

GRANDE PRAIRIE REGIONAL COLLEGE

*Established 1966*

# AWARDS HANDBOOK



## Fairview Campus

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Welcome to the Grande Prairie Regional College Awards Program! **Please note: In this booklet, you will find information about awards offered by Grande Prairie Regional College for students attending programs that run throughout the academic year on the Fairview Campus.** If you have any questions about the awards in this publication, please contact the Financial Aid Team. You can reach us by calling (780) 539-2845 or emailing [financialaid@gprc.ab.ca](mailto:financialaid@gprc.ab.ca).

## STANDARD CRITERIA

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Standard criteria have been established for scholarships and bursaries to ensure fair and equitable selection. Unless the award details state otherwise, selection is based first on the standard criteria, then secondary requirements. Unless otherwise stated, awards are available to Canadian citizens or permanent residents and international students who are in at least their second year of studies at GPRC.

**Scholarships** are awards given based on academic excellence.

**Standard Criteria:**

- Enrolled in a minimum 60% course load of the curriculum for the program year
- Selection based on GPA

**Bursaries** are awards given based on satisfactory academic achievement and demonstrated financial need.

**Standard Criteria:**

- Full-time student in fall and winter semester
- Achieved a minimum GPA of 1.7 in the fall semester
- Demonstrated financial need

## APPLICATIONS & DEADLINES

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The Awards Office makes applications available throughout the year. In most cases, the applications are available at least six weeks in advance of the deadline. Every effort will be made to have printable applications on the website. You may also stop by the Awards Office to pick up an application. Watch for the following applications and deadlines throughout the year. Notifications will also be sent to your student e-mail address.

### Entrance Awards

Available to students entering the first year of a program for the first time. Preference will be given to students who graduated from high school in the previous academic year. Eligibility will be determined by calculating the average mark on a minimum of five high school core courses. A core course has a credit value of 5.

**Application Available:** Mid-September

**Application Deadline:** Early October, see application and website.

\* Awards are paid in October each year.

### Elizabeth Jean Butler Scholarship

GPRC administers this award. First priority is given to students from the Bear Canyon/Cherry Point/Cleardale areas that are attending Alberta public institutions, including GPRC. Students must complete both the Entrance Awards Application and the supplementary Elizabeth Jean Butler Scholarship Application.

**Application Available:** Mid-September

**Application Deadline:** Early October, see application and website.

\*Award is in paid in October each year.

### Bursaries

We encourage all students to apply for bursaries. Selection is based on standard criteria, financial need and various other criteria specific to each award.

**Application Available:** October

**Application Deadline:** Early December, see application and website.

\*Awards are paid in February each year.

## Leadership Awards

Students who are involved in extra-curricular activities several hours a month should consider applying for leadership awards. Our experience is that we do not receive enough applications for leadership awards. Unless otherwise stated, standard scholarship criteria apply.

**Application Available:** Late January, early February

**Application Deadline:** In March, see application and website.

\*Awards are paid in March each year.

## Year End Scholarships

Most year-end awards are merit-based. However, some require consideration given to secondary requirements. In order to obtain that information, we require students to complete an application.

**Application Available:** April

**Application Deadline:** In May, see application and website.

\*Awards are paid in June each year.

## College Awarded Merit-based & Department Awards

These awards do not require an application. Selection is made through the Awards Office in collaboration with student records and/or faculties.

\*Awards are paid throughout June, July and August.

## Other Awards

GPRC assists in the administration of several provincial and national awards. The applications and criteria are usually on the donor website. Also, from time to time we are presented with the opportunity to offer other awards. Therefore an independent award is made available. Applications will be sent out to your GPRC student email account or mailed to your permanent address over the summer months.

\*Awards are paid throughout June, July and August.

## DEFINITIONS

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### New Student

First time enrolled at Grande Prairie Regional College.

### Entering Student

A student who is enrolled in the first year of a program for the first time.

### Continuing Student

A student who is continuing in their respective program.

### Full Course Load

Program loads are determined by the curriculum in each program. A full course load is the maximum credits required in each semester according to the curriculum outlined in the calendar.

### Full-Time Student

Not to be confused with full course load, a full-time student is a student enrolled in at least 60% of the maximum credits according to the curriculum outlined in the calendar.

