

THE JOAN AND DUNC GRANT SCHOLARSHIP

*This Award is to recognize deserving young people
not only for the contributions
they have made but also for the promise they hold.*

The Joan and Dunc Grant Scholarship is made possible by the generous donation of Joan and Dunc Grant who valued hard work and commitment and is meant to recognize and support those individuals who also demonstrate these principles.

Scholarship Deadline: September 15th

Criteria: This Scholarship will be presented annually to Ponoka area students who have enrolled in a post-secondary program of studies and who meet the following criteria:

- 1) have demonstrated a solid commitment to their studies in High School or in their post-secondary program (high academic standards will be considered but is not a requirement;
- 2) have been involved in school and community service activities for the benefit of others;
- 3) have shown a significant degree of self help in achieving their goals.

Students **must** apply for this award using The Joan and Dunc Grant Scholarship Application Form. Application deadline is September 15th unless this date falls on a Saturday in which case the following Monday will be the deadline.

Eligibility: This Scholarship is made available to:

- 1) A student who is graduating from High School and entering a post-secondary program;
- 2) A student who may have taken a year off between high school and post-secondary studies;
- 3) A student who is committed to continuing their post-secondary studies.

Selection Committee: The make-up of the Selection Committee will be as follows:

- 1) The Principal of the Ponoka Composite High School who will act as a Chairperson of the Committee;
- 2) The Principal of St. Augustine School;
- 3) A Community member at large;
- 4) A Member of the Dunc Grant Family (optional, and only if a member wishes to be part of this Committee).

It is the duty of the chair to convene the Committee meetings and to make certain that Award applications are available in the schools for pick up by students. It is also the duty of the Chair to maintain the integrity of the Committee and its members. The selection of the Community member should be made in consultation with the other members of the Committee. The term of this appointment will be for four years.

Administration of Scholarship Fund:

The value of the scholarship(s) will be determined by the amount of interest generated from the endowment fund. The number of scholarships given in any particular year will be up to the discretion of the Awards Committee based on available funds. There is no obligation on the part of the Committee to disburse the award every year if a suitable candidate cannot be found.

The endowment is held by the Wolf Creek Public Schools who will report annually to the Committee the accumulated interest earned. Upon selection of the appropriate candidates, the Wolf Creek Public Schools will prepare a cheque for the scholarship winners. The Award will be presented at the Fall Award Ceremony of the school at which the student graduated from. In the event the Recipient is an ongoing post-secondary student, the Committee will make appropriate arrangements for a presentation.

THE JOAN AND DUNC GRANT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

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| Last Name _____ | First _____ |
| Preferred Name: _____ | |

Female Male

Date of Birth (D/M/Y): _____ Place of Birth: _____

Citizenship/Permanent Residency: _____

Mailing Address/Street: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Home Telephone (____) _____ Email: _____

How many brothers do you have? Older _____ Younger _____

How many sisters do you have? Older _____ Younger _____

Language(s) spoken at home: _____ Preferred Language of Communication: English French

How many people live in your city/town? _____

Father or Guardian: (Living Deceased)

Full Name: _____ Occupation: _____

Check here if address is same as above

Full Address: _____

Phone: (____) _____

Mother or Guardian: (Living Deceased)

Full Name: _____ Occupation: _____

Check here if address is same as above

Full Address: _____

Phone: (____) _____

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EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

Name of your Current School: _____ Expected Graduation Date: _____

Approximate # of students: _____ Years Attended (start & end dates): _____

Mailing Address/Street: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

School Contact Person: _____ Title: _____

Home Telephone: (____) _____ Fax: (____) _____

Email: _____

List all other schools (secondary and post-secondary) attended in chronological order:

| Name of School and Program of Study | Location | Start (mm/yr) | End (mm/yr) | Graduation Date |
|-------------------------------------|----------|---------------|-------------|-----------------|
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PLANS FOR COLLEGE STUDIES

Post-secondary institutions you are considering, in order of preference:

| Institution Name: | Location | Program Name | Year(s) of Program |
|-------------------|----------|--------------|--------------------|
| 1 st | | | |
| 2 nd | | | |
| 3 rd | | | |

CAREER PLANS

Career choices you are considering: 1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____

1. What is it about your selected college program(s) of choice that interests you?

2. How have you prepared yourself for your selected college program(s)? What requirements did you have and how did you fulfill them?

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

List any employment you have held in the last 3 years.

| Employer | Short description of your position and responsibilities | Start/end dates | Hours per wk |
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ACTIVITIES

Please tell us what activities beyond the classroom you have been involved in during the last 3 years.

Extracurricular/Artistic/Athletic activities:

| Activity | Short description of your involvement | Start/end dates | Hours per wk |
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Volunteer Work:

| Activity/Name of organization | Short description of your involvement | Start/end dates | Hours per wk |
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Hobbies/interests:

Conferences/trade show/competitions attended:

SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

Answer the questions on the following two pages by reflecting on your experiences of the last 3 years.

- Please list the three activities within either your school or the community at large which have been the most important to you and briefly state why each was important.

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| Activity | |
| Your role & period of involvement: | |
| Who or what prompted your involvement: | |
| Importance: | |

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- How have you already contributed to your community (family, neighbourhood, school, field of study, community at large) and how do you believe your college education will help you make a more meaningful contribution?

3. Describe a time you challenged yourself by taking on a task/project for which a successful outcome was uncertain. What setbacks did you encounter? How did you deal with them?

4. Describe what you have done to date to help achieve your goals. (i.e. jobs to help you save money, personal sacrifices made, etc.)

5. List five tasks which you have completed which, taken together, tell us who you are:

i. _____

ii. _____

iii. _____

iv. _____

v. _____
