

SIAST

Aboriginal Student Awards Guide

2011-2012

Listed in this Guide are the student awards for which you can apply to during your academic year that support Aboriginal students.

Applications can be found at www.gosiast.com/scholarships

Please review this Guide to determine the student awards for which you are eligible to apply. There may be other awards that you can also apply to which are open to all students. Please see the Fall or Spring Student Awards Guide for your campus or the SIAST Apprenticeship Awards Guide for more information.

Please see the “TIPS” section within this Guide.

SIAST thanks the many donors who support the SIAST Student Awards program.

For inquiries

Contact your local Donor and Alumni Relations Coordinator for information when applying to student awards

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Contact your local Major Gift Officers for information on supporting student awards

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SIAST reserves the right to make whatever changes circumstances may require, including cancellation of particular awards.

For which student awards should I apply?

To find the student awards for which you are eligible to apply, you can easily search the SIAST Aboriginal Student Awards Guide for the campus you are or will be attending.

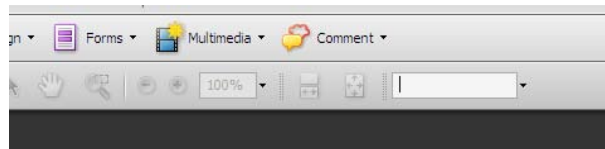
You can also apply to any of the other student awards listed in the Student Awards Guide for you campus, and for which you are eligible.

1. Go to www.gosiast.com/scholarships.
2. Open the guide you want by clicking on the name of the Guide you would like to search.
3. You can read through the student award listings and make a list of the awards for which you are eligible. Make sure to also note the Selection Criteria for the awards on your list.

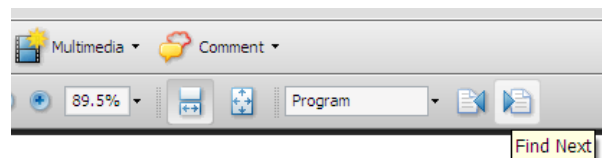
Pay close attention to the “Eligible Program” and the “Year” columns. Many student awards are open only to students enrolled in a specific program and/or a specific year of a specific program.

If the “Eligible Program” column indicates “Any Program”, you can apply for the student award IF you are in the year shown in the “Year” column. In most instances, the program must be 20 weeks or more in length.

4. You can also do a search of the Student Awards Guide:
 1. Type in the key word(s) you want to use in your search in the “Find” box located typically on the right side of the toolbar.



2. Press Enter
3. Use the “Find Next” button to see if there is more than one result for your search. You will need to click on “Find Next” to see each result.



Search Word Suggestions

Make sure to search by:

- The name of your program
- The name of your campus

If you are a parent or single parent search by:

- “Parent” or “Single Parent”

How do I apply for a student award?

Make a list of all the student awards for which you are eligible to apply, and on that list make a note of the selection criteria for each award, and the application deadline.

Double check the program and year eligibility criteria to make sure you are eligible to apply for the award.

Once you have made your list, download a copy of the correct application. Applications, when available, can be found online at www.gosiast.com/scholarships.

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| If the deadline is... | Then use the following application... |
| September 30 | Centennial Merit Scholarship |
| October 14 | Fall General Application for your campus |
| March 30 | Spring General Application for your campus |
| June 29 | Apprenticeship General Application |

From here on in, it's very easy!

1. Tick the box next to each of the awards for which you are applying.
2. Fill in **all** the information in the Personal Information Section.
3. Sign the Student Declaration.
4. If you are an Education Equity student – tick the appropriate box in that section.
5. Read the Selection Criteria for each award for which you are applying. Fill in the correct section of the General Application or provide the required attachment. Use the following chart:

| If the selection criteria include ... | ... Then fill out or attach |
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| Education Equity status – Aboriginal ancestry, Women in Trades and Technology, Visible Minority, Disability | Section 1 |
| Academic Achievement | Attach a copy of your high school or SIAST Year 1 or Year 2 transcript |
| Financial Need | Fill in Section 2 – Financial Need |
| Volunteerism - SIAST and/or High School | Fill in the appropriate part of Section 3 |
| Volunteerism - Community | Fill in the appropriate part of Section 3 |
| Athletic Activities | Fill in the appropriate part of Section 3 |
| Leadership Activities | Fill in the appropriate part of Section 3 |
| Career Goals / Future Plans | Fill in the appropriate part of Section 3 |
| An essay | Attach your essay |
| Letter of Reference | Attach your letter of reference |

