

The Brian and Harold Keevil Endowment Taking Flight Grants

LAUNCHING CAREERS TO NEW HEIGHTS

This CIM Foundation's Taking Flight Grants were established by the Keevil family, to encourage Indigenous high school and post-secondary students wishing to pursue a career in support of the Mineral Extraction and Processing industries.

ELIGIBILITY

Indigenous Peoples including First Nations, Metis and Inuit who are permanent residents in Canada. Priority will be given to:

- High school graduates continuing with a short course
- Adults completing their High School requirements
- College and CEGEP students
- Trade school students
- University Students

Consideration will be given to students who are pursuing or wish to pursue studies in preparation for a trade or profession related to the Mineral Extraction and Processing industries such as Geology, Mining and Metallurgy. This can include heavy-duty equipment mechanic, millwright, electrician, process systems and control, hydrology, instrumentation, carpenter, welder, surveyor, geologist, mine engineer/technologist as well as careers in Wildlife Management, Environment, Training, Human Resources, Finance, Law, Archeology and other studies directly related to a mining community.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

A complete application package must be submitted by October 30, including:

- Application form
- The applicant's most recent academic transcript (an unofficial transcript is accepted)
- Two recommendations and/or reference letters (from teachers, elders or community leaders)
- A 400-word letter in English, or if the student prefers, in his/her native language. The letter should describe what working in the mining industry means to the applicant, and include significant accomplishments of which they are the most proud.

DISTRIBUTION

Seven grants of \$5,000 each will be awarded annually to qualifying applicants. For adults enrolled in a high school completion program or for high school graduates continuing with a short course, the grants will be \$2,500 and should the student then continue on to a college or degree program, they could submit an application for a \$5,000 grant. Recipients will be announced, and funds awarded in December.



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APPLICANT INFORMATION

Last Name: _____

First Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Province / Territory: _____

Postal Code: _____

Tel.: (_____) _____

Email: _____

School Name: _____

Program: _____

Year: _____

Please submit application package (preferably by email)

by October 30th to:

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