### Conditional

In some cases awards/bursaries may be conditional. This means that in order to be eligible, you must be continuing enrolment in full-time study in the immediate next academic year.

### Any Program

Awards, unless otherwise stated, apply only to Credit Programs (does not include apprenticeships or pre-employment programs).

### Alberta Peace Region

Clardale to Hines Creek to Fairview to Peace River to Manning, all towns between Bay Tree to Rycroft to McLennan, all towns between Demmitt to Grovedale to Grande Prairie to Valleyview to High Prairie, all towns between.

### British Columbia Peace Region

Chetwynd to Hudson Hope to Fort St. John to Dawson Creek to Grande Prairie, and all towns in between.

## **AWARD VALUES**

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The College assumes liability for payment of awards only to the extent that expected gifts from donors or returns from endowed funds are realized. The college reserves the right to make whatever changes that circumstances may require, including changing the value of the award, cancelling an award or adding awards. Every effort is made to display the most accurate estimate of the award value. In addition, to ensure fair and equitable distribution, the College reserves the right to limit the number of awards one student shall receive from the GPRC Awards program.

## **PAYMENT OF AWARDS**

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Awards that are conditional to continued studies are paid upon proof of enrolment in continued studies. Proof in the form of paid tuition and a copy of your registration indicating your program of study is required. Students who are continuing at GPRC are exempt from providing confirmation. Deadline for confirmation is September 30<sup>th</sup>. The award value will be applied to any outstanding balance on their GPRC account as of September 30<sup>th</sup>.

## **STUDENT LOANS, TAXES & AWARDS**

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Merit-based awards are not considered on your Student Aid Alberta loan assessment. However, all award funds must be reported on your federal tax return. All award recipients must provide the Awards Office with their Social Insurance Number prior to any funds being released.

## **AWARD DONORS**

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Bursaries are available to students at Grande Prairie Regional College. Administered by the Grande Prairie Regional College Foundation, these awards are made possible through the generosity of many individuals, corporations, associations and service organizations.

The Grande Prairie Regional College Foundation relies on the generosity of the community to fulfill its mandate of supporting post-secondary education at GPRC. An award may have afforded support to meet your education goals. Consider the opportunity to give something back. Many of our contributors are former students. We hope that you become part of that tradition.

If you would like to make a contribution to the awards program, please call our Community Relations Office at (780) 539-2021. We would be pleased to meet with you or provide you with more information.

## **RECIPIENTS**

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Your award would not have been possible without the generous contribution of the award donor. The most powerful acknowledgement is the expression of appreciation made by you personally. The Awards Office provides you with the donor contact information. Please take a moment to forward a note of thanks.

## **RELEASE OF INFORMATION**

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Further to the provision of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, the Awards Office allows for disclosure or exchange of information to internal or external bodies as required in determining eligibility or suitability. Normal business of the Awards Office is the release of identifying information to donors and media as part of the community relations of the college.

## **NOTE**

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Students will be contacted or notified throughout the summer months for year-end merit-based awards. It is critical that your permanent address and phone number be up-to-date in the Registrar's Office.

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Award & Donor	Value	Program	Criteria
<b>Fairview Campus Convocation Student Speech Award</b>	1 @ 500		

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## Bursaries

Award & Donor	Value	Program	Criteria
<b>Alberta Blue Cross 50th Anniversary Traveler's Bursary - Fairview</b> Alberta Blue Cross	1 @ 1000	Any	Students should have no previous post-secondary education and be registered in the first year of any full-time program of two or more years at the Fairview Campus. Preference will be given to a student who has re-located more than 100 km from his/her permanent residence to attend studies. The award will be based on superior academic achievement. Not available to a student receiving \$3,500 or more in awards for the current academic year.
<b>Alberta Union of Provincial Employees Bursary - Fairview</b> Alberta Union Of Provincial Employees	2 @ 500	Any	Based on financial need and satisfactory academic achievement (minimum 2.5 GPA), Available to AUPE Members in good standing, retired members, and/or partners, their financially dependent children and dependent children of deceased members. All dependents must be under the age of 25 years. Consideration will be made for a past AUPE member who enrolls full time in post secondary education within the first year following job elimination. Must provide proof of AUPE membership.
<b>Allan Anger Memorial Bursary</b> The Anger Family	1 @ 1000	4th class Power Engineering	Available to a 4th class Power Engineering Student
<b>Alliance Pipeline Power Engineering Bursary</b> Alliance Pipeline Ltd.	1 @ 1000	Power Engineering	Available to a student in the Power Engineering Program with a minimum 2.2 GPA and demonstrated financial need.
<b>Animal Health Technology Tuition Awards</b> Fairview Campus Animal Health Technology	2 @ 625	Animal Health Technology	Available to second year students in the Animal Health Technology program at the Fairview Campus. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement, financial need, college and class participation.
<b>Canadian Seed Growers' Association Award</b> Canadian Seed Growers' Association (AB Branch)	1 @ 500	Animal Health Technology	Available to first or second year students in the Animal Health Technology program at the Fairview Campus. Awarded on the basis of a grain farming background. Applicants must be Alberta residents.

