



ROTARY CLUB OF CALGARY SOUTH/MACQUARIE PRIVATE WEALTH STAY – IN – SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

APPLICATION INFORMATION

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IT WILL ALSO BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE MENTOR ASSIGNED TO THE
SUCCESSFUL AWARD RECIPIENT.

To: Students, Parents/Guardians and School Principals

The Rotary Club of Calgary South/Macquarie Private Wealth Stay-In-School Scholarship Program's (CS/MPW Program) purpose is to encourage students currently in Grade 6, at selected schools, to stay in school and enter post secondary education programs.

Scholarship Value

- The Stay-In-School Scholarships will have a value of up to \$7,500.00 per year for a maximum of 4 years. Scholarship funds may only be used for tuition and authorized supplies/materials at a recognized post secondary education institution or centre upon graduation from a secondary school.
- Successful students who are recipients of this scholarship will also receive a computer, printer and appropriate software as part of their prize. This will be presented during their Grade 6 or 7 school year.

Eligibility

Notice of Scholarships will be awarded to students who are registered in the Stay-In-School Program and who have:

- Completed the requirements to enter Grade 7
- Applied for this scholarship
- Been nominated by a Principal from the designated schools
- Been selected for the scholarship by the Rotary Club of Calgary South Stay-In-School Scholarship Program Committee
- The potential of not attending a post –secondary program due to being economically disadvantaged

To receive the \$7,500.00 per year scholarship, the student shall:

- Attend a Public, Separate or Charter school in the Province of Alberta Grades 7 through 12.
- Complete the requirements to enter a post secondary institution or centre.
- Maintain a level of academic achievement and school and community involvement, equal to or greater than the level at the time of the original award, throughout Junior and Senior High School

Selection Criteria

Scholarship Recipients will be determined using the following criteria. The decision of the Selection Committee will be final.

- Financial need of the student's family
- Achievement in school curriculum
- Involvement in school and community activities
- The student's future plans
- An interview with the members of the Stay-In-School Program Selection Committee.

Instructions

- **Section I** is to be completed by the student applicant
- **Section II** is to be completed by the parents or guardians of the applicant

Return Section I and Section II to the school Principal

- **Section III** - The school Principal or designate will complete this section for each student that the school is prepared to nominate. (Based on selection criteria).

The application (all three sections) and required reference letters are to be forwarded by the School Principal or the School designate to a member of the Stay-In-School Scholarship Selection Committee of the Rotary Club of Calgary South as arranged.

All completed applications must be received by the Selection Committee by the date set by the Chairman of the Committee

QUESTIONS SHOULD BE DIRECTED TO:

Ms. Carol Graham, Chair, Selection Committee
Home: 403- 277-4638

Alternative:
Mr. Bill Sumner
Home: 403-240-1804

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APPLICATION – SECTION 1

The student applicant should complete this section neatly and using a pen.

(Please print clearly in ink - except for signature)

1. Student Name: _____ Surname First Name Middle Name
Birthdate: _____ Month Day Year
Address: _____ Home Address in full
Calgary, Alberta Postal Code: _____
Telephone: Home _____ Other _____

2. Father/ Guardian(s): _____
Surname Given Name
Home address: as above ___or_____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Place of work _____ Tel: _____

Work Address _____

Mother/Guardian(s): _____
Surname Given Name
Home address: as above ___or_____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Place of Work _____ Tel: _____

Work address _____

Brothers/Sisters: Given Names _____ Age _____

Given Names _____ Age _____

Given Names _____ Age _____

3. School Information

School Name: _____

School Address: _____ Calgary, AB.

Postal Code _____ Telephone Number _____

School Principal _____

3A. What is the name of the school you will attend in Grade 7?

3B. Do you have use of a computer at home? _____

Educational Plans and Activities

4. Please provide a short statement as to what educational plans you might have after you graduate from Grade 12.

5. Please list the activities that you are involved in at school, in the community or elsewhere.

6. Do you have a part-time job? Yes ____ No ____
If yes – please list them (e.g. Deliver papers, Baby sit)

7A. Have you received recognition or awards at school? Yes ____ No ____
If yes - please list them. _____

7B. Other awards – List any other awards which you may have received from your church or through community activities, eg.citizenship, sports, etc

8. Do you have any hobbies? Please list them.

9. Please include with your application, letters of support from two individuals who are not related to you. These letters should be included in the completed application that is given to your Principal. Also include a letter of support from one of your teachers. Please list the names of these three individuals below.

Name: _____

Address: _____ Tel. No. _____

Name: _____

Address: _____ Tel. No. _____

Teacher Name: _____

School name _____ School Tel. No. _____

10. Please write an essay in the space provided on the next two pages (written clearly in ink) and in your own handwriting. This should not exceed the space provided.

Please choose one of the three topics provided below:

- If you were successful in receiving a Stay-In-School Scholarship, how would it affect you through junior and senior high school?
- What would you like to be? What interests you about this job/profession?
- If you have a get/give program in your school and community, what would you expect to give the program and what would you expect to get from the program?

11. Please provide a photo of yourself in the space provided below.



12. Please have your Parent/Guardian fill out Section II and return both Sections together with your letters of support, essay and your picture to your school Principal.

Student Signature: _____

Date: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

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APPLICATION - SECTION II

Parents or Guardians of the student applicant please complete this section.

Student Applicant Family Name: _____

Given Names; _____

(A) How will this scholarship help your child?

(B) How will you help your child to stay in school to finish Grade 12 so he/she will be able to use this scholarship?

(C) Do you agree to let the school provide information to us concerning your child's academic achievement and other pertinent information as required?

Signature: _____

Date: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

(D) In order to determine the ability of a family to assist their child in attend a post secondary school, it is important for the committee to have an estimate of your total annual family income. Please check one of the spaces below.

1) Under \$30,000 ___ 2) \$30,001-\$40,000 ___ 3) \$40,001- \$60,000 ___ 4) over \$60,000 ___

**IF YOU WISH THIS INFORMATION TO REMAIN CONFIDENTIAL
PLEASE RETURN SECTION II IN A SEALED ENVELOPE.**

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APPLICATION – SECTION III

The School Principal or designate please complete this section

1. Name of Student Applicant _____
(Surname) (Given Names)

(A) Please provide a statement regarding the student's progress in school to date (achievements, activities, program successes including grade level and attach a copy of the most recent report card.

(B) Please provide your opinion as to the student's potential to qualify for entry to post secondary education.

(C) Please provide your opinion of the family support of the student to stay in school and qualify for post secondary education.

(D) Please provide your opinion on the financial support that the family requires in order to provide this child with the opportunity to enroll in a Post-Secondary education program. 1 is the highest need and 5 the lowest need.

HIGH 1 2 3 4 5 **LOW**

2. As Principal of _____ School, I nominate _____, a Grade 6 student at this school for consideration for a Rotary Club of Calgary South Stay –in-School Scholarship.

Principal's Signature _____ Date _____

Telephone Number _____ Fax Number _____

3. The student has been asked to deliver to you Sections I and II of the application form, an essay, and a picture of him/her self. Please include these, the two required reference letters, along with Section III and forward them as indicated on page 2 of this document.

The Rotary Club of Calgary South would like to thank you for your time, interest and cooperation in providing the Stay-In-School Scholarship Committee with the information required, which may lead to financial assistance for the nominated student.