Tips

- Carefully review the eligibility criteria for the student awards at your campus and for your program. **If you meet the eligibility criteria – apply for the award!**
- If you don't meet the eligibility criteria for an award – don't apply for it or your application may not be considered or could be disqualified
- Carefully review the selection criteria for the student awards you have ticked on the General Application, and fill out the sections or include the attachments mentioned in the selection criteria. Refer to the chart in this Guide.
- Provide **all** the information requested in the Personal Information Section.
- If you are applying for an award designated to Education Equity students, be sure to tick off the correct box in Education Equity section.
- Make an appointment with the Donor and Alumni Relations Coordinator at your campus if you have any questions about eligibility and selection criteria for student awards in which you are interested.
- **Make sure your application is complete and submitted by the deadline.**

| Award name | Sponsor | Value | Number Available | Deadline | Campus | Eligible Program | Eligibility | Selection |
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| ABB Inc. CA Entrance Scholarship for Aboriginal Students | ABB Inc. CA | \$1,000.00 | 1 | Oct 14 | Kelsey, Palliser | Electrical Engineering Technology, Instrumentation Engineering Technology, Power Engineering Technology | Be enrolled full-time in one of the following programs: Electrical Engineering Technology Year I or II Diploma program at SIAST Palliser campus; or Instrumentation Engineering Technology Year I or II Diploma program at SIAST Palliser campus; or Power Engineering Technology Year I or II Diploma program at SIAST Kelsey campus; be of self-declared Aboriginal ancestry (includes Indian, Métis, and Inuit) and provide documentation of ancestry. Preference given to students with permanent residency in the Estevan area or south eastern Saskatchewan region. | Academic Achievement (100% weighting). |
| CIC Bursary for Aboriginal Students (Continuing) | Crown Investments Corporation of Saskatchewan | \$5,000.00 | 8 | Oct 14 | Any campus | | Be enrolled full-time in an eligible program. Please see the back of the Guide for details of eligibility criteria. | Please see the back of the Guide for details of selection, payment, and acceptance requirements. |
| CIC Bursary for Aboriginal Students (Entrance) | Crown Investments Corporation of Saskatchewan | \$5,000.00 | 12 | Oct 14 | Any campus | | Be enrolled full-time in an eligible program. Please see the back of the Guide for details of eligibility criteria and preferred program designations. | Please see the back of the Guide for details of selection, payment, and acceptance requirements. |
| CTV Scholarship | CTV Television Inc. | \$500.00 | 1 | Mar 30 | Woodland | Media Arts Production | This award will be presented to a student of Aboriginal ancestry who is interested in pursuing a broadcasting career and is enrolled full-time in either the Certificate or Diploma Media Arts Production program at Woodland campus. | Academic Achievement (100% weighting). |
| Evrz Inc. NA Canada Aboriginal Bursary | Evrz Inc. NA Canada | \$1,000.00 | 1 | Oct 14 | Any campus | Electrician, Industrial Mechanics, Welding | Be enrolled full-time in the Electrician Applied Certificate, Industrial Mechanics Certificate, or the Welding Certificate at any SIAST campus. Be of self-declared Aboriginal ancestry (includes Indian, Métis, and Inuit) and provide documentation of ancestry. | Financial Need (75% weighting); Academic Achievement (25% weighting). |
| Evrz Inc. NA Canada Aboriginal Bursary | Evrz Inc. NA Canada | \$1,000.00 | 1 | Oct 14 | Kelsey, Wascana | Electronics Technician, Mechanical Engineering Technology | Be enrolled full-time in the Electronics Technician Certificate program, or the Mechanical Engineering Technology - Year I - diploma program at SIAST Kelsey or SIAST Wascana campuses. Be of self-declared Aboriginal ancestry (includes Indian, Métis, and Inuit) and provide documentation of ancestry. | Financial Need (75% weighting); Academic Achievement (25% weighting). |
| Evrz Inc. NA Canada Aboriginal Centennial Merit Scholarship | Evrz Inc. NA Canada | \$2,500.00 | 1 | Sep 30 | Kelsey, Wascana | Electronics Technician, Mechanical Engineering Technology | Be enrolled full-time in the Electronics Technician Certificate program at SIAST Wascana campus or SIAST Kelsey campus, or the Mechanical Engineering Technology Year I Diploma program at SIAST Kelsey campus; Be of self-declared Aboriginal ancestry (includes Indian, Métis, and Inuit) and provide documentation of ancestry. Please see Centennial Merit Scholarship eligibility and selection information in the introduction to this Guide. | Academic Achievement (100% weighting). |
| Evrz Inc. NA Canada Aboriginal Centennial Merit Scholarship | Evrz Inc. NA Canada | \$2,500.00 | 2 | Sep 30 | Any campus | Electrician, Industrial Mechanics, Welding | Be enrolled full-time in the Electrician Applied Certificate program, or the Industrial Mechanics Certificate, or the Welding Certificate program at any SIAST campus; Be of self-declared Aboriginal ancestry (includes Indian, Métis, and Inuit) and provide documentation of ancestry; Please see Centennial Merit Scholarship eligibility and selection information in the introduction to this Guide. A total of 2 CMS are available. | Academic Achievement (100% weighting). |
| Evrz Inc. NA Canada Aboriginal Graduate Award | Evrz Inc. NA Canada | \$1,000.00 | 1 | Mar 30 | Any campus | Electrician, Industrial Mechanics, Welding | Be enrolled full-time in the Industrial Mechanics Certificate program at SIAST Woodland campus or the Welding Certificate program at SIAST Kelsey campus, SIAST Wascana campus, SIAST Palliser campus, or SIAST Woodland campus or the Electrician Applied Certificate program at SIAST Kelsey campus, SIAST Palliser campus, or SIAST Woodland campus; be of self-declared Aboriginal ancestry (includes Indian, Métis, and Inuit) and provide documentation of ancestry. | Career Goals (50% weighting); Academic Achievement (50% weighting). |