# Bursaries

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<b>Donald &amp; Doris Ferguson Bursary</b> Donald & Doris Ferguson	1 @ 250	Any	Available to a full time student in any program at the Fairview Campus. Awarded on the basis of financial need and satisfactory academic achievement, and classroom participation.
<b>Dr M.M. Woronuk Bursary</b> M.M. Woronuk	1 @ 400	Any	Available to students in any full time program at GPRC's Fairview Campus. Applicants must be Canadian citizens.
<b>Fairview Campus Students' Association Bursary</b> Fairview Campus Students Association	2 @ 500	Any	Available to students at the Fairview campus.
<b>First Class Harley-Davidson Bursary 1</b> Harley-Davidson Tech Stud/Friends/Raffle	2 @ 750	Harley-Davidson Technician Program	Available to students in the Harley-Davidson Technician program. Awarded on the basis of satisfactory academic achievement and financial need.
<b>First Class Harley-Davidson Bursary 2</b> Harley-Davidson Tech Stud/Friends/Raffle	2 @ 750	Harley-Davidson Technician	Available to students in the Harley-Davidson Technician program. Awarded on the basis of satisfactory academic achievement and financial need.
<b>Guy Hamilton Thompson Memorial Bursary</b> Guy Hamilton Thompson Memorial	1 @ 250	Harley-Davidson Technical Program	Available to students enrolled in the Harley-Davidson Technician program.
<b>June McLachlan Memorial Bursary</b> McLachlan Memorial (June, Leslie & Shirley)	1 @ 250	Any	Available to any full time Northern Region credit student at the Fairview Campus. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement, financial need, good attendance, and a positive attitude.
<b>Northlands Power Engineering Bursary</b> Northlands	1 @ 500	Power Engineering	Available to full time students of the 4th Class Power Engineering Program at GPRC's Fairview Campus. All eligible applicants considered.
<b>Paul Qayutinnuaq Award</b> Paul Qayutinnuaq & Family	1 @ 450	Any	Available to students in any full time program at GPRC's Fairview Campus. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement and demonstrated financial need. Applicants must be of Aboriginal ancestry and cultural background.
<b>Paverly Memorial Bursary</b> Richard Paverly Memorial	1 @ 450	Animal Health Technology	Available to graduating students in the Animal Health Technology program. Awarded on the basis of financial need, satisfactory academic achievement, and to someone who will be directly involved in farming operations after program completion.
<b>Peace River Livestock Association Bursary</b> GPRC Alumni Foundation Board of Directors	1 @ 1500	Animal Health Tech	Award available to support a student in the Animal Health Technology program, with preference given to a student from the Peace Region area.
<b>Ronald Fife Memorial Bursary</b> Ronald Fife Memorial	1 @ 250	Any	Available to a student in any full time program at the Fairview Campus. Awarded on the basis of financial need, academic achievement, attendance and class participation.

