



## **HAMILTON SECONDARY OECTA 2021 JOHN MCPHEE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

**Note that this year's scholarship campaign will once again be done differently from past years due to the COVID-19 situation.**

The Executive of the Hamilton Secondary Unit is proud to offer scholarships to the children of members, 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 John McPhee 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 Hamilton Secondary OECTA who is graduating from a secondary school in June 2021 and is pursuing formal post-secondary studies is eligible to apply. Individuals may only receive the award once.

### **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 2021 Scholarship are due by **June 30, 2021**.

### **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 September 2021 to the Hamilton Secondary OECTA member parents of the successful student applicants.

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**Hamilton Secondary OECTA 2021  
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 determine the winners.

**POST SECONDARY:**

Please check one of the following with respect to your enrolment as of September 8, 2020

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 June 30, 2021**

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**FOR COMMITTEE USE ONLY**

OFFICIAL MARK \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_ CONFIRMED \_\_\_\_\_

Letter of Confirmation Received: \_\_\_\_\_ (Date)