



DATE: November 23, 2022

TO: Board of Trustees

FROM: Shawna Warren, Superintendent

ORIGINATOR: Jonathan Konrad, Deputy Superintendent, Education Services

GOVERNANCE POLICY: [Policy 905 – Awards Policy – Students](#)
[Policy 700 – Superintendent of Schools](#)

ADDITIONAL REFERENCE: [Administrative Procedure 860 – Student Division Awards, Scholarships and Bursaries](#)
Assurance Domain – Student Growth & Achievement

SUBJECT: Sturgeon Public Schools Scholarships 2021 – 2022

PURPOSE:

For information.

BACKGROUND:

Sturgeon Public School Division graduates are prepared to excel at post-secondary institutions and in their future careers. To aid in financing post-secondary education, Sturgeon Public Schools manages and promotes four local scholarships for students who enrol in a full-time program for post-secondary studies or apprenticeship within 15 months of Graduation.

Sturgeon Public Schools Scholarship

A scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded to all grade 12 students who have attended Sturgeon Public Schools, earned at least 30 Grade 12 credits, and maintained an average of 80% across 25 credits, following published guidelines.

Sturgeon Public Schools Bursary

A bursary of \$500 will be awarded annually to one student from Redwater School and one student from Sturgeon Composite High School who exhibit exemplary effort to attain their level of achievement and have strong participation in co and extracurricular activities at school and in the community.

Frank Robinson Memorial Scholarship

The scholarship of \$500 will be awarded annually to one student from Redwater School and one student from Sturgeon Composite High School who has met or exceeded specified achievement and enrolment criteria and who is deemed to have provided the greatest amount of support to the school.

Konica Minolta Scholarship

This scholarship of \$250 is awarded to one student from Redwater School, one student from Sturgeon Composite High School, and one student from Sturgeon Learning Centre/Morinville Learning Centre who has demonstrated exemplary work habits and an interest in technology and advancing technology in their education.



Xerox Scholarship

This scholarship of \$250 is awarded to one student from Redwater School and one student from Sturgeon Composite High School who has demonstrated exemplary work habits and an interest in technology and advancing technology in their education. This scholarship will cease to be offered after the 2021 – 2022 school year, as the funding has been used to completion.

For the 2021 – 2022 school year, the following scholarships were awarded by Sturgeon Public Schools:

	<u>Redwater High School</u>	<u>Sturgeon Composite High School</u>	<u>MLC/SLC</u>
Sturgeon Public Schools Scholarship (\$1,000.00 each)	1	16*	1
Sturgeon Public Schools Bursary (\$500.00 each)	1	1	n/a
Frank Robinson Memorial (\$500.00)	1	1	n/a
Konica Minolta Scholarship (\$250.00 each)	1	1	1
Xerox Scholarship	1	1	n/a

The total value of the above awarded scholarships is \$21,250.00.

*Of these 16 students, 11 students have qualified for the SPS Scholarship, however, 2 have yet to submit their confirmation of enrolment in a post-secondary institution (students have 15 months after high school graduation to enrol in post-secondary). 5 of these students are graduates of the 2020–2021 school year, and claimed their scholarship for the 2021–2022 school year, due to the effects of the COVID-19 Pandemic on student learning.

Administration is prepared to respond to questions at the November 23, 2022, Public Board meeting.

ATTACHMENT(S):

Not applicable.