



FARM CREDIT CANADA

ABORIGINAL STUDENT EMPOWERMENT FUND APPLICATION

Grants available up to \$1,000

Eligibility Criteria:

- Be enrolled full-time in one of the following programs:
 - **Business** - Year 1 or 2 at Sask Polytech Moose Jaw campus
 - **Computer Networking Technician** at Sask Polytech Regina campus
 - **Interactive Design and Technology** - Year 1 or 2 at Sask Polytech Regina campus
 - **Office Administration** at Sask Polytech Regina campus
- Must be of self-declared Aboriginal ancestry (includes Status/Treaty Indian, Non-Status Indian, Métis, and Inuit) and provide documentation of ancestry.
- Cannot have received a Farm Credit Canada Aboriginal Student Assistance Grant in the current academic year.
- Students must include one or two paragraph explanation of how the funds will be spent.

Selection Criteria:

- Financial need (100% weighting)
- All uses for the funding will be considered, however, preference given to the following needs: laptop computers, bus passes, food, and clothing.

Students must meet with a Counsellor for Indigenous Students to submit their application.

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PERSONAL INFORMATION – MUST PROVIDE ALL INFORMATION

Last Name	First Name	Sask Polytech ID Number
Mailing Address	City/Province	Postal Code
Phone:	Email:	
Cell:	Social Insurance Number (required to receive payment)	
Program :	Campus:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Declared Aboriginal Ancestry (included on student record)		<input type="checkbox"/> Current Full Time Student
Recommended by (print name):		Approved by:
		Manager, Counselling & Accessibility Services
Date:	Date:	
Amount:		

2. Financial Information

Income

Monthly Income Including:

1. Employment Income (per month) while attending school \$ _____
2. Spouse's monthly income \$ _____
3. Monthly Income from Band, Indian/Northern Affairs or other sponsoring agency \$ _____
4. Monthly Child Support or Alimony received \$ _____
5. Other Monthly Income (EI, WCB, PTA, etc.) \$ _____

Total of Income Per Month (add lines 1-5) \$ _____
Number of months in your program X _____
TOTAL of Income per school year \$ _____ **A**

Other Income:

Band, Indian/Northern Affairs, or other agency \$ _____
 Sponsored funding for tuition, books and supplies

Student of personal loans, or loans/funding from \$ _____
 Parents/relatives – use total amount approved.

Total Amount of savings before school starts \$ _____
 (before tuition is paid)

Scholarships, Bursaries, Awards or Grants \$ _____
 Confirmed prior to this application date

Total Other Income \$ _____ **B**

TOTAL INCOME (A+B) \$ _____ **C**

Expenses

1. **Monthly Living Allowances – Select one only** \$ _____
 Single student living at home \$544
 Single student living away from home \$1235
 Single parent with child(ren) \$1606
 Married student with dependents \$2399
2. **Allowances for Dependents**
 Allowance per child - \$627 X ___ # of dependents \$ _____
3. **Additional Expenses for dependents 11 and under**
 Subsidized child care - \$85 x ___ # of dependents \$ _____
OR Non Subsidized child care:
 \$400 for the first child 11 or younger
 \$140 for every other child 11 or younger
 (\$400 + (\$140 x ___ # of other dependents) \$ _____

Total of Expenses per month (add lines 1 – 3) \$ _____
Number of months in your program X _____

TOTAL of Monthly Expenses per school year \$ _____ **D**

Tuition, Books and Supplies

Tuition – please use actual amount \$ _____
 Books and Supplies - \$3000 maximum \$ _____
Total of tuition, books and supplies \$ _____ **E**

TOTAL EXPENSES (D + E) = \$ _____ **F**

FINANCIAL NEED - Enter amounts from lines above: C \$ _____

F \$ _____

If your financial need is positive (C is larger than F) put -0

C minus F (C - F) = \$ _____

Explanation of amount requested and how funds will be spent (please be specific):

Conditions of Acceptance

Recipients will be required to give permission to Sask Polytech to provide their contact information to The Donor of the award. This personal information is being collected under the authority of The Saskatchewan Polytechnic Act, 2014 and is protected by The Local Authority Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. It will be used for the purposes of award selection and administration and will be shared with selection committee members. This personal information may also be used for administrative and statistical purposes by Sask Polytech and/or provincial or federal government ministries and agencies. If selected, recipients' names, program of study and explanation of how funds are used may be disclosed to the donor of the award, and published in Sask Polytech's awards programs, and/or used in other media outlets or Sask Polytech publications. If you have any questions or concerns about the collection or disclosure of this personal information, contact Sask Polytech Advancement Office (306) 659-3733.

- I have read and agree to the Conditions of Acceptance.
- I declare that the information I have given is true and that I have answered all questions applicable to me.

Signature: _____ Date: _____