



LESSER SLAVE
**FOREST
EDUCATION
SOCIETY**

Scholarship Program

Two \$500 Scholarships Available

For Students Pursuing Studies in Forestry, Forest Products Manufacturing, Natural Resources or Environmental Sciences

If you are pursuing studies in Forestry, Forest Products Manufacturing, Natural Resources or Environmental Sciences - you may be eligible for a scholarship from the Lesser Slave Forest Education Society! Residents of Slave Lake, High Prairie, Wabasca and surrounding communities are encouraged to apply.

Two scholarships of \$500 each are available for the 2015-16 academic year. The fields of study that will receive *priority* under the program are:

- Certificate, Diploma, or Degree Programs in Forestry, Natural Resource Management, or Environmental Sciences;
- Certificate or Degree programs in Wood Products Manufacturing;
- Certificate, Diploma, or Degree Programs in Technical Fields leading to a career in the forest products industry.

Opportunity for Additional Student Funding:

The Lesser Slave Forest Education Society is a partner with the Bursary Partnerships Programs of the Northern Alberta Development Council (NADC). As such, students may be eligible to receive a matching \$500 from the NADC. **This would double the award to \$1,000!** More information on this opportunity can be obtained in the attached application form or by visiting www.benorth.ca

The Lesser Slave Lake Forest Education Society is dedicated to forest education and public awareness in the Lesser Slave Lake area and throughout Alberta. Over the years, the Society has facilitated classroom visits, fieldtrips, teacher workshops, hands-on exhibits as well as providing resources and special guest speakers from the forest industry. The Society is also involved in special event programming including: summer camps for youth, online webinars, poster contests, career fairs, and fundraising banquets.

Application deadline is May 1, 2016

Completed application forms with an original signature should be returned to:

**Lesser Slave Forest Education Society
ATTN: MJ Munn-Kristoff
1201 Main Street SE
Slave Lake, AB T0G 2A3**

For more information and application forms, please visit www.lsfes.org e-mail mj@lsfes.org
or call (780) 849-8627

The Lesser Slave Forest Education Society is the **SPONSOR** for this scholarship with the NADC Bursary Partnership program

**Lesser Slave Forest Education Society Scholarship
& Northern Alberta Development Council Bursary Partners Program Student Application
2015/2016**

Residence and Contact Information

What do you consider your home community? (This information may be publicized with your name)

Please provide the telephone number and address of an immediate family member, in case we cannot contact you:

Name: _____

Relationship to you: _____

Address: _____

Town/Province: _____

Postal Code: _____

Telephone Number: _____

NADC Bursary Partnerships Program

The NADC Bursary Partnerships Program is intended to attract graduates to live and work in northern Alberta. Bursary recipients must live and work in northern Alberta within six months of graduation. **Every student selected to receive a NADC Partnerships Bursary must sign a return service contract.** The contract commits the student to live and work in Northern Alberta:

1. In their field of study
2. For a specified amount of time upon graduation, based upon the total value of the bursary.

One month of return service is required for each \$500 of total bursary support. For example: A combined \$3,000 bursary has a return service commitment of 6 months. Alberta Advanced Education and Technology will send the student a contract to commit to live and work anywhere in northern Alberta upon graduation. The NADC will follow up with students to monitor completion of return service. **If students do not fulfill their return service, Advanced Education and Technology will require repayment of the Bursary Partnerships Program portion.**

Do you wish to be considered for matching funds under the NADC Bursary Partnership Program?

Yes

No

Students should be aware that...

Approval by Lesser Slave Forest Education Society does not ensure approval by the NADC for the matching funds. Student applications will be reviewed by the NADC based on the following criteria:

- Students must be a resident of Alberta for one year
- Students must be enrolled full-time in a post-secondary program designated by Advanced Education and Technology
- Students must not be in default of a provincial student loan
- Students must be at arm's length to the sponsor (not related and also selected through impartial means)
- Students must have reasonably good prospects for employment in northern Alberta upon graduation
- Students cannot receive both the NADC Bursary and the Partnerships Bursary during the same school year
- Students can receive more than one Partnerships Bursary; however, the total matching funds from NADC cannot exceed \$3,000 in the same academic year.

**If you are applying for the scholarship and NADC matching funds, answer ALL questions
If you are applying for the scholarship only, you need only fill out sections 1-3 & 6.**

Application deadline is May 1, 2016

Return Completed Application to:

**MJ Munn-Kristoff
1201 Main Street SE, Slave Lake, Alberta T0G 2A3
Email: mj@lsfes.org**

Faxed applications are not acceptable. An original signature must be on file.