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<b>Royal Canadian Legion Alberta - NWT Command Bursaries - Fairview</b> Royal Canadian Legion - AB-NWT Command	1 @ 1000	Any	Available to full time students in either a Certificate or Diploma program at GPRC's Fairview Campus. Awarded on the basis of financial need and includes any person who is serving or has honourably served and their dependants. Includes children, grandchildren and great grandchildren who are in need of assistance. Priority will be given to Canadian born or naturalized Canadian living in the Peace Region. (Alberta or Northwest Territories)
<b>Samplonius Memorial Bursary</b> Samplonius Memorial	1 @ 150	Motorcycle Mechanic/Pre-Employment	Available to a student in the Motorcycle Mechanic program.
<b>TransCanada Pipelines Ltd Aboriginal Bursary</b> TransCanada Pipelines	2 @ 625	Any	Available to Aboriginal students (status, non-status, Metis, C-31, or Inuit) who are in a full time program or an apprenticeship program at any of the Fairview Campus. Awarded on the basis of financial need, satisfactory academic achievement, and to a student pursuing an occupational goal and /or a career program requiring post -secondary studies. Applicants must be Alberta residents.

End of Bursaries

## College Awarded

Award & Donor	Value	Program	Criteria
<b>AAAHT Graduation Award</b> Alberta Association of Animal Health Technologists	2 @ 500	Animal Health Technology	To be awarded to a student that best demonstrates the following qualities in an academic setting: all around skills in both large and small animals, good academic standing, demonstrated professionalism and the skills that represent the veterinary profession well. The recipients will also participate in the community at large, possess an attitude of volunteerism, and participates in classroom and/or in community volunteer activities.
<b>Alberta Veterinary Medical Association Award</b> Alberta Veterinary Medical Association	1 @ 500	Animal Health Technology	Available to a second year student in the Animal Health Technology program. Awarded on the basis of the greatest improvement during the first year, academic achievement, enthusiasm, professional demeanor, and class participation.
<b>Alberta Women's Institute - Susan B Stewart Award</b> Alberta Women's Institute - Susan B Stewart Award	1 @ 300	Animal Health Technology	Available to a 1st year Animal Health Technology student who the instructors deem most worthy. It should take into consideration effort, participation, attention in class, teamwork, and various other things. It is not necessarily to go to the student with the highest grades.
<b>Animal Health Technology Tuition Scholarships</b> Fairview Campus Animal Health Technology	1 @ 1000	Animal Health Technology	Available to first year students in the Animal Health Technology program. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement.

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<b>Association of Equipment Distributors (AED) Scholarship</b> The AED Foundation	2 @ 1000	Think BIG Service Technician	Highest course mark average upon completion of semester 4. AED requests a bio of the winner along with photos for publication.
<b>Canada West Equipment Dealers Association Award - Winter</b> Canada West Equipment Dealers Association	2 @ 500	Apprenticeship: Apprenticeship Programs	Available to students in the Part and Materials Technician program, Parts Technician Apprenticeship, General Mechanic, and Heavy Equipment Technician Apprenticeship programs. Awarded to the most well rounded student.
<b>Canadian Natural Resources Ltd. Award in Pow Eng 1</b> Canadian Natural Resources Ltd.	1 @ 500	Power Engineering	Awarded to the Power Engineering student with the top mark in POF 302 - Third Class Codes/Electricity/Instrumentation.
<b>Canadian Natural Resources Ltd. Award in Pow Eng 2</b> Canadian Natural Resources Ltd.	1 @ 500	Power Engineering	Awarded to the Power Engineering student with the top mark in POF 301 - Third Class Piping/Safety/Chemistry.
<b>Cecil Rolling Memorial Scholarship - 1st Year</b> Cecil Rolling Memorial	1 @ 1000	Animal Health Technology	Available to first year students in the Animal Health Technology program. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement.
<b>Cecil Rolling Memorial Scholarship - 2nd Year</b> Cecil Rolling Memorial	1 @ 1000	Animal Health Technology	Available to second year students in the Animal Health Technology program. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement in: AH 143, AH 112 and AH 244.
<b>Chris Thoma Memorial Scholarship</b> Mavis/Jordyn Thoma	1 @ Varies	Apprenticeship: 4th Period Plumbing	Available to the student with the highest marks after completion of 4th year Plumbing. Alberta Resident, Highest Class Mark, If there is a tie: Passion for Trade, Positive Work Ethic, Positive Influence on class
<b>Dave Gainer Memorial Award</b> Don and Barb Gainer	1 @ Tuition and fees (Varies)	Apprenticeship: 3rd Year AST (Apprenticeship)	The recipient must be a mature student enrolled in 3rd period Automotive Service Technician Apprenticeship program. Must demonstrate good in-class communication, a good attitude, and sense of humour. The recipient should be a student who commutes daily to attend class, or needs to maintain a second residence while in training. The recipient may also be a student who had discovered their initial career choice was not the right one, but becoming an AST is their destiny.
<b>Dennis Anger Memorial Award</b> Dennis Anger Memorial Fund	1 @ 250	Animal Health Technology	Available to a student in the second year of Animal Health Technology Program. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement in the first year.
<b>Dianne Bedford Memorial Award</b>	2 @ 500	Harley-Davidson Technician	Available to students in the Harley-Davidson Technician program. Recipient must demonstrate good in-class communication, a good attitude, determination, and a sense of humour. Preference will be given to a student with a strong interest in the College and the community.
<b>Edward Richardson Memorial Scholarship</b> Edward Richardson Memorial Fund	1 @ 250	Apprenticeship: Apprenticeship Programs	Available to students in the Heavy Equipment Technician, Automotive Service Technician and Millwright Apprenticeship programs. Awarded to a student with an agricultural background, and who shows exemplary skills and enthusiasm to shop and theory work.

