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SCHOLARSHIP AND BURSARY PROGRAM 2019-2020

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Mi'gmawei Mawio'mi Business Corporation Scholarship and Bursary Program

Application & Guidelines

The Mi'gmawei Mawio'mi Business Corporation (MMBC) is proud to present a scholarship and bursary program to financially assist students whom are achieving academic success and in need of financial assistance. The MMBC acknowledges the importance of education for our First Nation members and therefore has developed a program to help students achieve their academic goals.

Scholarships awarded up to \$2,000 and Bursaries awarded up to \$1,000, per student – a limited number is available

Application Deadline:

- Submit to the MMBC office or by email by **July 26th, 2019 at 12:00pm (noon) EST.**
- Application must have all supporting documents attached in one package.
- Drop off application in-person or send in by email to: info@mmcorporation.ca
- Late or incomplete applications may not be accepted.

Eligibility:

- The **scholarship program** is meant for students who are in good academic standing and achieving a Grade Point Average (GPA) of 3.0 (B average) or higher and demonstrate a financial need.
- The **bursary program** is meant for vocational students and students who demonstrate a financial need.
- Scholarship and bursary applications are open to all First Nation students that are members from one of the three Mi'gmaq communities: Gesgapegiag, Gespeg, and Listuguj.
- Eligible applicants that will be considered are:
 - students that graduated from high school and furthering their education; or
 - students that will be attending or continuing post-secondary education; or
 - students that will be attending or continuing vocational training.
- Post-Secondary students must be attending an approved post-secondary institution on a full-time basis.
- Vocational students may only apply for the bursary program.
- Each applicant may only apply for **one** fund: scholarship or bursary.
- MMBC employees and board/committee members are not eligible.

EVALUATION CRITERIA	
<u>Scholarship</u> - Completed application and supporting documentation - Grades 3.0 GPA (B average) or higher - Essay	<u>Bursary</u> - Completed application and supporting documentation - Essay

APPLICATION DOCUMENT CHECKLIST		
	Supporting Documents	Details
<input type="checkbox"/>	Application Form	- Fully completed form - Signed and dated - All information is accurate

		- Clearly written/typed form - Scanned application forms if sending by email
<input type="checkbox"/>	Essay	- 500 to 1,000 words (1 to 2 pages) - How do you plan to use your education or training to help your First Nation?
<input type="checkbox"/>	Latest transcripts (not applicable for vocational students)	- Unofficial or official transcripts - From most recent school year - Envelopes do not need to be sealed
<input type="checkbox"/>	Acceptance/enrollment at Post-Secondary Institution or Vocational Training Institution/Facility	- An Acceptance Letter is required if going into a new institution/facility - Returning students must submit a letter of enrollment that states you are considered full time
<input type="checkbox"/>	Copy of Native Status	- Copy of your native status card (front and back). If you do not have a status card, obtain a written letter from your Band to confirm your membership.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

First Name	Last Name	Middle Initial
Full Mailing Address		
Unit/Apt #	City	Province
Postal Code	Home Phone	Cell Phone
Email Address		
Which First Nation Community are you a member of?		

POST-SECONDARY, VOCATIONAL TRAINING, HIGH SCHOOL INFORMATION

When did you graduate from high school or your highest grade completed? Year: or Grade:	
Area of Study: <input type="checkbox"/> Business <input type="checkbox"/> Health <input type="checkbox"/> Sciences <input type="checkbox"/> Arts <input type="checkbox"/> Fine Arts <input type="checkbox"/> Indigenous Studies <input type="checkbox"/> Social Work <input type="checkbox"/> Education <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering	
Please include Major, if any: _____	
If vocational student, indicate area of training: _____	
Are you a returning student? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Vocational Student	Expected Program Completion Date: Year: Month:
If Yes, state year attending (e.g. 2 nd , 3 rd , 4 th):	
Indicate which Term(s) do you plan to enroll in 2019-2020: <input type="checkbox"/> Fall Term (Sept-Dec) <input type="checkbox"/> Winter Term (Jan – Apr) <input type="checkbox"/> Summer Term (May – Aug) <input type="checkbox"/> Vocational Student	
Indicate which program you are applying for (select one): <input type="checkbox"/> Scholarship or <input type="checkbox"/> Bursary	
Note: Vocational students may only apply for the bursary program.	

Have you applied to your First Nation for funding?
 Yes If No, please state why:
 No

EMPLOYMENT

Are you currently employed?
 Yes No
 If No, how long have you been unemployed?
 Months: Years:

Name of Employer	
Annual Employment NET Income	
Length of Employment	
Job Title	
Will you be employed during the school year?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

BUDGET INFORMATION

Expenses	Sept - Dec	Jan – Apr	May – Aug	Total	Income	Sept – Dec	Jan – Apr	May – Aug	Total
Tuition & fees					Employment				
Books					Family/Personal				
Rent/Mortgage					Band/Community Living Allowance				
Utilities/Phone					Band/Community Tuition				
Food					Band/Community Books				
Transportation					Scholarships				
Child Care					Bursaries				
Clothing					Student Loan				
Other (identify)					Other (identify)				
Total	\$	\$	\$	\$	Total	\$	\$	\$	\$

Explain any special budget circumstances:

Please describe your career goals:

How did you hear about MMBC Scholarship and Bursary Program?

MMBC Website Facebook First Nation Friend/Family Other

Collection and Use of Information

I understand that the information submitted in and with this application will be used to assess my eligibility for the MMBC Scholarship and Bursary Program. I hereby certify that all the information provided on this application form and in all the documents accompanying are true, accurate and complete. I have read all the guidelines regarding the MMBC Scholarship and Bursary Program. By submitting this application, I agree to be bound by the guidelines of this program. I give my permission to the Mi'gmawei Mawiomi Business Corporation to collect my contact information so that I may receive information about potential employment, scholarship, and training opportunities. I also agree to allow the Mi'gmawei Mawiomi Business Corporation to publicly announce my name and display my picture if I am selected for an award.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Print Name: _____