling Corporation

- NAV Canada  $\triangleright$
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# **UNIVERSITY / COLLEGE ENTRANCE AWARDS**

Below you will find some awards given out by some post-secondary institutions in Manitoba. There may be other awards available; you need to research and follow through with the institution you are planning to attend on a regular basis. There is also scholarship and award information available on several other Canadian universities in the Student Services Department.

# UNIVERSITÉ DE ST-BONIFACE SCHOLARSHIPS AND BURSARIES http://www.ustboniface.mb.ca

#### Entrance Scholarships – General

Field of Study: University/ETP Number: Variable Amount: \$750

#### **Eligibility Requirements:**

- graduated from a Manitoba high school
- completed Grade 12 with an average of 80% or higher this average is calculated using the grades earned in Français 40S, Mathematics 40S (Pre-calculus 40S, Applied Mathematics 40S or Consumer Mathematics 40S) and one other 40S-level course
- be enrolled full time in a university program (with a minimum of 24 credits) or full time in an ETP program (with at least an 80% course load)

Amount: \$1750

#### **Entrance Scholarships – Academic Achievement**

Field of Study: University/ETP Number: 5 Eligibility Requirements:

- graduated from a Manitoba high school
- completed Grade 12 with an average of 90% or higher *this average is calculated using the grades earned in Français 40S, Mathematics 40S (Pre-calculus 40S, Applied Mathematics 40S or Consumer Mathematics 40S) and one other 40S-level course*
- be enrolled full time in a university program (with a minimum of 24 credits) or full time in an ETP program (with at least an 80% course load)

#### **Official Minority Language Bursaries**

Field of Study: University/ETP Nu

Number: Variable

Amount: \$500

**Application required: yes** 

**Application required: yes** 

**Application required: no** 

Of note:

- Each program has different course requirements; make sure to check your university course selection with a USB academic advisor.
- All applicants for admission to the USB are required to have their linguistic profile drawn up before making their course selection, except in circumstances beyond their control.
- Meeting the general entrance requirements does not guarantee admission to a faculty or program.

For further information, please contact:

#### **Registrar's Office**

200 De la Cathédrale Avenue Winnipeg, Manitoba Canada R2H 0H7 Telephone: 204-235-4408 or 1-888-233-5112 Fax: 204-235-4485 registra@ustboniface.mb.ca

Deadline for applications: June 30, 2014

# **RED RIVER COLLEGE** http://me.rrc.mb.ca/Catalogue/availableawards.aspx

## Red River College Entrance Scholarships General RRC Application Required

Entrance Scholarships valued at \$500 each, processed as payments to recipients' program fees, are available for applicants to regular full-time programs at Red River College who graduated from a Manitoba high school within the past five years. Applicants must be Canadian citizens and residents of Manitoba. A student may only hold one entrance scholarship awarded by RRC. Selection will be based on high school average (using three 40S courses: English, Mathematics and one additional 40S course [highest grade]). Application forms should be submitted to the Student Service Centre and should be accompanied by an official high school transcript.

#### **Training for Tomorrow Scholarship Awards**

Scholarships are available for women pursuing an education in mathematics, science, and technology. Eligible programs at Red River College include: Advertising Art, Chemical and Biosciences Technology, Civil Technology, Communication Engineering Technology, Computer Analyst/Programmer, Computer Engineering Technology, Design and Construction Technology, Electrical Engineering Education, Instrumentation Engineering Technology, Mechanical Engineering Technology, Motor Vehicle Mechanic (Diploma), Municipal Technology, Radiation Therapy, Structural Technology, Survey Technology. Scholarships are awarded based on applicant's academic achievement and essay presentation.