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| Farm Credit Canada Aboriginal Student Empowerment Fund | Farm Credit Canada | Up to \$1000 | Varies | Oct 14 | Palliser, Wascana | Business Certificate, Business Information Systems, Business: Accountancy, Business: Administration, Business: Financial Services, Business: Human Resources, Business: Insurance, Business: Marketing, Computer Networking Technician, New Media Communications, Office Education | Be enrolled full-time in any of the following programs: Office Education at SIAST Wascana campus and SIAST Palliser campus; New Media Communications Year I at SIAST Wascana campus; Computer Networking Technician at SIAST Wascana campus; Business Year I and II at SIAST Palliser campus. Be of self-declared Aboriginal ancestry (includes 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. Applications should be submitted to the Aboriginal Activity Centre Staff. | Financial Need (100% weighting). Students must include a one or two paragraph explanation on how the funds will be spent. All uses will be considered and could include such things as laptop computers, bus passes, food, clothing. Grants will be provided throughout the academic year until funds are depleted. |
| First Nations Bank of Canada Centennial Merit Scholarship | 2011 Kelsey Business and Industry Dinner | \$2,500.00 | 1 | Sep 30 | Palliser | Business: Financial Services | Be enrolled full-time in the Business Financial Services Specialty Diploma program at SIAST Palliser campus. Please see Centennial Merit Scholarship eligibility and selection information in the introduction to this Guide. Preference will be given to students of Aboriginal ancestry | Academic Achievement (100% weighting). |
| Freedom 55 Financial Centennial Merit Scholarship | Freedom 55 Financial | \$2,500.00 | 1 | Sep 30 | Palliser | Business: Financial Services | Be enrolled full-time in Business Financial Services Year II Diploma program at SIAST Palliser campus. Preference will be given to Aboriginal Students. Please see Centennial Merit Scholarship eligibility and selection information in the introduction to this Guide. | Academic Achievement (100% weighting). |
| Great-West Life, London Life, Canada Life Centennial Merit Scholarship for Aboriginal Students | Great-West Life, London Life, Canada Life | \$2,500.00 | 1 | Sep 30 | Palliser, Wascana | Business Certificate, Continuing Care Assistant, Early Childhood Education, Educational Assistant, Practical Nursing | Be enrolled full-time in the Business Certificate program at SIAST Palliser campus; Practical Nursing Year I or II Diploma program at SIAST Wascana campus; Continuing Care Assistant Certificate program at SIAST Wascana campus; Early Childhood Education Year I or II Certificate or Diploma program at SIAST Wascana campus; or Educational Assistant Certificate program at SIAST Wascana campus; Be of self-declared Aboriginal ancestry (includes Indian, Métis, and Inuit) and provide documentation of ancestry. Please see Centennial Merit Scholarship eligibility and selection information in the introduction to this Guide. | Academic Achievement (100% weighting). |
| Kelsey Aboriginal Women's Bursary | Anonymous | \$2,000.00 | 4 | Oct 14 | Kelsey | Any Program | Be enrolled full-time in any program of 20 or more weeks in length; Aboriginal female students (Attach documentation of ancestry). This award is renewable with a minimum GPA of 65% in the prior year of study. | Financial Need (100% weighting). |
| Native Services Division/Gabriel Dumont Institute Award | Gabriel Dumont Institute | \$350.00 | 1 | Mar 30 | Kelsey | Adult 10, Adult 12 | Be enrolled in any program of 20 weeks or more in length at SIAST Kelsey campus; Be of self-declared Aboriginal ancestry; Award is designated to the Basic Education Division. | Academic Achievement (40% weighting); Volunteerism at a SIAST campus (30% weighting); Volunteerism in the community (30% weighting). |
| Native Services Division/Gabriel Dumont Institute Award | Gabriel Dumont Institute | \$350.00 | 1 | Mar 30 | Kelsey | Industrial Training Division or Technology Division | Be enrolled in any program of 20 weeks or more in length at SIAST Kelsey campus; Be of self-declared Aboriginal ancestry; Award is designate to Industrial Training or Technology Division. | Academic achievement (40% weighting); Volunteerism at a SIAST campus (30% weighting); Volunteerism in the community (30% weighting). |
| Native Services Division/Gabriel Dumont Institute Award | Gabriel Dumont Institute | \$350.00 | 1 | Mar 30 | Kelsey | Science and Health Division or Community Service Division | Be enrolled in any program of 20 weeks or more in length at SIAST Kelsey campus. Be of self-declared Aboriginal ancestry; Award is designated to Science and Health or Community Services Division. | Academic Achievement (40% weighting); Volunteerism at a SIAST campus (30% weighting); Volunteerism in the community (30% weighting). |