Bursary Partnerships Program Student Application

We are collecting this personal information under the authority of the Students Finance Act, to determine and verify your eligibility for a bursary under the Act. Your personal information is protected by the privacy provisions of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. If you have any questions about the collection of this information you may contact the Alberta Scholarship Programs office at 9940 106 Street, Edmonton, AB T5K 2V1, or phone 780-427-8640 (toll free by first dialling 310-0000).

Please complete in ink

	Alberta Student Number	Social Insurance Number

Section 1 CONTACT INFORMATION

Last Name	First Name		
Apartment or Box Number	Street Address		
Town or City	Prov	Country	Postal Code
Email Address	Home Phone Number	Cell Phone Number	

Section 2 PERSONAL INFORMATION

Citizenship (Visa students are not eligible)	<input type="checkbox"/> Canadian Citizen	<input type="checkbox"/> Permanent Resident (Landed Immigrant)	<input type="checkbox"/> Convention Refugee
Have you lived in Alberta all your life?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No, since:	Month	Year
	Gender	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female
	Birthdate	Day	Month
		Year	

Section 3 EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

Name of Post-Secondary Institution	Institution Code	Program Code (see last page)
Town / City	Campus Name (if not attending main campus)	
Program Enrolled in (be specific)	Program Type	<input type="checkbox"/> Diploma <input type="checkbox"/> Masters
Major / Minor	<input type="checkbox"/> Certificate <input type="checkbox"/> Degree <input type="checkbox"/> PHD	
What year of your program are you entering?	Student Identification Number (from the school you will attend)	
Length of program in years	<input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> 3 <input type="checkbox"/> 4 <input type="checkbox"/> 5	
Dates you will be attending school in the upcoming school year	When will you complete your program?	
From: Day Month Year	To: Day Month Year	Date Day Month Year
When will you be available for work?	Month	Year
(Provide details in your career plan in Section 4, Question 1)		

Have you answered ALL the questions?

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TOTAL AWARD	INSTIT.	PGM.	DAY	MO.	YEAR	DAY	MO.	YEAR	WKS.	YR	LENGTH
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Section 4 STUDENT REMARKS

The NADC Bursary Partnerships Program is intended to attract graduates to live and work in northern Alberta. Bursary recipients must live and work in northern Alberta within six months of graduation. The Return Service Obligation is one full-time month (or equivalent) for every \$500 of bursary funds received. Students who do not work in the north will be required to repay the bursary.

What are your main reasons for wanting to live and work in northern Alberta?

Outline the employment opportunities you see in northern Alberta in your field of studies:

Section 5

Please indicate how you heard about the NADC Bursary Partnerships Program (check more than one if applicable):

- | | | |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> NADC website | <input type="checkbox"/> Friends | <input type="checkbox"/> School / College counsellor at _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family | <input type="checkbox"/> Bursary Sponsor | <input type="checkbox"/> NADC Awards Bursaries Scholarships Booklet |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flyer | <input type="checkbox"/> Career Fair at _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

Have you answered ALL the questions?

Section 6 DECLARATION OF APPLICANT

I declare that:

- ♦ the information given on this application is true and complete and I understand it is subject to audit.

I agree to:

- ♦ immediately notify Alberta Advanced Education and Technology in writing if I change my educational institution, program or study period;
- ♦ provide information or documents as requested by Alberta Advanced Education and Technology to verify any statement made in this application; and
- ♦ the release and exchange of personal banking information including my bank account number by and between Alberta Advanced Education and Technology and lending institutions for the purposes of direct deposit of funds as determined by Alberta Advanced Education and Technology.

I understand that:

- ♦ **I may have to immediately repay my bursary if there are changes to my educational institution, program or study period, or I do not fulfill my return service requirement;**
- ♦ if I make a false or misleading statement in this application or fail to disclose information as requested by Alberta Advanced Education and Technology, I may be denied financial assistance and/or required to immediately repay all financial assistance received;
- ♦ Alberta Advanced Education and Technology is not responsible for securing my employment after I have completed my course of study.

I consent to:

- ♦ information from my student loan application and assessment to be used for verifying my financial need for this bursary;
- ♦ the disclosure and exchange of personal information and documents by and between Alberta Advanced Education and Technology and post-secondary institutions and any third party authorized to collect a debt owed to the Crown;
- ♦ the Northern Alberta Development Council (NADC) accessing this application and releasing information contained herein to employers and other government agencies for consideration under the Bursary Partnerships Program or to employers interested in hiring bursary recipients;
- ♦ the release and exchange of this information by and between the NADC, the Federal Government and Alberta Advanced Education and Technology for the purposes of statistical analysis and program evaluation;
- ♦ NADC contacting and obtaining information from future employer(s) to verify employment data as required under the conditions of the bursary contract; and
- ♦ the public release of my contact, residency and educational information if I receive the NADC Bursary.

