

# Leaders of Tomorrow

*The Town of Drayton Valley Scholarship for Municipal Excellence*



This scholarship is awarded annually by the Town of Drayton Valley to a worthy student from each of Drayton Valley's high schools who is entering a post-secondary institution with a view to pursuing a career in local government.

Attracting top quality staff with a passion for public service is vital to the long term sustainability of our community. In order to foster leadership, community involvement, and to encourage the best and brightest of our youth to consider a career in local government the Town of Drayton Valley is encouraging and supporting our youth through post-secondary learning by offering a scholarship program.

### **Applicants must:**

- Be a resident of the Town of Drayton Valley.
- Be a graduating student from Frank Maddock High School or Holy Trinity Academy.
- Be entering the first year of a full-time program at an accredited post-secondary institution or participating in a registered apprenticeship program. The course of study should cover any one of numerous areas relevant to municipal government, for example engineering, political science, recreation management, business, planning, human services, trades etc.

### **Selection Committee**

The successful applicants shall be chosen by a selection committee composed of the Town Mayor and CAO or their designate and the Principals of Frank Maddock High School and Holy Trinity Academy.

**Value:** \$1,000

**Deadline:** June 30, 2017

### **Requirements:**

- Complete the Application Form
- Attach a letter of reference from a community member who is not a relative
- Attach a copy of your high school transcript
- Attach a short essay (800-1,000 words) outlining how you have shown community involvement and leadership among your peers.
- In order to maintain eligibility of the scholarship, the first year of post-secondary courses must be completed at a minimum of the passing grade requirement by the educational institution. If not all courses fulfill the passing requirement, the scholarship may be required to be paid back in full.

Application must be postmarked by June 30, 2017.

Submit application to:  
**Attn: Scholarship Committee**  
**Town of Drayton Valley**  
**Box 6837, Drayton Valley, AB T7A 1A1**  
**info@draytonvalley.ca**





**3. List any volunteer or community activities in which you have participated:**

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**4. Include any additional information that you'd like brought to our attention:**

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