

**THE O.S.S.T.F. DISTRICT 9 SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION FORM - DUE May 31, 2005**

NAME _____
Surname Given Name(s)

ADDRESS _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER _____ POSTAL CODE _____

DATE OF BIRTH _____ SOCIAL INSURANCE NUMBER _____

NAME OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN RESPONSIBLE FOR YOUR SUPPORT

RELATIONSHIP TO STUDENT APPLYING _____

BARGAINING UNIT AFFILIATION _____

SCHOOL ATTENDED THIS YEAR _____

UNIVERSITY OR COLLEGE YOU WILL BE/ARE ATTENDING IN SEPTEMBER

PROGRAM : _____

YOUR APPLICATION MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING

1. Student's Introductory Letter – including:
 - a. Community/Volunteer Involvement – As per OSS requirements
 - b. Extracurricular
 - c. Other Community/Volunteer Involvement (Other than OSS requirements)
 - d. Other Interests/Hobbies
2. Official transcript - to include the number of courses taken this year and interim marks of the final year.
3. A letter of reference from at least one staff member (principal, teacher, support staff) who is familiar with your curricular and extra-curricular activities.
4. (Optional) Letters of reference from non-school individuals –employer, volunteer co-ordinator, etc.

DECLARATION

We, the undersigned, hereby declare that, to the best of our knowledge, the information given in this application is true in all respects.

DATE _____
Signature of Applicant

DATE _____
Signature of Parent/Guardian



OSSTF, DISTRICT 9 SCHOLARSHIPS

Terms and Conditions of Eligibility and Selection

(a) **ELIGIBILITY**

Eligibility is limited to persons who will be graduating from a secondary school and are dependent children, natural or adopted, of parents or guardians who are members of OSSTF District 9, superannuated members of OSSTF District 9 or deceased members of OSSTF District 9.

(b) **NUMBER OF AWARDS**

Six (6) entrance scholarships will be awarded. Awards are not renewable.

(c) **VALUE OF PAYMENT**

Six (6) awards valued at \$500.00 (five hundred dollars) each payable to the successful candidates who will be attending university or a community college.

(d) **QUALIFICATIONS OF APPLICANT**

Academic - The applicant should have attained a level of excellence in their area of proficiency. Consideration will be given to students applying to academic programs, trades or apprenticeships at the college or university level.

Character – At least one letter of reference from a staff member of the applicant's current Secondary School (e.g. principal, teacher, support staff) who is familiar with the student's curricular and extra-curricular activities.

(e) **PAYMENTS**

The Treasurer of OSSTF, District 9 shall pay the amount awarded to each student who has been selected after confirming that the student is duly enrolled and is in attendance at an accredited college or university in a course leading to a diploma or degree. All applicants must send to the OSSTF, District 9 Scholarship Committee a letter confirming admission to a university or college and include their social insurance number.

(f) **RESPONSIBILITIES OF AWARD RECIPIENTS**

Award recipients must be prepared to enter college or university in the year of application. Requests for deferment will be considered only in unusual circumstances. The final decision for allowing deferments will be made by the OSSTF, District 9 Scholarship Committee.

(g) **ADMINISTRATION**

The selection of award recipients will be made by the OSSTF, District 9 Scholarship Committee. The number of awards for each area will be determined by the number of applications received. The decisions of the Scholarship Committee in the awarding of scholarships and all decisions related to the scholarship fund and the administration thereof shall be final.

(h) **DUE DATE – May 31, 2005**

Applications may be sent through the Board courier to OSSTF, District 9 Office c/o S. Richmond or mail to: **Attention: S. Richmond, OSSTF, District 9, 12230 Tecumseh Rd. E., Tecumseh, Ont. N8N 1L9.**

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