

The Public Property Assessment Network Scholarship: Eastern Region, 2021-22 School Year



Background Information

The Public Property Assessment Network Scholarship in the amount of \$1,000 is being awarded through the Ontario Public School Boards' Association (OPSBA) Eastern Region. The scholarship recipient will be a 2021-22 graduating student. Scholarship recipients are students of strong character, leadership skills and potential, who care deeply about their communities and furthering their own learning.

Eligible Students:

- Entering a post-secondary or apprenticeship program in the skilled trades within Ontario in 2022
- Graduating from a secondary school from one of the eligible school boards/school authority within the Eastern Region.

Eligible School Boards and Authority

- Hastings & Prince Edward DSB
- Limestone DSB
- Ottawa-Carleton DSB
- Ottawa Children's Treatment Centre School Authority
- Renfrew County DSB
- Upper Canada DSB

Selection Criteria

- Awarded to a student pursuing a career in the skilled trades^{*}, either through a postsecondary or an apprenticeship program in Ontario, 2022.
- Preference will be given to a student in good standing, who has contributed to the life of the school and/or community
- Financial need

* A skilled trade includes occupations that require a special skill, knowledge or ability, which can be obtained at a technical school, through specialized training and/or college.

(Note: The scholarship must be awarded to a graduating student and is intended for someone not expected to receive any other major award/scholarship.)



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Application Process

Applicants are asked to explain in a **maximum** of 300 words their suitability for the Public Property Assessment Network Scholarship based on the established criteria.

All applications must be accompanied by two letters of reference, one of which must be from the principal or principal designate on school letterhead and the second from a reference that describes school and/or community involvement. Letters of reference should not exceed two pages in length. (*Note any additional materials/letters and/or submissions beyond the word limit will **not be taken into consideration.)**

Please send your package in PDF format to Eastern Regional Chair David Shields at <u>shieldsd@nrtco.net</u> by May 20, 2022.

Key Dates

May 20, 2022 - Deadline for applications to be sent to: Regional Chair David Shields

June 17, 2022 – School of scholarship recipient to be notified by OPSBA

June 30, 2022 – Scholarship to be awarded at a commencement ceremony, where possible, or via mail by June 30, 2022.

By August 5, 2022 – Cheque to be mailed to recipient following confirmation of acceptance at a post-secondary or apprenticeship program in the skilled trades within Ontario for September 2022.