#### **Partners in Education Scholarship**

This scholarship is awarded to students who have applied to enter a full time diploma or certificate program at Red River College, who meet academic and vocational criteria. (One award per Manitoban High School)

# <u>UNIVERSITY OF MANITOBA</u> http://umanitoba.ca/student/fin\_awards/school\_entrance

#### LEADERS OF TOMORROW SCHOLARSHIPS (6 awarded annually)

Must be a Manitoba or Northwest Ontario applicant. \$10,000 is awarded (1<sup>st</sup> year \$4000, renewable for up to 3 years at \$2000/yr). Awarded to exceptional high school graduates who combine outstanding leadership potential with academic giftedness. Minimum high school average of 90% calculated on the basis of results in: English 30S or Français 30S, Pre-Calc Math 30S and the highest marks in three of Biology 30S, Chemistry 30S, Physics 30S, History 30S, Geography 30S or another language at the 30S level. Demonstrated evidence of leadership qualities and future potential. Record of community and school involvement. Demonstrated evidence of special abilities other than those shown by academic results.

# <u>Advanced Early Admission Entrance Scholarships</u> are valued at approximately <u>\$1700</u>, awarded to Manitoba high school students who apply for admission to the University of Manitoba by the Advanced Early Admission deadline and who present excellent Grade 11 averages.

Candidates will require:

- At least a 92.5% average in **5 Grade 11 courses**, including Grade 11 English and Math (Pre-Calculus or Applied) **plus the best 3 from the following courses:** 
  - Biology 30S
  - Chemistry 30S
  - Geography 30S

- History 30S
- Physics 30S
- Language (other than English)

- An interim Grade 12 average at or above 90%.
- Candidates must complete and submit an Application for Undergraduate Admission and provide an official Grade 11 transcript to the UM Admissions Office by **December 1**<sup>st</sup>, **2011** (Advanced Early Admission deadline).

<u>General Entrance Scholarships</u> are awarded to students graduating from a Canadian high school with outstanding academic averages. **Deadline: February 24, 2012** 

Five scholarship levels or tiers have been set, with the prerequisite average for each tier and corresponding scholarship amount determined on a yearly basis. Keep in mind that a specific amount for each tier may change from year to year. As an example, in 2011-2012, the tiers and the accompanying award values were set as follows:

Tier I	average greater than or equal to 95%	\$2,000
Tier II	average greater than or equal to 92.5%	\$1,700
Tier III	average greater than or equal to 90%	\$1,400
Tier IV	average greater than or equal to 87.5%	\$1,100
Tier V	average greater than or equal to 85%	\$800

#### **Candidates will require:**

• Standing in 5 different 40S courses from the following subject areas:

- Art 40S Biology 40S Chemistry 40S Computer Science 40S English/Anglais 40S Geography 40S History 40S Latin 40S Physics 40S Social Studies: World Issues 40S; and/or
- One of: Applied Math 40S or Pre-Calculas 40S; and/or
- One of: Music 40S or Private Music Option 42S; and/or
- One of: Clothing, Housing & Design 40S, Family Studies 40S or Foods & Nutrition 40S; and/or
- One of: Canadian Aboriginal Language 41G, Deutsch 40S, Filipino 40S, French/Francais 40S (if not used in lieu of English/Anglais 40S), German 40S, Hebrew 40S, Icelandic 40S, Italian 40S, Japanese 40S, Mandarin 40S, Polish 40S, Portuguese 40S, Spanish 40S, Ukrainian 40S.
- A minimum average of 85% over the best five credits of those listed above.
- Only 1 course from each subject area can be represented. The only exception is with English where two credits can be counted i.e. English 40G and 40S.

# <u>UNIVERSITY OF WINNIPEG</u>: Entrance Scholarship Program www.uwinnipeg.ca/index/services-awdsinfo

#### Alumni Entrance Scholarship Program (AESP)

Criteria:

- 1. High academic standing and promise.
- 2. Noteworthy participation in extra-curricular activities in school and community.
- 3. Leadership qualities and strength of character.

Value: \$5,000 (Each Manitoba high school may nominate one student. Nomination forms are sent to principals. A committee will select six to ten AESP recipients.)

#### Marsha P. Hanen Entrance Scholarship

Criteria:

- 1. Same as those of the Alumni Entrance Scholarship Program.
- 2. Selected from among the AESP nominees.