# College Awarded

Award & Donor	Value	Program	Criteria
<b>Fairview Campus Outstanding Contribution to Residence Award</b> Fairview Campus Foundation Career Education	1 @ Plaque valued at 100	Any in Residence	Awarded to the student in residence at the Fairview Campus who contributes the most to the quality of residence life.
<b>Fairview Campus Students' Association Award</b> Fairview Campus Students Association	1 @ 1000	Any	Available to a student at the Fairview campus. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement, extra-curricular involvement, and a favourable student image.
<b>Fairview Campus Trades Department Awards</b> Fairview Campus Trades Department	1 @ 400	Pre Employment Motorcycle Mechanic	Available to a student in the Motorcycle Mechanic program. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement.
<b>Finning/Caterpillar Heavy Equipment Technician Award</b> Finning/Caterpillar (Canada)	2 @ 500	General Mechanic/Pre- Employment/Heavy Equipment Technology	Available to students in the General Mechanic, Pre-Employment program at the Fairview Campus who have chosen the heavy equipment field as their practicum. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement (minimum GPA of 3.3).
<b>Fiona Cameron Memorial Award - Spring</b> Fiona Cameron Memorial	1 @ 350 (Varies)	Animal Health Technology	Available to a graduating student of the Animal Health Technology program who exhibits the following humanitarian character traits for which Fiona Cameron was known, respected and loved, compassion, works well with classmates, dependable, thinks of others before herself, team-player, enthusiastic, never complains. Also, awarded on the basis of academic achievement in Parasitology, Laboratory Animal, Communications, and Medical/Surgical Nursing Labs.
<b>Gordon Grose Memorial Scholarship</b> Gordon Grose Memorial Fund	1 @ Varies	Apprenticeship: 3rd Period Motorcycle Mechanic Apprentice	Awarded to one student annually from all 3rd period classes in the Motorcycle Mechanic Apprenticeship program. Recipient chosen based on the average of 2nd period institution and Apprenticeship Board final marks. The scholarship will cover the cost of tuition fees and books for the current year. Value will vary from year to year.
<b>Ian Macdonald Family Scholarship</b> Ian MacDonald & Family	1 @ 250	Animal Health Technology	Available to an Animal Health Technology student. Awarded on the basis of financial need, good performance and attendance.
<b>Justin Schneider Memorial Scholarship - Spring</b> Rick and Rub Schneider	1 @ 400	Apprenticeship: Welding Apprenticeship	Available to first year students in the Welding Apprenticeship program in the last intake of the year. Awarded on the basis of satisfactory academic achievement, hard work, enthusiasm, being a good classmate, and being a pleasure to instruct.
<b>Magnum Electric Industrial Training Award</b> Magnum Electric	1 @ 100	Power Engineering	Available to students in the Power Engineering Program. Selection based on attendance, quality of work, and overall attitude.
<b>Motorcycle Mechanic "Bubba" Award</b> Alex Kuryliak	2 @ 250	Apprenticeship: Motorcycle Mechanic 1st Year Apprenticeship	Recipient must have perfect attendance, be respectful to instructors and fellow students in the classroom and the shop. Recipient will display a willingness to lend a hand to fellow students who may need assistance. Recipient must have satisfactory academic achievement.
<b>Nelson Nowatzek Welding Scholarship</b> Nelson Nowatzek	1 @ 500	Apprenticeship: Welding Apprenticeship Program	Available to a third year student in the Welding Apprenticeship program. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement. Applicants must have attended Fairview Campus for all three years of his/her training.