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| PotashCorp Bursary for Aboriginal Students | PotashCorp of Saskatchewan | \$2,000.00 | 7 | Oct 14 | Any campus | Any Program | Be enrolled full-time in the first year of any program of at least 20 weeks in length; Be of aboriginal ancestry (documentation must be attached). | Financial Need (75% weighting); Academic Achievement (25% weighting). Transcript or copy must be attached. |
| Sask Gaming Aboriginal Award | Saskatchewan Gaming Corporation | \$1,500.00 | 1 | Oct 14 | Palliser, Wascana | Business Certificate, Computer Engineering Technology, Computer Networking Technician, Electronic Engineering Technology, Electronics Technician, New Media Communications, Office Education, Professional Cooking | Be enrolled full-time in one of the following programs: Business Certificate program, Computer Engineering Technology Year I or II Diploma program, Electronics Engineering Technology Year I or II Diploma program, or Professional Cooking Certificate program at SIAST Palliser campus, OR Computer Networking Technician Certificate program, Electronics Technician Certificate program, New Media Communications Certificate program, or Office Education Certificate program at SIAST Wascana campus; be of self-declared Aboriginal ancestry (includes Indian, Métis, and Inuit) and provide documentation of ancestry. | Academic Achievement (40% weighting); Financial Need (40% weighting); Clearly defined Career Goals (20% weighting). |
| Sask Gaming Award | Saskatchewan Gaming Corporation | \$1,500.00 | 2 | Oct 14 | Palliser, Wascana | Business Certificate, Computer Engineering Technology, Computer Networking Technician, Electronic Engineering Technology, Electronics Technician, New Media Communications, Office Education, Professional Cooking | Be enrolled full-time in one of the following programs: Business Certificate program, Computer Engineering Technology Year I or II Diploma program, Electronics Engineering Technology Year I or II Diploma program, or Professional Cooking Certificate program at SIAST Palliser campus, OR Computer Networking Technician Certificate program, Electronics Technician Certificate program, New Media Communications Certificate program, or Office Education Certificate program at SIAST Wascana campus; preference will be given to students of self-declared Aboriginal ancestry (includes Indian, Métis, and Inuit) and provide documentation of ancestry. | Academic Achievement (40% weighting), Financial Need (40% weighting), Clearly defined Career Goals (20% weighting). |
| Saskatchewan Association of Licensed Practical Nurses Award | Saskatchewan Association of Licensed Practical Nurses | \$500.00 | 2 | Mar 30 | Kelsey, Wascana, Woodland | Practical Nursing | Be enrolled full-time in and eligible to graduate from the Practical Nursing Diploma program in the current academic year; plans to work in Saskatchewan for at least two years. Be of self-declared Aboriginal ancestry (includes Indian, Métis, and Inuit) and provide documentation of ancestry; plans to work in Saskatchewan for at least two years. Kelsey, Wascana and Woodland campus students are eligible to apply for these two awards. | Academic achievement including theory and clinical performance (50% weighting); a letter of reference from a faculty member or advisor identifying the student's interaction between LPN's, patients and their families in a clinical setting (40% weighting); one page essay (250 to 500 words) identifying career goals and future plans to stay and work in Saskatchewan (10% weighting) identifying career goals and future plans to stay and work in Saskatchewan (10% weighting). |

