



DZAWADA'ENUXW FIRST NATION

POST SECONDARY EDUCATION PROGRAM

INCENTIVES

The Dzawada'enuxw First Nation will provide incentives for students that directly contribute to First Nations achieving self-governance and economic self-reliance, or to recognize academic achievement. Recipients of the scholarship will be determined by the Dzawada'enuxw First Nation.

The Dzawada'enuxw will provide the incentives listed in this section. Eligible students may be awarded either one Strategic Studies Scholarship or one Academic Achievement Scholarship in an academic year.

Assistance can be provided at four levels of post-secondary education.

- Level 1: Community College and CEGEP diploma or certificate programs.
- Level 2: Undergraduate university programs (certificate, diploma or degree);
- Level 3: Advanced or professional degree programs, or masters programs; and
- Level 4: Doctoral programs

Academic Achievement Scholarship

In recognition of academic achievement, the DFN may award scholarships to students in Level 1, Level 2, Level 3 and Level 4 enrolled as full-time students and students and who have achieved a grade average of B or higher in their program of studies.

- Students currently receiving support under PSEP are eligible for scholarships in recognition of academic achievements
- The amount of scholarship awarded by the DFN will be up to a maximum of \$1,000.00 annually.
- Students may be eligible for the scholarships upon successful completion of each year of the program of studies, and awarded at the beginning of the next school year.

Strategic Studies Scholarships in Level 2 and Level 3

In order to encourage students to engage in studies that directly contribute to first nations achieving self-government and economic self-reliance, the administering organization may offer incentive scholarships.

- Students who are currently receiving financial support under PSEP and who are enrolled as full-time students in a program of studies in the areas of Commerce, Public or Business Administration, Physical Science, Mathematics, Computer Sciences, Forestry, Language / Culture and Engineering are eligible for the Strategic Studies Scholarships
- The amount of the scholarships awarded by the DFN will up to a maximum of \$2,500.00 annually
- Eligibility for the scholarship will be conditional upon successful completion of one year of the program of study and continuation in it. The scholarship will be awarded annually at the beginning of each year and thereafter in accordance with length of the program as defined in the limits of assistance.