

Fairfax Financial Holdings Limited

Entrance Award Application

Three annual bursaries each valued at \$6,000 are offered to Canadian high school students who:

- are Canadian citizens or permanent residents of Canada;
- have graduated from a Canadian high school or CEGEP no longer than 18 months prior to the start of the 2020-2021 academic session;
- have demonstrated financial need based on a government student loan assessment from their home province
 - Please Note: MB students must include the financial information from their My Student Aid Online (MySAO) account; from the “*My Award Information*” tab and the “*My Assessment Details*” tab;
- have completed a University of Manitoba Fairfax bursary application;
- will register for full-time study (minimum 18 credit hours) in any faculty or school at the University of Manitoba that admits students directly from high school
- have achieved a minimum average of 80% on their high school courses used for admission.

These awards may be renewable in each of a second, third and fourth years of a student’s first degree program at the University of Manitoba. Recipients must maintain a full-time course load (minimum 18 credit hours), achieve a minimum grade-point average of 3.5 each year and continue to demonstrate financial need yearly (government student loan and bursary applications must be submitted for each academic session).

How do I apply?

Submit the items below to the Financial Aid & Awards office by August 14th:

1. A completed **University of Manitoba Fairfax Bursary Application form**
2. A complete copy of your **government loan assessment** from your home province for the 2020-2021 academic session (i.e. Notice of Assistance letter)
3. A **brief letter outlining your extra-curricular involvement** (i.e. volunteering, sports, etc.)



Deadline: August 14

Email scanned applications to:

awards@umanitoba.ca

Subject line: “Fairfax 2020”

2020 FAIRFAX Award: Bursary Application

DEADLINE: August 14

Completed applications must scanned and emailed to awards@umanitoba.ca (subject line "Fairfax 2020") by August 14th. No applications &/or supporting documentation received after this date will be considered.

Complete neatly in dark ink. All sections are mandatory. Incomplete applications will not be considered.

First Name: _____ Middle initial: _____ Last Name: _____

UM student # _____ Email: _____ Telephone: _____

What is your **Marital Status**: ___ Single ___ Single Parent ___ Married/Common-law
If married, is your spouse: ___ Part-time student ___ Full-time student ___ Employed ___ Unemployed

Do you have **Children**? ___ YES ___ NO (If yes, remember to complete the Applicant's dependent information on page 2)

Are you an **International Student** paying the international student surcharge? ___ YES ___ NO

What is your **Canadian Aboriginal status**? ___ NONE ___ Métis ___ Inuit ___ Status (Treaty Indian) ___ Non-Status Indian.

Canadian citizens & permanent residents of Canada must receive a 2020-2021 Fall/Winter government loan to be eligible.

What province/territory did you apply through for a government loan through? _____

You must attach a photocopy of your 2020-2021 Notice of Assessment letter with this application to be considered.

Budget Requirements: All students must complete the budget section for **September 1, 2020 – April 30, 2021**

- Please write a 0 (zero) in boxes that do not apply to you
- Use reasonable estimates where exact amounts are not available
- Incomplete budgets and unrealistic deficits will render this application ineligible

| Your Expenses | \$ Total | Your Resources | \$ Total |
|---|-----------|--|-----------|
| Tuition <i>(include health insurance)</i> | | Your income <i>(work earnings)</i> | |
| Books/Equipment | | Spouse income <i>(enter \$0 if your spouse is F/T student)</i> | |
| Rent | | Parental Contribution <i>(cash gifts)</i> | |
| Telephone & Internet | | Previous Savings available | |
| Heating/Cooling, Electricity | | Estimate of savings for the Fall/Winter terms | |
| Groceries | | Government loan <i>(federal & provincial)</i> | |
| Clothing & Gifts | | Provincial/Federal government grant(s) | |
| Transportation <i>(car/bus costs)</i> | | Bank loan/Line of Credit <i>(tell us what the amount is that you <u>expect</u> to use for Fall and Winter terms)</i> | |
| Childcare | | Government Income <i>(Family allowance, etc.)</i> | |
| Insurance - <i>Indicate type(s)</i> | | Estimate of 2019 Income tax rebate | |
| Laundry | | Scholarship/Bursary/Graduate Fellowships | |
| Other <i>(Specify)</i> | | Trust Funds / Bonds / RESP/RRSP | |
| Expenses Total | \$ | Resources Total | \$ |

To calculate your financial need: **Expenses Total – Resources Total = Financial Need \$** _____

Summer Activity – List amounts below for the period of (May 1 – August 31, 2020): *All information below is mandatory*

WORK Employer(s): _____
 Gross Income (before deductions): \$ _____ Expected Summer Savings \$ _____

STUDY How many **credit hours** will you complete for this period? _____
 What are your **study dates**? Start: _____ End: _____ (include the exam day as last date)

Do you own/lease a **vehicle**? ___NO ___YES If yes, Make/Model: _____ Year: _____

Applicant’s child/dependent information (If you have children, please complete the box below)

How many children do you have that are in your full time care? _____

| Age | Name of school or daycare | Amount of fees paid by applicant | Other support child receives |
|-----|---------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|
| | | \$ | \$ |
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| | | \$ | \$ |
| | | \$ | \$ |

Parental information for ‘dependent’ applicants (if you are a single students who has not been out of high school for 4 years; or, do not have children or are not married, you are considered a dependent student)

| Resources of Parent(s) | Father | Mother |
|-------------------------------|--------|--------|
| Occupation | | |
| Employer | | |
| Annual Salary (gross) | | |
| Other income (please specify) | | |

| Other children/dependents of your parent(s) - Complete this if you are considered ‘dependent’ (see above) | | |
|--|-----|--|
| Name | Age | Name of School / University / Day Care |
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Please outline any **exceptional** circumstances that highlight your need for University of Manitoba bursary assistance. Your comments here can be very helpful in assessing eligibility or special needs.

READ THIS BEFORE YOU SIGN BELOW: *I have read and agree to meeting all of the eligibility conditions of this award. I hereby declare that all the above information is complete and true in every respect; all information provided is mine alone. If not, my application and any award money received, if applicable, is forfeit. I submit my application with an understanding that financial assistance is critical for me to continue my education. I also consent to full access to my University of Manitoba student and government loan records. I authorize the release of information to award donors should I be selected for an award.*

Applicant’s Signature _____ **Date** _____