Value: \$10,500 (\$4,500 for Year I and then renewable for up to three more years at \$2,000 per year.)

#### Walter Leatherdale Entrance Scholarship

Criteria:

- 1. Same as those of the Alumni Entrance Scholarship Program
- 2. Must come from rural Manitoba and preferably from a farming community.
- 3. Selected from among the AESP nominees.

Value: \$24,000 (\$6,000 for Year I (tuition, textbook & living allowances) and then renewable for up to three more years.)

#### **Special Entrance Scholarships**

These scholarships are offered, without the necessity of a scholarship application, to all graduates of Manitoba high schools who meet the conditions below. Grade12 students must, however, apply for admission to the University by March 1.

- 1. Only students with at least five 40S credits approved for admission to The University of Winnipeg will be considered for a Special Entrance Scholarship.
- 2. A minimum average of 80% on the best five of the approved 40S credits. (Standing in full-credit Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate courses is approved for scholarship calculation purposes. Interim grades, submitted by high schools in spring, will be used.)
- 3. The two students with the highest incoming averages will be awarded the \$4,000 Chancellor's Special Entrance Scholarships.
  - Students with averages of 95.0% or higher will receive a \$2,250 scholarship.
  - Students with averages of 90.0% to 94.9% will receive a \$1,750 scholarship.
  - Students with averages of 86.0% to 89.9% will receive a \$1,100 scholarship.
  - Students with averages of 80.0% to 85.9% will receive a \$800 scholarship.

ALSO \$600 President's Award of Merit bonus awards for the five students with the highest averages entering each of Arts, Science & Education.

ADVANCED EARLY ADMISSION SCHOLARSHIPS of at least \$1,750 will be offered to students who apply for admission by December 1, 2011, who have averages of at least 91% on five approved 30S credits, and who are registered for at least five approved 40S credits.

# WINNIPEG TECHNICAL COLLEGE (WTC): Post-secondary studies

# www.wtc.mb.ca

The Louis Riel School Division has an articulation agreement with Winnipeg Technical College, which affords our students with additional educational opportunities.

- Students may be sponsored up to 20 years of age.
- Students may begin taking courses at WTC as early as grade 11 (please see your CJS Student Services Advisor).
- If students are continuing after graduation in a program, they may be sponsored by the Louis Riel School Division (4 credits). However, students may also begin their programs at WTC after they have graduated and may be sponsored for four credits in the first semester beyond graduation. The remainder of the fees will be the responsibility of the student.

#### Winnipeg Technical Programs include:

- Auto Mechanics
- Business Administrative Assistant
- Carpentry
- Culinary Arts and Design
- Electrical Applications
- Hairstyling
- Industrial Electronics

- Industrial Mechanic / Millwright
- Industrial Welding
- Medical Administrative Assistant
- Microcomputer Systems Technician
- Motosport Technician
- Network Security Diploma Program

- Network Systems administration
- Pharmacy Technician
- Production Art
- Rehabilitation Assistant
- Technical Drafting
- TIPs (Technology Introduction Programs)

Students and their parents may attend a "Spend An Afternoon" session at Winnipeg Technical College to investigate any of the program offerings. For more information, please contact your Student Services Advisor at Collège Jeanne-Sauvé: 257-0124

# LOUIS RIEL ARTS & TECHNOLOGY CENTRE (ATC): Post-secondary studies www.rielsd.org/atc

The Louis Riel School Division has an articulation agreement with Louis Riel Arts & Technology Centre, which affords our students with additional educational opportunities.

- Students may be sponsored up to 20 years of age.
- Students may begin taking courses at WTC as early as grade 11 (please see your CJS Student Services Advisor).
- If students are continuing after graduation in a program, they may be sponsored partially by the Louis Riel School Division (4 credits). However, students may also begin their programs at ATC after they have graduated may be sponsored for four credits in the first semester beyond graduation. The remainder of the fees will be the responsibility of the student.

