

Ekati Plus Post-Secondary Scholarship Program



At Burgundy Diamond Mines, we are focused on building a stronger North by assisting Northerners to achieve their career goals. An important part of strengthening our workforce in the Northwest Territories is through education, growth and development of Northerners.

Through our Ekati Plus Post-Secondary Scholarship Program, we offer two scholarships to Northern students who look to make a positive impact in their home communities. At the Ekati Diamond Mine we recognize the value of education and understand the profound impact it can have on shaping the future.



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Burgundy Diamond Mines offers two \$2,500 scholarships to students every year as part of our Socio-Economic Agreement with the Government of the Northwest Territories.

Our scholarship program aims to support students with their education costs and to develop the next generation of leaders in the Northwest Territories (NT).

These scholarships are designed to assist permanent NT residents who are accepted or enrolled full-time in:

- A recognized or accredited post-secondary educational institution
- A technical institution leading to a certificate, trades certificate, diploma or degree

Please complete the scholarship application and attach the letter of acceptance or confirmation of enrollment. Also include three (3) reference letters, with at least one (1) academic reference and a 750 word essay on your role in your vision for the future of the North and the contribution you will make to that future as a result of your education.

Completed applications and supporting materials should be sent to:

Ekati Plus Post-Secondary Scholarship Program Email: ekatiplus@burgundydiamonds.com

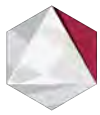
Completed applications must be received no later than October 31. The successful applicants will be notified by November 30.

Checklist

To ensure your application is complete, please review your submission below for all the required documents.

- Completed and signed application form
- Letter of acceptance or confirmation of enrollment from a recognized educational institution
- An official copy of your most recent transcripts
- A maximum of 750 word essay on your vision for the future of the North and the contribution you will make to that future as a result of your education
- Attached three (3) reference letters with at least one (1) academic reference.

Note: The Ekati Plus Post Secondary Scholarship Program is intended for Northerners and Northern Indigenous not a part of our Impact Benefit Agreement (IBA) groups - Tlicho Government, Yellowknives Dene First Nation, Lutsel K'e Dene First Nation, North Slave Metis Alliance and the Hamlet of Kugluktuk. Arctic Canadian offers IBA student scholarships in partnership with our IBA Groups. For information on the IBA student scholarships, please contact your IBA representative.



Personal Information

Name: _____

Full Permanent Residence Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-mail: _____

Are you a permanent Northern Resident of the Northwest Territories (circle one): Yes No

Are you an Impact Benefit Agreement (IBA) member (circle one): Yes No

If Yes, please specify (select one): Akaitcho Treaty 8 (Lutsel K'e Dene First Nation or Yellowknives Dene First Nation)

Hamlet of Kugluktuk/Kitikmeot Inuit Association North Slave Metis Alliance Tlicho Government

Educational Background

Post-secondary institution (academic or technical): _____

Faculty and program: _____

Currently in year _____ of a _____ year program

Financial Support

Are you receiving student financial assistance from any level of government (circle one): Yes No

Are you an eligible recipient of another Arctic Canadian scholarship, or scholarship funded by Arctic Canadian including Impact Benefit Agreement (IBA) scholarships and bursaries administered by each IBA group (circle one): Yes No

References (Letters must be included)

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-mail: _____

Academic Reference (circle one): Yes No Reference Letter Attached (circle one): Yes No

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-mail: _____

Academic Reference (circle one): Yes No Reference Letter Attached (circle one): Yes No

Name: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-mail: _____

Academic Reference (circle one): Yes No Reference Letter Attached (circle one): Yes No

Signature

The information I have provided in my application for the Ekati Plus Post-Secondary Scholarship Program is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Date received: _____ Received by: _____

Date reviewed: _____ Approved _____ Not Approved _____