

MONSANTO



2009 Opportunity Scholarship

Monsanto Canada's Commitment to Education

Monsanto Canada is proud to support post-secondary education opportunities for farm families. By assisting young people from farm backgrounds in their pursuit of a college or university education in agriculture or forestry, we are investing in their future careers - and in the future of the agriculture and forestry industries in Canada.

Monsanto Canada is Helping Build Careers in Agriculture and Forestry

The Monsanto Canada Opportunity Scholarship Program is for Canadian high school students from family farms who have successfully enrolled at a Canadian educational institution (degree or diploma) in a first-year agriculture or forestry program.



If you have applied for entry into a college or university, but have not yet been accepted, you can still apply for a Monsanto Canada Scholarship. However, if you are awarded a scholarship, you must provide an acceptance letter from your educational institution.

Successful applicants will each be awarded a scholarship valued at \$1500, based on demonstrated academic standards and leadership in the community. Selection will be made by an independent panel.

Instructions

1. Please type or print information required for all sections of the Application Form.
2. Your submission must contain the following:
 - * Completed Application Form.
 - * Two Reference Letters (excluding family members)
 - * University/College Acceptance Letter*
 - * Final High School Transcript
 - * Application Essay.
3. **Return your application** (with all attachments) post-marked by **May 15, 2009** to:

Monsanto Canada Opportunity Scholarships
Monsanto Canada Inc.
900-One Research Rd.
Winnipeg, Manitoba R3T 6E3

*If you have not been accepted at time of application, and if you are awarded a scholarship, you will have to forward your Acceptance Letter to Monsanto Canada prior to receipt of scholarship.

Application Essay

Please provide an Application Essay between 300-500 words for the Selection Committee, do not exceed word count.

Essay Question:

"In what area of agriculture or forestry would you like to work and why?"

All Essays must be:

- * Arial font
- * 10 pt
- * Double-spaced
- * 1.25" left and right margins