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| SaskEnergy Aboriginal Award | SaskEnergy | \$1,000.00 | 3 | Oct 14 | Any campus | Business Information Systems, Business: Accountancy, Business: Human Resources, CAD/CAM Engineering Technology, Civil Engineering Technology, Computer Systems Technology, Electrician, Engineering Design and Drafting Technology, Industrial Mechanics, Instrumentation Engineering Technology, Machine Shop, Mechanical Engineering Technology, Power Engineering Technician, Power Engineering Technology, Welding | Be enrolled full-time in Year I or II in one of the following programs: Business Information Systems, Business Accountancy, Business Human Resources, CAD/CAM Engineering Technology, Civil Engineering Technology, Computer Systems Technology, Engineering Design and Drafting Technology, Electrician, Industrial Mechanics, Instrumentation Engineering Technology, Machine Shop, Mechanical Engineering Technology, Power Engineering Technology, Power Engineering Technician or Welding; be of self-declared Aboriginal ancestry (provide documentation). Students may not hold a SaskEnergy award in conjunction with any other scholarship or bursary. Successful applicants must submit 50-word biography and recent photo. | Academic Achievement: First Year - Minimum 70% GPA based on English A30 and B30, one of Social Studies, History or Native Studies 30, one Science 20 or 30, Math 20 or 30 (attach transcript). Second Year - based on minimum 70% GPA from Year I (attach transcript) (40% weighting); Financial Need (40% weighting); Leadership and community involvement - (20% weighting). |
| SaskPower Business Information Systems Award | SaskPower | \$3,000.00 | 1 | Oct 14 | Palliser | Business Information Systems | Be enrolled full-time in the Business Information Systems Year I Diploma program at SIAST Palliser campus; Be self-declared Aboriginal ancestry (attach documentation). | Academic Achievement (70% weighting); Leadership in class and/or in the community, volunteerism in the community and/or SIAST campus (30% weighting). |
| SaskPower Industry Award | SaskPower | \$3,000.00 | 8 | Oct 14 | Kelsey, Palliser | Civil Engineering Technology, Electrical Engineering Technology, Instrumentation Engineering Technology, Mechanical Engineering Technology, Power Engineering Technology | Be enrolled full-time in Year I of one of the following programs either at a SIAST campus or delivered by SIAST at a Saskatchewan regional college: Civil Engineering Technology (1 award), Electrical Engineering Technology (3 awards), Instrumentation Engineering Technology (1 award), Mechanical Engineering Technology (1 award), Power Engineering Technology (2 awards). Successful applicants will provide their name, photo, and resume to SaskPower. | Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on last completed year of study (70% weighting); Leadership, in class and/or in the community, volunteerism in the community and/or SIAST campus (30% weighting). At least 50% of the Awards will be presented to self-declared diversity applicants. Applicants have the opportunity to self-declare. Diversity groups include: persons of Aboriginal ancestry, members of visible minority groups, persons with disabilities, and women pursuing a career in an under-represented occupation. |
| SaskPower Trades Award | SaskPower | \$1,500.00 | 1 | Jun 29 | Any campus | Electrician Apprenticeship | Completed Level 1 Electrician Apprenticeship training between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012 at a SIAST campus or delivered by SIAST at a Saskatchewan regional college. At least 50% of awards will be presented to diversity applicants. Applicants will have the opportunity to self-declare. Diversity groups include: persons of aboriginal ancestry, members of visible minority groups, persons with disabilities, and women pursuing a career in an under-represented occupation. | Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on marks from the Level 1 Apprenticeship program completed during the period specified (70% weighting); Leadership in class and/or in the community, volunteerism in the community and/or SIAST campus (30% weighting). |

