

SUMMARY OF CHANGES TO THE SCHOLARSHIP AND AWARDS PROGRAM

1995 GRADUATION PROGRAM	2004 GRADUATION PROGRAM
Passport to Education	Passport to Education (fully implemented for 2006/07)
<p>Recognizes student achievement in Grades 9 to 12</p> <p>Grade 9 \$ 125 Grade 10 \$ 175 Grade 11 \$ 225 Grade 12 \$ <u>275</u> Total \$ 800</p> <p>Eligibility and Criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full time attendance public school or Group 1 or 2 independent school • Do not need to be a Canadian Citizen or a Landed Immigrant • Based mostly on course marks and up to 1/3 on school determined factors • Stamp allocation of 30% of total enrolment in each grade • Redeemable at designated post-secondary institutions 	<p>Recognizes student achievement in Grade 10 to 12 and emphasizes Portfolio</p> <p>Grade 10 \$ 250 (in effect 2004/05) Grade 11 \$ 250 (in effect 2005/06) Grade 12 \$ <u>500</u> (in effect 2006/07) Total \$ 1000</p> <p>Eligibility and Criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Full time attendance public school or Group 1, 2 or 4 independent school • Must be a Canadian Citizen or a Landed Immigrant • Based mostly on course marks and up to 1/3 on school determined factors for Grade 10 and 11 stamps • For 2006/07 school year only, based primarily on student achievement in the Graduation Portfolio Assessment for Grade 12 stamp under one of the four options provided by Ministry, unless student chooses SG, then should be based on same criteria used for grade 10 and 11 stamps • Allocation to 9000 students in each of the three grades, pro-rated provincially based on enrolment • Redeemable at designated post-secondary institutions and approved Industry Training Authority (ITA) providers
District Scholarships (Provincially funded)	Dogwood-District Authority Awards (Provincially funded) (implemented for 2006/07)
<p>Rewards graduating students for excellence in their chosen non-academic fields</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$500 cheque, and \$500 voucher for use towards post-secondary education • Approximately 500 awards pro-rated to districts/authorities, based on district enrolment <p>Eligibility and Criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enrolled in public or Group 1, 2 or 4 independent school • Must be Canadian citizen or permanent resident • Must meet graduation requirements • Must meet criteria determined by the local District Scholarship Committee • May not receive both provincial and district scholarship • Redeemable at designated post-secondary institutions 	<p>Recognizes excellence for graduates who excel in the areas of fine arts, applied skills, physical activity, or second languages</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$500 cheque, and \$500 voucher for use towards post-secondary education • 3000 awards pro-rated to districts/authorities, based on district enrolment <p>Eligibility and Criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enrolled in public or Group 1, 2, or 4 independent school • Must be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident • Must meet graduation requirements • Must meet criteria determined by the local District Scholarship Committee • May receive both the district and provincial scholarship as well as a Passport award • Redeemable at designated post-secondary institutions and approved Industry Training Authority (ITA) providers
Grade 12 Examination Scholarships	Grade 12 Graduation Program Examinations Scholarships (implemented for 2006/07)
<p>Recognizes academic achievement on Grade 12 Provincial Examinations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$1000 voucher for winners • \$2000 voucher for top 20 winners • Approximately 5000 students annually <p>Eligibility and Criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enrolled in public or Group 1, 2 or 4 independent school • Must be Canadian citizen or permanent resident • Must earn at least a "C-" in English 12, TPC 12 or Francais langue premiere 12 • Based on three best exam scores (SMS calculations) • Must meet graduation requirements • May not receive both provincial and district scholarship • Redeemable at designated post-secondary institutions 	<p>Recognized academic achievement on Grade 12 Provincial Examinations</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$1000 voucher for winners • \$2500 voucher for top 20 winners • Approximately 5000 students annually <p>Eligibility and Criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enrolled in public or Group 1, 2 or 4 independent school • Must be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident • Must earn at least a "B" in English 12, TPC 12 or Francais langue premiere 12 • Based on three best exam scores (86% or higher) • Must meet graduation requirements • May receive both the provincial and district scholarship as well as a passport award • Redeemable at designated post-secondary institutions and approved Industry Training Authority (ITA) providers
Total amount a student could earn = \$1800	Total amount a student could earn = \$3500