



OECTA HAMILTON SECONDARY UNIT 2020 JOHN MCPHEE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Note that this year's scholarship campaign will be done differently from past years due to the COVID-19 situation. The process will be reviewed for next year's campaign.

The Executive of the Hamilton Secondary Unit is proud to offer scholarships to its members' children, and we're prouder still to be able to do so on behalf of people who have served this Unit extremely well over the years.

The scholarships are being handed out in memory of Mr. John McPhee.

Throughout his career in education he remained a devout Catholic, a Christian, and above all a true gentleman. He was adored by students, parents, and educators alike. If there is a word which describes this person that word is, without question, 'Sir'.

The Hamilton Secondary Unit, through its Scholarship program, not only continues to demonstrate its commitment to its members and their children, but above all it continues to recognize the efforts of educational leaders such as Mr. John McPhee who were instrumental to making Catholic education possible in this city.

Who May Apply?

Any dependent of a member of OECTA Hamilton Secondary Unit who is graduating from a secondary school and is pursuing formal post-secondary studies is eligible to apply. Individuals may only receive the award once. **NOTE: This 2020 Scholarship campaign is intended for students who graduated from secondary school this past June 2020. NOTE: June 2021 graduates are not eligible for this campaign, however, they may apply for the upcoming 2021 Scholarships in the Spring of 2021.**

The Amount

Scholarships will be awarded in the following categories:

Up to 4 scholarships at \$1500 each for students attending a recognized University

Up to 4 scholarships at \$1000 each for students attending a recognized College or Apprenticeship program

When Should Application be Made?

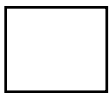
Completed applications for the 2020 Scholarship are due by **October 2nd 2020**.

Judging

Winners of the scholarships will be determined by a panel of judges based on all portions of this application. (Mark 60%, Essay Score 40%) Only complete applications will be considered.

Winners

Presentation of awards will occur by the middle of November to the OECTA Hamilton Secondary Unit member parents of the successful student applicants.



Internal Tracking #

**OECTA Hamilton Secondary Unit 2020
John McPhee Memorial Scholarship**

Application Form

APPLICANT

Name: _____

Street: _____ City: _____

Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Phone Number: (_____) _____ E-mail: _____

Secondary School Name: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION (HSU Member)

Name: _____

Street: _____ City: _____

Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Home Phone: _____ School Phone: _____

School/Workplace Name: _____

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Overall Grade 12 Average: _____ This will be confirmed by the Scholarship Committee. Only official averages will be used in scoring to determining the winners of the scholarships.

POST SECONDARY:

Please check one of the following with respect to your enrolment as of September 8th 2020: I am presently enrolled in

University College Apprenticeship

ESSAY COMPONENT:

The applicant must submit a 250-300 word typewritten essay describing the role of OECTA in Catholic Education in the province of Ontario.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____

NOTE: School and/or program confirmation must be received by the H.S.U. scholarship committee before any financial awards are dispersed.

RETURN COMPLETED Application form (2 pages) and essay to: HSU Scholarship Committee C/O OECTA Hamilton Secondary Unit Office: 209 MacNab Street N, Hamilton, Ontario, L8R 2M5 BY October 2nd, 2020

FOR COMMITTEE USE ONLY

OFFICIAL MARK _____ DATE _____ CONFIRMED _____

Letter of Confirmation Received: _____ (Date)