Community Trust



Mississaugas of the New Credit First Nation COMMUNITY TRUST

The Graduation Awards Programs was created in 2005, with a funding approval from the Community Trust to recognize the achievement of the MNCFN Membership who graduated from the various levels of education, both here in New Credit and around the world.

Vision Statement

The Community trustees are committed to the fair, equitable and most prudent use of their administration. The Commitment is to administer their duties within the spirit of the Trust Agreement and with the respect of those ancestors whose sacrifice made this trust possible.

MNCFN Community Trust

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Education Department

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Hours of Operation Monday-Friday 8:30 A.M.-4:30 P.M.

VISION STATEMENT

The vision of the Mississaugas of the New Credit First Nation is that of living a joyful celebration of our heritage. Our heritage includes our culture, identity and traditions as Anishinabek.

Educational Journey

Open to all MNCFN Members (\$500.00)

Purpose:

- This bursary was created to recognize a student who has overcome barriers and/or worked successfully at pursuing their education and future educational plans.

Criteria:

-Attending a high school or alternative/continuing education centre -A registered MNCFN Band Member -Applicants are only eligible for the Scholarship one time.

Application Process:

-Completion of the application.
-A 500 word essay telling us about your educational journey to date.
-One letter from teacher, instructor, principal, guidance counselor etc.
-One letter of support from a Band Member of MNCFN (except the MNCFN Education Department).
-Submit a transcript
-Any other supporting documentation.

Application Deadline:

-4:30 p.m. October 17, 2012 to the Education office.

Selection Review:

-The Chairs of Education and the Education Department will review and select the successful applicants. The successful applicant will receive the scholarship at the MNCFN graduation ceremony.

Cultural Pride

Open to All HSS Students (\$500.00)

Purpose:

-This bursary was created to award a student who promotes, maintains, preserves and seeks to instill pride in their heritage.

Criteria:

-Attending full-time studies in the fall. -Open to all high school students. -Applicants are only eligible for the Scholarship one time.

Application process:

-Completion of the application.
-Complete a 500 word easy outlining how you promote awareness and the preservation of your culture.
-One letter from teacher, instructor, principal, guidance counselor etc.
-One letter of support from a person of your background.
-Submit a transcript.
-Any other supporting documentation

Selection Review:

-Applicants will be selected by high school personnel. The successful applicant will receive the bursary at the Hagersville high school commencement ceremony in November.

Anishnabe Award

Open to all MNCFN Members (\$500.00)

Purpose:

-This Bursary was created to award a student who demonstrates their commitment to the preservation of Anishnabe language, culture and/or tradition.

Criteria:

-Attending full-time studies in the fall. -Open to all MNCFN high school students -Applicants are only eligible for the Scholarship one time.

Application Process:

-Completion of the application.
-Complete a 500 word essay outlining how you preserve Anishnabe language, culture or tradition.
-One letter from teacher, instructor, principal, guidance counselor, etc.
-One letter of support from a community member (except the MNCFN Education Department.)
-Submit a transcript.
-Any other supporting documentation.

Application Deadline:

-4:30 p.m. October 17, 2012 to the Education Office.

Selection Review:

-The Chairs of the Education and the Education Department will review and select the successful applicants. The successful applicant will receive the scholarship at the MNCFN graduation ceremony.