



Dauphin Friendship Centre Inc.

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March 25, 2011

Attention: School Counsellors/Principals

The Dauphin Friendship Centre is once again offering area youth the opportunity to apply for our \$500 and \$1,000 Post Secondary Education bursaries. **Applications must be received no later than June 3, 2011.** If the applicant is successful, the guidance counsellor or principal of the school will be notified so arrangements can be made to present the awards at the school's graduation ceremonies.

Eligibility / Selection Criteria

The "Eye on the Future" Bursary program is designed to encourage students to continue the development of their mind and skills and to progress in the area of formal education. In order to be eligible for the bursary award, the student must satisfy the following requirements:

1. Preference given to Aboriginal students (First Nations, Metis or Inuit), but is not exclusive to this group.
2. Applicant must have completed academic requirements to graduate from Grade 12 (a 75% or greater average will be considered a definite asset, but is not mandatory).
3. Applicants must be entering a recognized University or College in the upcoming school year (a "Certificate of Acceptance" or letter from the Institution stating acceptance is required prior to us presenting the cheque to the student).
4. The applicant must practice good citizenship in their community and school.
5. The applicant must submit their autobiography and reference letter with the completed application.

Please distribute the application forms to your students, and have them contact us should they require any further information. If you need additional forms, please photocopy the enclosed forms, or contact our office and we can send you additional copies. I have also included posters for distribution in your school.

If you require any further information, please contact me at the Friendship Centre.

Sincerely,

Jeremy Smith
Executive Director

"Eye on the Future" Bursary/Scholarship

The Dauphin Friendship Centre is once again offering area youth the opportunity to apply for our Post Secondary Education awards. Our scholarship/bursaries this year range from \$500 to \$1,000. **All applications must be received no later than June 3, 2011.** Awards will be presented at the school's graduation ceremonies.

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- Have completed academic requirements to graduate from Grade 12 (a 75% or greater average will be considered a definite asset, but is not mandatory).
- Be entering a recognized University or College in the upcoming school year.
- Practice good citizenship in their community and school.
- Submit an autobiography and reference letter.
- Preference given but not exclusive to Aboriginal students

Application Process

Applications are available from your school's Guidance Counsellor/Principal or the Friendship Centre. Completed applications can be mailed or faxed to the Dauphin Friendship Centre. Should you have any questions, please direct them to the educational assistance committee members at the Friendship Centre 638-5707.



The Dauphin Friendship Centre will be hiring four students to work with youth (camping, crafts, activities) for the summer starting in June and July of 2011. All applicants must be returning to school in the fall. If you are interested in applying or need more information, contact Jeremy at 638-5707.



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“EYE ON THE FUTURE” BURSARY/SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Applicants Name: _____ Telephone #: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City/Town: _____

Postal Code: _____ Birth Date: _____

Aboriginal Status (if applicable): First Nations / Metis / Inuit

Educational Facility Attending:

Educational facility enrolled in after graduation: _____

Course description of program you will be attending: _____

Length of Course: _____

- Please tell the committee why you should be selected to receive this bursary. Attach an autobiographical essay highlighting your achievements and personality traits. A description of short and long term goals will benefit the committee in making a decision.
- Please attach a letter of reference from a teacher at the educational facility from which you are graduating. Any other references can also be included.

Bursary Criteria:

- Applicant must have completed academic requirements to graduate from Grade 12 (a 75% or greater average will be considered an asset, but is not mandatory).
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- Application must be completed in full, including all necessary data.
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Committee Comments (Office Use Only):



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