



SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Marlene Lanz Otipemisiwak Legacy Award

Area of Study: Open to all areas of study

Award Value: \$2,500 (1 Award)

Deadline: October 15th of Each Year

Description: The Marlene Lanz Otipemisiwak Legacy Award honors Marlene Lanz, a strong advocate for lifelong learning, enriching Métis culture and a supporter of mature students entering post-secondary education for the first time.

Dispersed annually, the award is open to all areas of study, selection is based on the applicants' dedication to their education and involvement in the Métis community. This award not only supports the educational aspirations of mature students but also celebrates Marlene Lanz's legacy in Métis education and cultural preservation while recognizing the unique challenges faced by those pursuing post-secondary education later in life.

The awards will be presented at the Delia Gray Métis Week Gala held in November of each year, and recipients are encouraged to attend the event in person to receive their award. The selection committee will consist of representatives from Marlene Lanz's family and members of the Métis Nation of Alberta.

Recipients will receive a tax receipt (T4A) for the award.

- Requirements:**
- Completed application form (Must be registered with the Otipemisiwak Metis Student and Alumni Association (OMSA))
 - Reference letter(s)
 - Written section describing your eligibility and motivation for returning to school
 - Proof of registration and details on the post secondary program and/or courses in which you are enrolled

Selections: Selections will be made by representatives of the Marlene Lanz family.
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Submission Info: Please submit your completed application to:

Scholarships
Métis Nation of Alberta
Delia Gray Building
11738 Kingsway Ave
Edmonton, AB T5G 0X5
Email: scholarship@metis.org

Personal Information

You are enrolled in which of the following:

Academic Upgrading

College or Technical

University

Academic Year:

Name (Surname, First, Middle):

Mailing Address:

Birthdate (yyyy/mm/dd):

Phone Number:

Email Address:

ANCESTRY:

Métis

Non-Status Indian

Status Indian

Inuit

Non-Indigenous

If Métis, please attach the following items to this application:

- Photocopy of your Métis Nation of Alberta citizenship card and/or Métis Settlement membership card
- Reference letter from a Métis elder/leader, Métis Local, Regional Council or from a Métis person active in the Métis community.

MARITAL STATUS:

Single

Married

Other _____

WHILE IN SCHOOL, I WILL LIVE IN:

Parent's or Guardian's Home

Rental Accommodation

Own Home

Campus Residence

Subsidized Housing

Other _____

WERE YOU BORN IN ALBERTA?

Yes

No

IF NOT, WHEN DID YOU BECOME A RESIDENT IN ALBERTA?

From (yyyy/mm) _____

Briefly explain how this scholarship will help you during your studies:

Financial Information

APPLICANT INFORMATION

	Details	Amount \$
Monthly wages after deductions <i>(Please include summer earnings)</i>		
Parental Contributions		
Scholarships, grants, bursaries and other educational awards		
Government Funding <i>(e.g. student loans, AISH)</i>		
Employment Insurance Benefits		
Federal or Provincial Training Allowances		
Worker Compensation Board Benefits		
Funding programs <i>(e.g. INAC/Band funds)</i>		

SPOUSAL INFORMATION

	Details	Amount \$
Monthly wages after deductions <i>(Please include summer earnings)</i>		
Parental Contributions		
Scholarships, grants, bursaries and other educational awards		
Government Funding <i>(e.g. student loans, AISH)</i>		
Employment Insurance Benefits		
Federal or Provincial Training Allowances		
Worker Compensation Board Benefits		
Funding programs <i>(e.g. INAC/Band funds)</i>		

OTHER

Assets	Details	Amount \$

HOUSEHOLD MONTHLY EXPENSES

	Details	Amount \$
Housing and Utilities <i>(rent, mortgage, water, phone, electricity)</i>		
Food and Personal Care		
Clothing		
Transportation		
Child Care (if applicable)		
Exceptional Expenses <i>(e.g. medical)</i>		
Other <i>(e.g. student, personal loans, credit card, line of credit)</i>		
Total Monthly Cost of Living Expenses		

EDUCATION EXPENSES

	Details	Amount \$
Tuition		
Fees + transportation		
Books, Supplies, Instruments		
Total Educational Costs		

Education History *(please attach most recent high school transcripts)*

Name of Institution (High School and/or Post-Secondary)	Grade Average	Highest Level of Education	Year of Completion

CURRENT ENROLMENT INFORMATION

Educational Institution(s) You Will Be Attending	Program

Career Plans *(briefly describe your short and long-term career plans)*

Please attach any further comments you would like to make regarding your application for this award.

NOTE: Scholarship award recipients must provide proof of enrolment before award will be granted.

Certification: I have carefully reviewed the Art L'Hirondelle Dedicated Service Scholarship information. All of the information I provided in my application is true and complete.

Signature: _____ Date: _____