## College Awarded

Award & Donor	Value	Program	Criteria
<b>Northlands Awards</b> Northlands	4 @ 500	AHT, HDT, MCM, POE	Awarded on the basis of academic achievement to a graduating student of Animal Health Technology, Harley-Davidson Certificate, Motorcycle Mechanic, Power Engineering 4th Class. Preference will be given to Alberta residents.
<b>Northlands Trades Award</b> Northlands	1 @ 500	Apprenticeship: Carpentry	Awarded to one 1st Period Apprenticeship Carpentry student annually. Selection based on attendance, work habits, quality of work & attitude.
<b>Otto Caspar Memorial Scholarship -Spring</b> Otto Caspar Memorial	2 @ 500	Apprenticeship: Heavy Equipment Technician Apprenticeship	Available to first and second year students in the Heavy Equipment Technician Apprenticeship program. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement in theory, shop, and provincial apprenticeship exams.
<b>Parts &amp; Materials Technician Award of Excellence</b> Fairview College General Award Fund	2 @ 1000	Parts & Materials Technician	Available to students in the Parts & Materials Technician Certificate program. Awarded based on good marks, good attendance, classroom participation and respectful behaviour in the classroom.
<b>Pembina Pipeline Corporation Power Engineering Scholarship</b>	1 @ 1500	Power Engineering	Available to a student in the Power Engineering Program. Instructors will select a recipient based on leadership and class participation.
<b>Plumber/Gasfitter Top Student Scholarship - 2nd Year</b> Fairview College General Awards Fund	1 @ 1000	Apprenticeship: 2ndYrPlumber/Gasfitter Apprentice	Awarded to the top student in 2nd year Plumber/Gasfitter apprenticeship program. Based on marks, attendance, classroom participation and respectful behaviour in the classroom. One scholarship awarded annually.
<b>Plumber/Gasfitter Top Student Scholarship - 3rd Year</b> Fairview College General Awards Fund	1 @ 1000	Apprenticeship: 3rdYrPlumber/Gasfitter Apprentice	Awarded to the top student in 3rd year Plumber/Gasfitter apprenticeship program. Based on marks, attendance, classroom participation and respectful behaviour in the classroom. One scholarship awarded annually.
<b>Plumber/Gasfitter Top Student Scholarship - 4th Year</b> Fairview College General Awards Fund	1 @ 1000	Apprenticeship: 4thYrPlumber/Gasfitter Apprentice	Awarded to the top student in 4th year Plumber/Gasfitter apprenticeship program. Based on marks, attendance, classroom participation and respectful behaviour in the classroom. One scholarship awarded annually.
<b>Samplonius Memorial Award</b> Samplonius Memorial	1 @ 150	Motorcycle Mechanic Certificate	Available to a student in the Motorcycle Mechanic Certificate program. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement, co-operative attitude, professionalism, and good practical knowledge.
<b>Steamfitter/PipefitterTop Student Scholarship</b>	3 @ 1000	Apprenticeship: Steamfitter/Pipefitter	Awarded to the top student in 1st, 2nd, and 3rd year Steamfitter/Pipefitter apprenticeship program. Based on marks, attendance, classroom participation and respectful behaviour in the classroom. One scholarship for each period of training awarded annually.
<b>T.R. Salmund Memorial Scholarship</b> Tri-S Concrete (1996) Ltd	1 @ 250	Apprenticeship: Carpentry Program	Available to third year students in the Carpentry Apprenticeship program. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement (minimum GPA of 3.7) in the concrete component.
<b>TD Insurance Meloche Monnex Motorcycle Mechanic Scholarship</b> TD Insurance Meloche Monnex	1 @ 500	Motorcycle Mechanic Certificate	Awarded to the student in the Winter Semester of the Motorcycle Mechanic Certificate program with the highest overall average from the Fall Semester.

