



Scholarship Program - Information Guide

1. Purpose

The aim of this program is to support the vision of Seine River School Division, “Leading the Way to Personal Growth”. Seine River School Division will make a contribution towards tuition for first year teacher education students at a Manitoba university or students entering the second last year of a teacher education program at a Manitoba university that lasts longer than 2 years.

2. Value of Awards

Two (2) scholarships of **one thousand dollars (\$1,000)** will be awarded.

3. Eligibility

To be considered for assistance under the program, a candidate must:

- a) Have completed an undergraduate degree and have applied to enter a 2-year teacher education program at a Manitoba university; or be a student entering the second-last year of a teacher education program at a Manitoba university that lasts longer than 2 years;
- b) Have achieved high academic standing, including a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.0 on the last 30 credits completed at the time of application; and
- c) Be a Canadian citizen or landed immigrant of Canada;

4. Other Awards

Applicants may accept other scholarships or awards covering the same term.

5. Effective Date

Successful applicants will be advised in June.

Awards will be disbursed in one payment which will be made in June of the year for which it is awarded.

6. Application Procedures

(a) Application Form

Application forms should be sent to Seine River School Division as soon as possible; do not wait until your application to a teacher education program has been accepted. Your application will be activated as soon as you forward a copy of your letter accepting an offer to begin a Manitoba teacher education program.

All applicants are required to complete and submit the supporting application form. Additional copies may be obtained from the Human Resource Consultant, Seine River School Division, 475-A Senez St., Lorette MB R0A 0Y0 (204) 878-4713 or by visiting our website at www.srsd.mb.ca.

Deadline for receipt of application form is March 31, 2010.

(b) Supporting Documents

- i. Original transcript of your last 30 credits as of the time of your application (to be sent directly from the institution). **Transcripts must be received by May 14, 2010.**
- ii. Copy of acceptance letter into a Manitoba teacher education program.

Preference will be given to qualified applicants who graduated from a Seine River School Division high school or have a parent who is currently a full-time employee of the Seine River School Division.

A selection committee will be named by the administration of the Seine River School Division to participate in the selection of recipients. In the event of more than two qualified applicants, the two scholarships will be awarded on the basis of grade point average calculated using the last 30 credits completed at the time of application to enter a Manitoba teacher education program.