Signature (in ink)

Today's Date (in ink)

day

month

Year

Applications can be accessed on-line but must be printed, signed, and original sent to the sponsor.
Applications must be received by the NADC at least 3 months prior to completion of student's academic year.

STUDENT

Did you:

- complete all the application questions?
- sign and date the application?

Send your **original** application to your **Bursary Partnerships Program sponsor**.

Do not mail to NADC.

SPONSOR

Send student's **original** application and **'Sponsor Request for Matching Funds'** form to:

Northern Alberta Development Council
Postal Bag 900 – 14
Peace River, AB T8S 1T4

(780) 624-6545 (toll free first dial 310-0000)

Visit www.benorth.ca for applications and bursary information

This page is for reference only. Do not send this page with your application.

**Please enter the code for your institution and program in Section 3 on Page 1 of the application.
If your institution or program is not listed here, leave the space blank.**

INSTITUTION CODE LIST

University Codes

2204	Athabasca University	2243	Mount Royal University
2246	Concordia University College of Alberta	2203	University of Lethbridge
2247	Grant Mac Ewan University	5410	University of Northern British Columbia
2255	Kings University College	2301	University of Regina
2201	University of Alberta	2302	University of Saskatchewan
2101	University of British Columbia	2511	University of Toronto
2202	University of Calgary	2106	University of Victoria

College and Technical School Codes

5110	Alberta College of Art & Design	2226	NorQuest College
1255	Blue Quills First Nations College	2221	Northern Alberta Institute of Technology (NAIT)
2218	Bow Valley College	2020	Northern Lakes College
2245	Canadian University College	2224	Olds College
2241	Grande Prairie Regional College	2007	Peace River Bible Institute
2230	Keyano College	2219	Portage College
2225	Lakeland College	5677	Professional Medical Associates - St. Albert
2220	Lethbridge College	2244	Red Deer College
2242	Medicine Hat College	2222	Southern Alberta Institute of Technology (SAIT)

PROGRAM CODE LIST

University Codes

548	Aeronautical Engineering	523	Forestry	507	Pharmacy
520	Agriculture	542	General Studies	530	Physical Education (Kinesiology)
521	Architecture	506	Graduate Studies (Masters)	562	Post Diploma Nursing
525	Arts	524	Home Economics	510	Post Graduate Studies (Doctorate)
533	Business Administration/Commerce	525	Humanities	540	Recreation Administration
522	Dental Hygiene	501	Law	534	Rehabilitation Medicine
503	Dentistry	508	Master Business Admin. (MBA)	532	Science
525	Economics	527	Medical Lab Science	525	Social Science
537	Education	500	Medicine	535	Social Work
531	Engineering	528	Nursing	536	Theology
526	Fine Arts	504	Optometry	502	Veterinary Medicine

College and Technical School Codes

561	Accounting	578	Electrical Engineering	528	Nursing (Degree)
520	Agriculture	136	EMT - Ambulance	650	Office Administration
600	Animal Health Technology	904	EMT - Paramedic	507	Pharmacy
577	Architectural/Structural Engineering	624	Engineering Design/Drafting	530	Physical Education
521	Architecture	523	Forestry	580	Power Engineering
525	Arts	542	General Studies	420	Practical Nurse / LPN
612	Arts & Design	565	Health Sciences	585	Radio/Television/Broadcast Arts
541	Aviation & Related Technologies	681	Heavy Equipment Operator	540	Recreation Administration
568	Beauty Culture	524	Home Economics	534	Rehabilitation Medicine
609	Biological Sciences	609	Hospitality Services	615	Rehabilitation Services
533	Business/Admin/Commerce	628	Instrumentation Engineering	571	Religion (Certificate or Diploma)
576	Chemical /Mineral Engineering	573	Journalism (Diploma)	532	Science
575	Civil Engineering	596	Legal Assistant/Court Reporter	574	Secretarial Arts
586	Commercial Cooking/Baking	594	Law Enforcement	535	Social Work
566	Community Services	644	Legal Secretary	614	Teacher's Assistant
563	Computer Technology	642	Massage	630	Telecommun. Engineering Tech.
622	Dental Assistant	579	Mechanical Engineering	611	Theatre Arts
522	Dental Hygiene	593	Mechanics	536	Theology (Degree)
572	Early Childhood Education	610	Music	595	Travel/Tourism
537	Education	562	Nursing (Diploma)	616	Visual Arts/Communication