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<b>W.P. Loggie Memorial Award</b> Warren P. Loggie Memorial - (Isabel Loggie, Elspeth Berg)	1 @ 300	Animal Health Technology	Available to a 1st year Animal Health Technology student. Awarded on the basis of general proficiency, extra curricular activities, and a favorable student image.
<b>Welding Apprenticeship - Top Student Award</b> Fairview College General Awards Fund	3 @ 1000	Apprenticeship: Welding - Fairview	Available to one 1st period, 2nd period and 3rd period Welding Apprenticeship student annually. Awarded to the top student. Instructors to nominate recipients.

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## Entrance Awards

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<b>Clegg Agricultural Entrance Award</b> Doug Clegg	2 @ 500 Varies	Animal Health Technology	Available to students who are not already being sponsored for tuition in Animal Health Technology program. Awarded on the basis of a brief essay outlining why you are pursuing a career in the above program and why you chose to attend Fairview College.
<b>Earl Christopherson Entrance Scholarship</b> Estate of Earl Wilfred Christopherson	1 @ 1250	Any	Available to Alberta students who are entering a full time program at the Fairview Campus. Students must have no previous post-secondary education. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement on marks used to enter GPRC.
<b>Fairview Campus Career Education Scholarship</b> Fairview Campus Foundation Career Education	2 @ 500	Any	Available to students entering either a diploma or certificate program at the Fairview Campus after completion of the Academic Upgrading program. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement.
<b>Fairview Campus Entrance Award</b> Fairview Campus Tuition Awards	3 @ 1000	Any	Available to students in any full time certificate or diploma program at the Fairview Campus who are not already being sponsored for tuition. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement in High School or upgrading courses.
<b>Fred Trotter Entrance Scholarship</b> Fred Trotter Memorial Fund	2 @ 500 (Varies)	Animal Health Technology	Available to students entering the Animal Health Technology program. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement.
<b>Michael Procter Tuition Awards</b> Michael Procter	2 @ 1000	Any	Available to current or recent high school graduates who have been accepted into any certificate or diploma program at the Fairview Campus. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement in High School Math and English. Applicants must provide a letter of recommendation by his/her High School Principal, Counselor, or teacher.
<b>Walt Healy Entrance Scholarship</b> Walt Healy Memorial	1 @ 500	Motorcycle Mechanic Program	Available to a student entering the Motorcycle Mechanic program. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement, financial need, and community involvement.

## Entrance Awards

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## Year End Awards

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<b>AARDA - Parts &amp; Materials Technician Award</b> AARDA - Alberta Automotive Recycler & Dismantlers Association	1 @ 2000	Parts & Materials Technician	Available to a student in the Parts & Materials Technician program. Recipient should demonstrate exemplary workplace ethic and must be pursuing a career in the Automotive Recycling and Dismantling industry.
<b>Devon Canada Scholarship</b> Devon Canada Corp	1 @ 300	Power Engineering Certificate Program	Available to students in the Power Engineering Certificate program. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement, college and community involvement.
<b>Fairview Rodeo Club Award of Excellence</b> Equine Program	1 @ 500	Horse Theme...	Available to full time and apprenticeship students who are active members of the Fairview Rodeo Club. Awarded on the basis of dedication to horsemanship, collegiality, student leadership, and above average academic achievement.
<b>George and Albertha Friedel Awards</b> George and Albertha Friedel - Agriculture	2 @ 500	Animal Health Technology	Available to second year students in the Animal Health Technology program. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement, demonstrated student leadership, involvement in or ownership of a family farm, and a strong interest in crops and seed/grain. Applicants must be residents of the Peace River area in either Alberta or British Columbia.
<b>George R Coe Memorial Award</b> George Coe Memorial	1 @ 500	Agriculture	Available to full time students enrolled in the Animal Health Technology program with a minimum of a GPA of 3.00, who demonstrate positive student qualities, work well with other students and staff, and are currently active in a family farm operation. Must be an Alberta resident or reside in the Northern BC Peace River area.
<b>Jack Reichert Memorial Award</b> Jack Reichert Memorial	1 @ 250	Power Engineering Certificate Program	Available to a student in the Power Engineering Certificate program. Awarded on the basis of academic achievement. Applicants must be residents of the North Peace area.
<b>NOVA Chemicals Power Engineering Award - Fall Intake</b> NOVA Chemicals Corporation	2 @ 1125	Power Engineering	Awarded to 4th Class Power Engineering Student with a minimum of 3.0 GPA. Must have a letter of reference from GPRC faculty indicating the student demonstrates a high degree of technical aptitude. Recipient must have intent to continue on to the 3rd Class program. Preference will be given to a student who provides confirmation of community involvement (letter from organization or co-curricular credits on official post-secondary transcript). Preference given to resident of Central Alberta.
<b>NOVA Chemicals Power Engineering Award - Winter Intake</b> NOVA Chemicals Corporation	2 @ 1125	Power Engineering	Awarded to 4th Class Power Engineering Student with a minimum of 3.0 GPA. Must have a letter of reference from GPRC faculty indicating the student demonstrates a high degree of technical aptitude. Recipient must have intent to continue on to the 3rd Class program. Preference will be given to a student who provides confirmation of community involvement (letter from organization or co-curricular credits on official post-secondary transcript). Preference given to resident of Central Alberta.