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| SaskPower Trades Award | SaskPower | \$1,500.00 | 1 | Jun 29 | Any campus | Electrician Apprenticeship | Completed Level 2 or Level 3 Electrician Apprenticeship training between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012 at a SIAST campus or delivered by SIAST at a Saskatchewan regional college. At least 50% of awards will be presented to diversity applicants. Applicants will have the opportunity to self-declare. Diversity groups include: persons of aboriginal ancestry, members of visible minority groups, persons with disabilities, and women pursuing a career in an under-represented occupation. | Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on marks from the Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on marks from the Level 2 or 3 Apprenticeship program completed during the period specified (70% weighting); Leadership in class and/or in the community, volunteerism in the community and/or SIAST campus (30% weighting). |
| SaskPower Trades Award | SaskPower | \$1,500.00 | 1 | Jun 29 | Any campus | Industrial Instrument Technician Apprenticeship | Completed Level 1 Industrial Instrument Technician Apprenticeship training between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012 at a SIAST campus or delivered by SIAST at a Saskatchewan regional college. At least 50% of awards will be presented to diversity applicants. Applicants will have the opportunity to self-declare. Diversity groups include: persons of aboriginal ancestry, members of visible minority groups, persons with disabilities, and women pursuing a career in an under-represented occupation. | Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on marks from the Level 1 Apprenticeship program completed during the period specified (70% weighting); Leadership in class and/or in the community, volunteerism in the community and/or SIAST campus (30% weighting). |
| SaskPower Trades Award | SaskPower | \$1,500.00 | 1 | Jun 29 | Any campus | Industrial Mechanic (Millwright) Apprenticeship | Completed Level 1 Industrial Mechanic (Millwright) Apprenticeship training between July 1, 2010 and June 30, 2011 at a SIAST campus or delivered by SIAST at a Saskatchewan regional college. At least 50% of awards will be presented to diversity applicants. Applicants will have the opportunity to self-declare. Diversity groups include: persons of aboriginal ancestry, members of visible minority groups, persons with disabilities, and women pursuing a career in an under-represented occupation. | Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on marks from the Level 1 Apprenticeship program completed during the period specified (70% weighting); Leadership in class and/or in the community, volunteerism in the community and/or SIAST campus (30% weighting). |
| SaskPower Trades Award | SaskPower | \$1,500.00 | 1 | Jun 29 | Any campus | Machinist Apprenticeship | Completed Level 1 Machinist Apprenticeship training between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012 at a SIAST campus or delivered by SIAST at a Saskatchewan regional college. At least 50% of awards will be presented to diversity applicants. Applicants will have the opportunity to self-declare. Diversity groups include: persons of aboriginal ancestry, members of visible minority groups, persons with disabilities, and women pursuing a career in an under-represented occupation. | Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on marks from the Level 1 Apprenticeship program completed during the period specified (70% weighting); Leadership in class and/or in the community, volunteerism in the community and/or SIAST campus (30% weighting). |
| SaskPower Trades Award | SaskPower | \$1,500.00 | 1 | Jun 29 | Any campus | Welder Apprenticeship | Completed Level 1 Welder Apprenticeship training between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012 at a SIAST campus or delivered by SIAST at a Saskatchewan regional college. At least 50% of awards will be presented to diversity applicants. Applicants will have the opportunity to self-declare. Diversity groups include: persons of aboriginal ancestry, members of visible minority groups, persons with disabilities, and women pursuing a career in an under-represented occupation. | Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on marks from the Level 1 Apprenticeship program completed during the period specified (70% weighting); Leadership in class and/or in the community, volunteerism in the community and/or SIAST campus (30% weighting). |

