



**Scholarship Services**  
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## District/Authority Award Application 2019/2020

District/Authority Awards are \$1,250 awards intended to reward students for excellence in non-academic fields. These scholarships are meant to assist towards tuition costs for furthering students' post-secondary education.

### Criteria

- Be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident (landed immigrant)
- Meet graduation requirements
- Have had good attendance, punctuality, work habits and cooperation.
- Meet the criteria determined by the Elgin Park Scholarship Committee, which requires a student to **demonstrate superior achievement** in one of the following areas:
  - **Indigenous Languages and Culture**, demonstrated at school or in the community
  - **Fine Arts** (e.g., Visual Arts, Dance, Drama, Music, Photography)
  - **Applied Design, Skills, and Technologies** (e.g., Business Ed, Technology Ed, Home Economics, Information Communication Technology)
  - **Physical Activity** (e.g., Athletics, Dance, Gymnastics, not limited to Physical Education)
  - **International Languages** from the International Languages curriculum or External Assessments. Languages must have been learned as part of a student's education.
  - **Community Service** (Volunteer Activity), which includes awareness of local, global, and cultural issues
  - **Technical and Trades Training** (e.g., Carpentry, Automotive, Mechanics, Coop & Apprenticeship Programs)

Students must redeem the voucher within five years from Sept. 30<sup>th</sup> of their graduating year from Elgin Park, before the expiry date stated on the voucher.

**This application must be received by Ms. Janzen in the Career Centre office by 3:00 pm on April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020**

Note: Failure to follow all instructions will disqualify this application.



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## APPLICATION FORM

### 1) Personal Information

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
(Surname) (Given Names)

Date of Birth (month/day/year) \_\_\_\_\_ PEN Number \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

I am a Canadian Citizen

I am a permanent resident (landed immigrant)

### 2) Post-Secondary Plans

Which post-secondary program(s) do you plan to apply for?

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What are your long term career plans?

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### 3) Area of Interest

Please check the ONE area of interest or strength for which you are making this application

- Indigenous Languages and Culture**
- Fine Arts**
- Applied Design, Skills, and Technologies**
- Physical Activity**
- International Languages**
- Community Service (Volunteer Activity)**
- Technical and Trades Training**



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4) Course work related to your area of interest

Grade 11 and 12 Courses

Teacher/Sponsor

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5) Extracurricular activities related to your area of interest

Activity	Describe Involvement	Dates	Total # of hours	Name of Sponsor or Teacher	Sponsor or Contact Information



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**6) Evidence of Achievement**

Students applying for a District/Authority Award need to demonstrate superior achievement in one of the six categories, and provide supporting evidence. **This evidence could take a number of forms:** a written statement, letters of reference, resume, certificates of achievement, records of marks in courses applicable to the non-academic area (e.g. Woodworking 11 and 12), extra-curricular activities, photos, newspaper articles, a portfolio of art work (copies only), etc.

This material should be presented in a duotang, or other thin folder, with this application, to help the Elgin Park Scholarship Committee make their decision. Every effort will be made to return the binder, although this cannot be guaranteed. Please submit only copied photos and certificates. Do not submit originals!

**7) References**

Please list two teachers and/or community members who can attest to your achievements in your chosen area of interest and will be providing a written reference on your behalf. Confidential reference forms will be accepted until Friday, April 3, 2020.

Name _____	Position _____
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Please submit this Student Application Form with your duotang or other thin folder.

This application must be **received by 3:00 PM, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020 in the Career Centre area.** Students wishing to apply for a District/Authority Award in more than one area **must complete a separate application for each area.** Late, incomplete, faxed or emailed packages will not be accepted.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date (YYY/MM/DD)

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## CONFIDENTIAL REFERENCE FORM

Thank you for providing a reference for the student named below, who is applying for a District/ Authority Scholarship in the indicated area of interest. **Please complete the form and return it to the student in a sealed envelope with your signature across the envelope flap.** Enclosure of additional information on a separate sheet of paper is also encouraged.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Area of Interest: \_\_\_\_\_

1) How long and in what capacity have you known the applicant?

2) Please rate and comment on the applicant's quality of attributes

	<u>Excellent</u>	<u>Very Good</u>	<u>Good</u>	<u>Fair</u>	<u>Poor</u>
Initiative/Motivation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Collaboration/Leadership	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Creativity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Critical Thinking	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Communication Skills	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

3) Please comment on the applicant's unique strengths as they pertain to their chosen area of interest. Please include examples that illustrate the applicant's strengths.

4) Other comments you wish to make in support of this applicant.

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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