



# municipality of **Russell**Binscarth

## **RUSSELL BINSCARTH MUNICIPALITY BURSARY PROGRAM**

The Municipality of Russell Binscarth will provide up to five thousand dollars (\$5,000) in bursaries to youth who reside in the Municipality for the purpose of pursuing post secondary training. The following information outlines the bursary criteria and application process. Should you require further information please contact the Municipal office at 204-773-2253.

### **Bursary Goal:**

The Municipality of Russell Binscarth Bursary is offered to provide encouragement to area youth to achieve their educational goals in the anticipation that once completed they will return to the Municipality to live and work. Students who are able to demonstrate their intention to do so will receive greater consideration.

### **Bursary Criteria:**

A Bursary will be awarded to youth who are pursuing post-secondary training in one of the following fields of study:

- Agricultural - including Agricultural Sciences, Agricultural Business Diploma or Degree, or any program related to a career in the Agricultural Sector.
- Health – including medicine, nursing, emergency medical services, public health, mental health, health therapy services, x-ray/lab technician, pharmacy and health care aide.
- Trades – including all trades identified by Manitoba Apprenticeship.
- Business – Including all degree, diploma and certificate programs with a minimum study period of 6 months.
- Law – post graduate studies specific to a degree in law.

### **Bursary Amount:**

- At the discretion of the selection committee to a maximum of \$1,000.00 per year.
- Recipients may apply annually for multiple years of study to a maximum of 5 years.

### **Requirements:**

- The bursary is available for college and university programs.
- The bursary is open to all youth residents (to age 29) of the Municipality of Russell Binscarth who possess a high school diploma or are over 18 years of age. Applicants must also possess the entrance requirements of the educational facility they will be attending.
- Applicants entering a University program may apply after successfully completing their 1<sup>st</sup> year of study for any subsequent years of their program. Applicants entering a trade, or a college program of less than 4 years can apply in their first year of study as well as any subsequent years of their program.
- The recipient must have resided in the Municipality of Russell Binscarth for no less than 2 years prior to applying for the bursary and must be entitled to work in Canada.

**Application Deadline:** Completed application forms and required documents must be submitted to the Municipality of Russell Binscarth by mail or email. The deadline for applications is **Friday, June 6, 2025, at 4:00 P.M.**

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**Selection Process:**

- This is a competitive selection process.
- The selection committee consists of the Chief Administrative Officer, Assistant Chief Administrative Officer, Mayor and a Policy and Personal Committee Member.
- Selection will consist of an application process and in person interview with the selection committee.
- The selection committee reserves the right to choose the recipient(s) based on the information gathered in the application form and through the personal interview.