## Year End Awards

Award & Donor	Value	Program	Criteria
<b>Peace River Livestock Association Award</b> Peace River Livestock Association	1 @ 500	Animal Health Technology	Available to students in the Animal Health Technology program. Awarded on the basis of satisfactory academic achievement, and an aptitude in livestock-oriented studies. Applicants must be Canadian citizens and a resident of the north Peace area.

End of Year End Awards

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## Giving to GPRC

Your gift to GPRC pays extraordinary academic and societal dividends. Whether it's in the classroom, the laboratory, the library, or on the playing field, GPRC students, faculty, staff and alumni share high ideals and a powerful commitment to make a difference in the lives of those around us.

We invite our friends and supporters - individuals, corporations, foundations, and non-profit patrons of education - to join us in building on excellence at GPRC, knowing that we are exceptional stewards of the funds entrusted to us, and that we are faithful to the high standards the college brings to our Peace region, our city of Grande Prairie, our province of Alberta and our country of Canada.

## Why Donate?

### **1. To help students who have trouble financing their education**

Your gift, no matter what size, shows your commitment in supporting the future of our students. GPRC supporters have provided generations of students with aid in the form of scholarships, bursaries, and other awards. Our alumni are doctors, lawyers, teachers and athletes, politicians, artists, executives, oil workers and trades people: people who fill the ranks of every industry and profession, making significant contributions to the communities they live in. Student awards made many of their accomplishments possible.

### **2. To express gratitude and to give back to the college**

The reasons for making a donation to the Awards Program for students at GPRC are personal and varied. Perhaps you are grateful for your GPRC experience and want to give something back. Maybe you would like to leave a legacy to benefit future GPRC students for generations to come, or you may wish to take advantage of charitable tax benefits of making a gift.

Award funding is always needed and the College offers a variety of options for donors. You may choose to:

- Contribute to an existing award or to establish new awards.
  - Fund an award on an annual basis or endow an award in perpetuity.
  - Designate the type of award, whether academic merit-based, need-based, or activity-based.
  - Designate a department, degree program or major area of study for award support.
  - Establish an award during your lifetime or in memory of a loved one. Provide a bequest in your will to establish an award in the future.
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### 3. To establish an award

The following are examples of awards that can be established by the donor.

**Scholarships** are monetary awards which recognize academic achievement and assist recipients with the cost of continuing their education. Merit-based awards are granted to students in upgrading, certificate, diploma, trades, and university transfer programs. In order for a scholarship to be most meaningful, we suggest that it provide for a significant portion of tuition, student fees and textbook costs.

**Bursaries** are monetary gifts provided to students to assist them with expenses incurred while pursuing an academic program. Satisfactory academic performance and financial need are the primary considerations in the selection for bursary recipients. An award of \$1,500 could change a student's life by alleviating financial hardships and allowing students to concentrate on their studies.

**Awards** Although merit and monetary awards may be a consideration, often the intent of an award is in the secondary criteria. Many donors wish to give an award to recognize superior achievement or accomplishment in a specific concentration or to recognize performance in the classroom environment, community involvement or extra curriculum involvement or leadership.

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