# The Public Property Assessment Network Scholarship: Western Region, 2022-23 School Year



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### **Background Information**

The Public Property Assessment Network Scholarship, in the amount of \$1,000 to one recipient in the Ontario Public School Boards' Association's (OPSBA) Western Region, is being awarded for four school years – 2019-20, 2020-21, 2021-22, and 2022-23. Scholarship recipients are students of strong character, leadership skills and potential, who care deeply about their communities and furthering their own learning.

## **Eligible Students:**

- A Canadian citizen or permanent resident
- In good standing academically and non-academically with the secondary school
- Entering a post-secondary program within Ontario in 2023
- Graduating from a secondary school within one of the eligible school boards or school authority within the Western Region.

## **Eligible School Boards and Authority:**

- Avon Maitland District School Board
- Bluewater District School Board
- Greater Essex County District School Board
- John McGivney Children's Centre School Authority
- Lambton Kent District School Board
- Thames Valley District School Board





#### **Selection Criteria**

Each of the following *may* be taken into consideration but not limited to:

- Academic achievement and/or standing
- Contribution to the life of the school through extracurricular and/or volunteer activities
- Pursuing post-secondary education in Ontario
- Social identity, socio-economic status or other factors unique to each student's achievements and the opportunity available to them
- Receipt of other major awards or scholarships

#### **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 Selection Criteria.

All applications must be accompanied by two letters of reference, one of which must be from the applicant's school principal or principal designate on school letterhead. 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 Western Regional Chair Arlene Morell at <u>a.morell@tvdsb.ca</u> by May 19, 2023. **Please include PPAN Scholarship in the subject line of the email with your package.** 

#### Key Dates

May 19, 2023 - Deadline for applications to be sent to Regional Chair Arlene Morell

June 16, 2023 – School of scholarship recipient to be notified by OPSBA through Principal

*Weeks of June 19 and 26, 2023* – Scholarship to be awarded at a commencement ceremony, where possible, or via mail by June 30, 2023.

*By August 4, 2023* – Cheque to be mailed to recipient, following confirmation of acceptance at a post-secondary program within Ontario for September 2023.