Students and their parents may attend a "Spend An Afternoon" session at Louis Riel Arts & Technology Centre to investigate any of the program offerings. For details regarding this opportunity, students or parents may contact CJS Student Services Department.

#### Louis Riel Arts & Technology Centre programs include:

- Academics (Mature Student Program)
- Administrative Assistant
- Automotive Technology
- Building Construction Trades & Technology
- Culinary Arts
- Early Childhood Educator

- Esthetics (Nail Technology & Skin Care Technology)
- Hairstyling
- Website Developer
- Information Systems Architecht
- New Media Design

For more information, please contact your Student Services Advisor at Collège Jeanne-Sauvé: 257-0124

# Manitoba Apprenticeship Program

#### Looking for a rewarding career?

Would you like to learn a trade and earn a wage at the same time? Do you want a career where you use your mind and your hands? Do you want your qualifications recognized in other provinces? Do you want a good wage or do you want to be your own boss?

A career in a trade can be a positive, rewarding choice. And training through apprenticeship can be the ticket to your future.

Apprenticeship can lead you to well-paid, skilled employment. Through a combination of on-the-job and technical/in-school training, you can earn a Certificate of Qualification in a trade. This means your expertise and industry-approved skills and training are formally and financially recognized.

#### How does apprenticeship work?

Manitoba apprenticeship trades are listed on the Trades Training Requirements chart. If you are presently working in one of these trades and would like to become certified, ask your employer about an apprenticeship training agreement.

If you are not yet working, determine the trade in which you would like to pursue a career. Find an employer who will hire you and provide quality, on-the-job training. Then contact the Apprenticeship Branch to formalize an apprenticeship agreement with your employer. With an agreement in place, you learn the skills of your chosen trade by working closely with skilled trades people in this business. For the work you do, your employer pays you a wage.

About 80% of your training occurs with your employer on-thejob, working and learning the skills of your trade. The other 20% is technical, classroom-based training, taken either once a year in a block of time away from work, or in a more flexible timeframe. The Apprenticeship Branch arranges this technical aspect of your training.

The Apprenticeship Branch and the Apprenticeship and Trades Qualifications Board, in co-operation with industry, are examining more flexible ways to deliver this training. Some of the methods include day/evening courses and long distance delivery.

#### Do I get a certificate?

When you successfully complete your apprenticeship training, you receive a Certificate of Qualification confirming your status as a journeyperson in your trade. In most trades, you qualify for an interprovincial or "Red Seal" certificate if you score 70 percent or higher on your final exam. This certificate allows you to work in other provinces where the "Red Seal" certification for your trade is recognized.

#### What trades can I enter through apprenticeship?

There are now over 50 designated trades in Manitoba and the number is growing. In most of these you can obtain interprovincial or "Red Seal" standing. Some trades are compulsory. This means the only way you can work in these trades is through apprenticeship training or if you have a Certificate of Qualification.

#### How long is an apprenticeship?

Apprenticeship trade training varies from two to five years. The average duration is four years. Refer to the Trades Training Requirements chart for the minimum number of hours of experience required each year. Your technical training will be the equivalent of four to ten weeks per year, depending on your trade.

#### Do I qualify?

Today's apprentices come from a wide variety of backgrounds and have a high degree of self-motivation and enthusiasm. They work in a wide range of trades. They may be looking for a first job, a career change or formal qualification in a present occupation.

To become an apprentice, you must meet academic standards and the minimum age requirement (16 years of age for most trades, 17 or 18 years for a few others). As many of the trades are technology-based, it is important to have Senior Year credits in mathematics and science.

Employers prefer to hire people who have completed or are completing high school. For this reason, it is recommended that you stay in school and broaden your scope of career options. If you don't meet minimum academic standards, contact the Apprenticeship Branch for information on upgrading programs available.

A person who has experience in a designated trade and wants to become a fully qualified journeyperson, can apply to take a Trades Qualification exam administered by the Apprenticeship Branch.

