



2011-2012 LOUIS RIEL BURSARIES AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MANITOBA

Important Information Concerning Your 2011-2012 Bursary Application For University of Manitoba

Your application for a bursary contains (2) two separate application forms:

1. University of Manitoba General Bursary application form.
2. Louis Riel Institute application form.

Your **University of Manitoba General Bursary** containing information the University requires, should be completed and submitted to the Financial Aid & Awards Office, 422 University Centre Building, University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, Manitoba R3T 2N2, in person, or by mail by: **October 3rd**.

Your **Louis Riel Institute application** should be completed and submitted to the Louis Riel Institute with any required documentation by: **October 3rd**.

The Louis Riel Institute will verify your information indicating your Métis status and forward a letter of confirmation to the University on your behalf.

Please note that it is your responsibility to provide the required information in sufficient time for it to be processed along with your bursary or scholarship application.

Please forward your application and any relevant documents to:

Louis Riel Institute
Bursary Confirmation
103 - 150 Henry Avenue
Winnipeg Manitoba
R3B 0J7

Or you may fax in your application information to:

Louis Riel Institute
Bursary Confirmation
Fax: (204) 984-9484

Questions? Contact the Louis Riel Institute, 150 Henry Ave., Winnipeg, (204) 984-9480.



2011-2012 LOUIS RIEL (METIS) STUDENT BURSARY APPLICATION

Incomplete applications will not be eligible for Bursary consideration.

University of Manitoba Student number: _____

Please print:

Last Name:		First Name:		Initial:
STREET Address / P.O. Box #:			City or Town	
Province:	Postal Code:	Phone:		
MAILING ADDRESS (if different from above)				
STREET Address / P.O. Box #:			City or Town	
Province:	Postal Code:	Phone:		

Are you currently a member of the Manitoba Metis Federation? YES _____ NO _____
(if yes, please provide your membership card number).

Card # _____ Local _____ Region _____

If you are currently not a member of the Manitoba Métis Federation, you need to proceed by following one of the two alternatives listed below:

Alternative 1: You may become a member of the MMF, by either contacting the MMF office in your area or the Winnipeg Regional Office of the MMF (204) 589-4327. After you become a member of the MMF, complete the information required in this confirmation application.

Alternative 2: If you do not wish to become a member of the MMF, evidence of your eligibility for membership has to be provided in the form of an official, certified genealogy. Certified genealogies are available through either of the following sources:

Metis Roots Genealogical Project

The Metis Resource Centre
506 – 63 Albert Street
Winnipeg, Manitoba
Telephone: (204) 956-7767

The St. Boniface Historical Society

340 Provencher Blvd
Winnipeg, Manitoba
Telephone: (204) 233-4888

When you have obtained an official, certified genealogy you must contact the Louis Riel Institute to complete the confirmation component of your bursary or scholarship application.

Student Name: _____ Student Number: _____

<p>I am entering:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> My first year of University</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> My second year of University</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> My third year of University</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> My fourth year of University</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please explain)</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>How many credit hours have you <u>completed</u> in:</p> <p>First year of University _____</p> <p>Second year of University _____</p> <p>Third year of University _____</p> <p>Fourth year of University _____</p> <p>Other (Please explain) _____</p> <p>_____</p>
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What is your degree program? _____

What is the full length of time required to obtain your degree (in years) _____

What is your major? _____

Do you intend to apply for a Louis Riel Institute Scholarship or Bursary during each year you attend University?

YES _____ NO _____ DON'T KNOW _____

I HEREBY APPLY FOR THE LOUIS RIEL INSTITUTE BURSARY AND DECLARE THAT ALL INFORMATION SUBMITTED IS CORRECT AS OF THE DATE SIGNED BELOW.

Applicant's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

The following information will allow the Louis Riel Institute to build on and enhance the opportunities afforded to Métis Students. Disclosure of the following information is completely voluntary and without prejudice, and in no way effects your ability to obtain this award.

Are you entering University directly out of High School? YES _____ NO _____

Have you worked full time for more than 6 consecutive months before returning to University? YES _____ NO _____

Please provide a brief description of the issues that most concerned you when considering furthering your education by attending University.

Student Name: _____ Student Number: _____

What do you feel are the important issues to be addressed to make a University education more easily accessible to Métis students?

In your home community, what do you feel are the major barriers for students to access a university education?

Comments:

All personal information collected on this application form relates to and is necessary for the operation of the Louis Riel Institute's databases. This information will be used for Louis Riel Institute purposes only. It is protected by the Protection of Privacy provisions of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FIPPA). If you have any questions about the collection of this information, contact the Louis Riel Institute (Winnipeg office).