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## Yellowknives Dene First Nation and De Beers Canada Inc. Scholarship Application

The Yellowknives Dene First Nation and De Beers Canada Inc. Scholarship Program is now accepting applications for the 2018/2019 school year. The scholarship program was established to encourage YKDFN Beneficiaries to pursue academic excellence.

Deadline to submit applications is **Wednesday October 31, 2018**. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

### Applicant Eligibility Criteria:

- 1) Open to YKDFN Members with permanent Northwest Territories residency;
- 2) Must be enrolled in a recognized, accredited post-secondary institution:
  - a) For the duration of the 2018/19 school year,
  - b) Enrolled with full course load,
  - c) Studying in a designated education field and program such as Aviation, Business, Communications, Education, Engineering, Law, Medicine, Science, Social Sciences, Environmental and Life Sciences, Trades, or final year of academic upgrading (to enter a designated post-secondary program);
- 3) Received minimum a grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 and over, or an academic average of 75% and over from previous post-secondary institution/educational institution last attended.

### Application Requirements:

- 1) Complete the YKDFN General Scholarship Application (attached);
- 2) One (1) current cover letter describing career aspirations;
- 3) Two (2) current letters of reference;
- 4) Proof of YKDFN Status and NWT residency by providing photocopies of each (currently dated):
  - a) Treaty Status Card,
  - b) NWT Healthcare Card,
  - c) Drivers Licence or General Identification Card;
- 5) Proof of enrolment and full course load at a recognized accredited post-secondary institution for the school year by providing the following:
  - a) Copy of acceptance letter,
  - b) Declared study in a post-secondary education field and program as per Applicant Eligibility Criteria,
  - c) Copy of registration of courses,
- 6) Provide transcripts (currently dated) for each semester completed:
  - a) First time student must provide past transcripts, if applicable,
  - b) Transcripts from previous post-secondary institution/educational institution last attended

Address applications/letter to: Scholarship Selection Committee  
Yellowknives Dene First Nation  
PO Box 2514, Yellowknife, NT X1A 2P8  
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