#### What are my career prospects?

Employers train apprentices to become journeypersons because they need skilled and productive employees. Companies put time, effort and money into your training. If you work hard and learn well, your employer will want you on staff after your apprenticeship training is completed.

#### What is the pay like?

During your apprenticeship you are paid an industry-set wage that increases over the length of your apprenticeship. The trade you learn is skilled and complex. For this reason, people who become journeypersons through apprentice-ship training usually command higher wages than others who do not have certification in the trade.

Want to know more?

Check our web site at: http://www.gov.mb.ca/educate/apprent/

or contact one of the following Apprenticeship Branch offices:

#### Winnipeg

Room 1010, 401 York Avenue, R3C 0P8 Phone: (204) 945-3337 Fax: (204) 948-2346

# **INTERNET RESOURCES: Scholarships and Financial Aid**

#### The Manitoba Government http://www.gov.mb.ca/educate/sfa/pdf/fyf\_pamphlet.pdf

The Manitoba Student Aid Program provides supplemental financial assistance for post-secondary educational purposes to Manitobans with limited finances.

#### Can Learn www.canlearn.ca

This government sponsored Canadian web site provides information and interactive tools designed to help students decide what and where to study and how to cover costs. The interactive tools include university and college programs, career information, scholarships, bursaries, loans, budgeting, searchable links / resources, study tools, and information about campus life.

#### Scholarship Canada www.scholarshipscanada.com

Scholarshipscanada.com Entrance Awards Directory 2000 contains all private and public sector entrance awards for students entering universities and colleges across Canada.

#### Student Awards www.studentawards.com

This site offers students free access to information on thousands of Canadian Entrance level scholarships, bursaries, grants and other financial awards. Student Awards will lead the user through a series of questions, ranging from field of study to career objectives and student activities.

## **Exchange programs or work sites**

Youth Working Overseas	www.cfs-fcee.ca (SWAP)			
Canadian Exchange Programs	www.katimavik.ca			
Canada World Youth	<u>www.jeunesse.gc.ca</u> <u>www.cwy-jcm.org</u>			
Career Education best reference any where				
Career Cruising User: manitoba602 Password: careers	www.careercruising.com			
National Occupation Classification	http://jobfutures.ca/			
Employment Searches				
www.gov.mb.ca/educate/studentjobs				
www.mb.workinfo.net				
www.hrdc-drhc.gc.ca/JobFutures				
www.youth	<u>l.gc.ca</u>			

# **Financing Your Education**

www.edu.gov.mb.ca/k12/docs/support/c\_plan\_grad/

The Manitoba Student Financial Assistance program provides financial assistance for educational purposes to Manitobans with limited financial resources. The funds are designed to supplement, not replace, the students' resources or those of their immediate family. The money received is intended to be used only for educational and living costs directly related to the course of study; that is food, shelter and compulsory costs for tuition, books and supplies. The amount of assistance granted is determined according to specific program criteria, up to the maximum allowable amounts. Loans must be repaid when the program has ended, or if the student drops below the minimum course load.

Education or training after high school can be expensive. Your costs include tuition, books and supplies as well as living expenses such as rent, food, personal needs and transportation. It can all add up to \$8,000 -15,000 or more each year, depending on your program of studies and your family situation. Because of this, you may think that post-secondary education is only for the wealthy. It's not.

# NOW WHAT?

You've just read about the importance of career exploration during high school, and ways to pay for your future education. **Now what?** You may have heard the saying, "if you don't know where you are going, you'll end up somewhere else." To get to where you want to go and to become who you really want to be, you have to take charge and become involved in the process of career planning. Recognize your uniqueness and special talents. Be yourself. Don't be afraid of change. Seek help when you need it.

# **High Five Plus One**

Across Canada, the concept of the High Five is being promoted as an approach to planning and decision making for all ages. Recently, a sixth concept has been added, giving us the High Five Plus One. Apply these principles as you focus on your future.

- Change Is Constant
- Learning Is Ongoing
- Focus on the Journey
- Follow Your Heart
- Access Your Allies
- Know Yourself

