

# Major Entrance Scholarships

Applications for Major Entrance Scholarships require a reference letter. The reference letter can come from a high school guidance counsellor, teacher, or school administrator. You may also submit an optional additional reference letter from a person who can speak to your character and/or community involvement (e.g., volunteer coordinator, coach, mentor, employer, etc.). The optional reference letter can also come from high school guidance counsellor, teacher, or school administrator.

Be mindful and selective of who you ask to write a reference letter for you. Always ask permission in advance so that they know to expect the request.

Please review the summaries of our major entrance scholarship below to determine if you meet the eligibility criteria for at least one award before submitting reference requests. Full descriptions of these major entrance scholarships can be found on our online application portal: [https://uwinnipeg.academicworks.ca/users/sign\\_in](https://uwinnipeg.academicworks.ca/users/sign_in).

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## **Alumni Entrance Scholarship Program (\$5,000)**

Awarded to five Manitoba high school graduates with excellent academic standing and promise, involvement in extra-curricular activities, and leadership qualities.

## **Buhler Bursary in Business and Economics (\$25,000)**

Awarded to a student majoring in Business & Administration or Economics with demonstrated financial need. Preference given to single parents. This award is renewable: Year 1 = \$10,000; Year 2 to 4 = \$5,000

## **Dr. Margaret E. Nix and Slade C. Nix Entrance Scholarship (\$5,000)**

Awarded to a female Indigenous student who is a Manitoba resident.

## **Garnet Kyle Scholarship (\$40,000)**

Awarded to a student from R.M. Franklin, MB with an admission average of 90% or higher. This award is renewable: \$10,000 for up to 4 years.

## **H.F. Allen Family Entrance Scholarship (\$6,000 approx.)**

It will be awarded to a graduate of a Manitoba high school, who has financial need. It will cover the costs of tuition for up to 30 credit hours. This scholarship is renewable: Year 1 = \$5,000 approx.; Year 2 = \$1,000 approx.

## **John K. Macdonald Memorial Fund Award in Education (\$25,000)**

Awarded to an Indigenous student in the Faculty of Education who is a positive role model for their community and has demonstrated financial need. This award is renewable: \$5,000 for up to 5 years.

## **Marsha P. Hanen Entrance Scholarship (\$10,500)**

Awarded to an outstanding Manitoba high school graduate with outstanding leadership and extra-curricular contributions in school and the community. This award is renewable: Year 1 = \$4,500; Year 2 to 4 = \$2,000

## **The Coca-Cola Inner-City Leadership Scholarship for Kinesiology and Applied Health (\$5,000)**

Awarded to one or two Kinesiology and Applied Health student(s) graduating from a Winnipeg inner-city high school; is involved in their community; and has demonstrated leadership within athletic and/or coaching programs and services. Preference given to Indigenous, new immigrant, or students from low-income families.

## **The Maria Graciete and Jose Correia Family Scholarship (\$12,000)**

Awarded to an outstanding student in the Faculty of Business & Economics or Science. Preference given to new immigrants to Manitoba or to an employee of Bee Clean or their dependent. This award is renewable: \$3,000 for up to 4 years.

## **Walter Leatherdale Entrance Scholarship (\$48,000)**

Awarded to an outstanding student from rural Manitoba, preferably from farming communities. This award is renewable: \$12,000 for up to 4 years.