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| SaskPower Trades Award | SaskPower | \$1,500.00 | 2 | Jun 29 | Any campus | Industrial Instrument Technician Apprenticeship | Completed Level 2 or Level 3 Industrial Instrument Technician Apprenticeship training between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012 at a SIAST campus or delivered by SIAST at a Saskatchewan regional college. At least 50% of awards will be presented to diversity applicants. Applicants will have the opportunity to self-declare. Diversity groups include: persons of aboriginal ancestry, members of visible minority groups, persons with disabilities, and women pursuing a career in an under-represented occupation. | Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on marks from the Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on marks from the Level 2 or 3 Apprenticeship program completed during the period specified (70% weighting); Leadership in class and/or in the community, volunteerism in the community and/or SIAST campus (30% weighting). |
| SaskPower Trades Award | SaskPower | \$1,500.00 | 2 | Jun 29 | Any campus | Industrial Mechanic (Millwright) Apprenticeship | Completed Level 2 or Level 3 Industrial Mechanic (Millwright) Apprenticeship training between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012 at a SIAST campus or delivered by SIAST at a Saskatchewan regional college. At least 50% of awards will be presented to diversity applicants. Applicants will have the opportunity to self-declare. Diversity groups include: persons of aboriginal ancestry, members of visible minority groups, persons with disabilities, and women pursuing a career in an under-represented occupation. | Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on marks from the Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on marks from the Level 2 or 3 Apprenticeship program completed during the period specified (70% weighting); Leadership in class and/or in the community, volunteerism in the community and/or SIAST campus (30% weighting). |
| SaskPower Trades Award | SaskPower | \$1,500.00 | 1 | Jun 29 | Any campus | Machinist Apprenticeship | Completed Level 2 or Level 3 Machinist Apprenticeship training between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012 at a SIAST campus or delivered by SIAST at a Saskatchewan regional college. At least 50% of awards will be presented to diversity applicants. Applicants will have the opportunity to self-declare. Diversity groups include: persons of aboriginal ancestry, members of visible minority groups, persons with disabilities, and women pursuing a career in an under-represented occupation. | Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on marks from the Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on marks from the Level 2 or 3 Apprenticeship program completed during the period specified (70% weighting); Leadership in class and/or in the community, volunteerism in the community and/or SIAST campus (30% weighting). |
| SaskPower Trades Award | SaskPower | \$1,500.00 | 1 | Jun 29 | Any campus | Welder Apprenticeship | Completed Level 2 or Level 3 Welder Apprenticeship training between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012 at a SIAST campus or delivered by SIAST at a Saskatchewan regional college. At least 50% of awards will be presented to diversity applicants. Applicants will have the opportunity to self-declare. Diversity groups include: persons of aboriginal ancestry, members of visible minority groups, persons with disabilities, and women pursuing a career in an under-represented occupation. | Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on marks from the Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on marks from the Level 2 or 3 Apprenticeship program completed during the period specified (70% weighting); Leadership in class and/or in the community, volunteerism in the community and/or SIAST campus (30% weighting). |

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| SaskPower Trades Award | SaskPower | \$1,500.00 | 1 | Jun 29 | Any campus | Heavy Duty Equipment Mechanic Apprenticeship | Completed Level 2 or Level 3 Heavy Duty Equipment Mechanic Apprenticeship training between July 1, 2011 and June 30, 2012 at a SIAST campus or delivered by SIAST at a Saskatchewan regional college. At least 50% of awards will be presented to diversity applicants. Applicants will have the opportunity to self-declare. Diversity groups include: persons of aboriginal ancestry, members of visible minority groups, persons with disabilities, and women pursuing a career in an under-represented occupation. | Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on marks from the Academic Achievement - average of 70% or above based on marks from the Level 2 or 3 Apprenticeship program completed during the period specified (70% weighting); Leadership in class and/or in the community, volunteerism in the community and/or SIAST campus (30% weighting). |
| SGI Auto Body Technician Scholarship | SGI | \$2,500.00 | 2 | Oct 14 | Kelsey, Wascana | Auto Body Technician | Be enrolled full-time in the Auto Body Technician Certificate Program at SIAST Kelsey campus or SIAST Wascana campus. | Academic Achievement (75% weighting), Financial Need (25% weighting). For one of the scholarships, preference will be given to a self declared diversity applicant. Applicants will have the opportunity to self-declare. Diversity groups include: persons of aboriginal ancestry, members of visible minority groups, persons with disabilities, and women pursuing a career in an under-represented occupation. |
| SGI Business Insurance Scholarship | SGI | \$2,500.00 | 4 | Oct 14 | Palliser | Business: Insurance | Be enrolled full-time in the Business Insurance Diploma Program yr II at SIAST Palliser campus. Have achieved a minimum 70% average in the Business Certificate program. | Academic Achievement as reflected in the grade point average of all classes required for completion of the Business Certificate program (75% weighting), Financial Need (25% weighting). For one of the scholarships, preference will be given to a self declared diversity applicant. Applicants will have the opportunity to self-declare. Diversity groups include: persons of aboriginal ancestry, members of visible minority groups, persons with disabilities, and women pursuing a career in an under-represented occupation. |
| Tina Merasty Memorial Scholarship | SIAST Board of Directors | \$500.00 | 1 | Mar 30 | Kelsey | Educational Assistant | Be enrolled full-time in the Educational Assistant Certificate program at SIAST Kelsey campus; Be of Aboriginal ancestry. | Academic Achievement (50% weighting); Career Goals (50% weighting). |

CIC Bursary for Aboriginal Students program - additional information

Entrance Bursary

Eligibility Criteria:

To be eligible to receive a bursary, students must:

- Be of self-declared aboriginal ancestry. (Aboriginal ancestry includes Indian, Inuit, and Metis peoples of Canada);
- Be enrolled full-time the first year of an eligible program;
- Have been a resident of Saskatchewan during the past 12 months;
- Have completed their last high school grade with a minimum 70% average using the following classes:

Grade 10 Core Classes

- English Language Arts A10
- English Language Arts B10
- Social Studies 10, or History 10, or Native Studies 10
- Highest grade in a 10 level Math
- Highest grade in a 10 level Science

Grade 11 Core Classes

- Grade 10 core classes
- English Language Arts 20
- 20 Level Math

Grade 12 Core Classes

- English Language Arts A30
- English Language Arts B30
- Social Studies 30, or History 30, or Native Studies 30
- Highest grade in a 20 or 30 level Math
- Highest grade in a 20 or 30 level Science

If the applicant has received a CIC Entrance Bursary for an applied certificate or a certificate program in the prior academic year, and completed the program, they are eligible to receive a CIC Entrance Bursary, for a second (different) applied certificate or certificate program the following academic year.

Selection Criteria:

Recipients will be selected on the basis of:

- Financial need (75% weighting);
- Community Involvement (25% weighting).

Continuing Bursary

Eligibility Criteria:

To be eligible to receive a bursary, students must:

- Be of self-declared aboriginal ancestry. (Aboriginal ancestry includes Indian, Inuit, and Metis peoples of Canada);
- Be enrolled full-time the second year of an eligible program;
- Have been a resident of Saskatchewan during the past 12 months;
- Have completed their first year in a two-year SIAST program with a minimum 70% average for all classes.

If the applicant received a CIC Entrance Bursary in year one, they *are* eligible to receiving a CIC Continuing Bursary

Selection Criteria:

Recipients will be selected on the basis of:

- Financial need (75% weighting);
- Community Involvement (25% weighting).

Payment of Bursary

CIC Entrance and Continuing Bursaries will be paid out in two installments. The first installment will be paid out prior to December 31st. The second installment will be paid out by March 31st. Recipients must provide confirmation that they continue to be enrolled full-time and have met the SIAST requirements for attendance and academic performance to be eligible to receive the 2nd installment of their bursary.

Conditions of Acceptance

As a condition of acceptance, recipients must:

- provide SIAST with permission to release their name and contact information to CIC;
- authorize CIC to disclose their name, program information and contact information to CIC subsidiary Crown Corporations, and to the Public Service Commission for the purpose of receiving information about potential employment or work experience opportunities; processes for application; and/or information on other career-related activities, initiatives, and events.

Eligible Programs**Business**

- Business Certificate
- Business – Accountancy
- Business – Administration
- Business - Financial Services
- Business - Human Resources
- Business - Insurance
- Business – Marketing
- Business Information Systems
- Entrepreneurship and Small Business
- Office Education

Technology

- Building Systems Technician
- CAD / CAM Engineering Technology
- Civil Engineering Technology
- Computer Aided Design and Drafting Technology
- Computer Engineering Technology
- Computer Networking Technician
- Computer Systems Technology
- Electrical Engineering Technology
- Electronics Engineering Technology
- Electronics Technician
- Engineering Design and Drafting Technology
- Environmental Engineering Technology

- Geomatics Technology
- Instrumentation Engineering Technology
- Mechanical Engineering Technology
- Power Engineering Technician
- Power Engineering Technology
- Telecommunications / Radio Systems Technician
- Water and Wastewater Technician
- Water Resources Engineering Technology

Industrial Training

- Auto Body Technician
- Automotive Service Technician
- Electrician
- Heavy Equipment and Truck and Transport Technician
- Industrial Mechanics
- Machine Shop
- Tri-trades Heavy Equipment, Truck and Transport, and Agricultural Machinery Technician
- Tri-trades Heavy Equipment, Truck and Transport and Automotive Service Technician
- Welding