



Wetland Centre of Excellence Scholarship

Are you involved in your community's *Wetland Centre of Excellence*?
Do you care deeply about the future of wetlands and the environment?
Are you pursuing a higher education in a conservation-related field?

You may qualify for Ducks Unlimited Canada's **Wetland Centre of Excellence Scholarship**.

This year, DUC will award up to three, \$1,000 scholarships.

Timeline for Application:

Applications accepted from February 2 to March 2.
Scholarship winners chosen and informed by end of April.
Funds awarded in September upon proof of enrolment.

Selection Criteria:

Applicants must:

- Have participated in a *Wetland Centre of Excellence* in the last five years
- Have not received this scholarship before
- Have Canadian citizenship or be a permanent resident
- Be enrolled in or awaiting acceptance from a Canadian-based, post-secondary educational institution (college, trade, university, CEGEP¹) in an environmental or related field for the upcoming fall semester
- Field of studies accepted but not limited to: Fields of study may include, but are not limited to: environmental sciences, natural resources management, education, environment, agriculture and more.
- Have an average grade of 70% or higher in Grade 11 and first semester of Grade 12.

Selection Process:

DUC will evaluate the application based on:

- Applicant's level of engagement with the *Wetland Centre of Excellence* program
- Relevance of the proposed field of study to DUC's conservation efforts
- Quality of the application

To Apply:

1. Complete the application form
2. Attach a copy of your Grade 11 and first semester Grade 12 grades transcript
3. Attach a letter of recommendation from your *Wetland Centre of Excellence* leader
4. Email completed form and attachments to: education@ducks.ca between February 2 and March 2.

For more information email education@ducks.ca

1. CEGEP is a publicly funded post-secondary education pre-university, collegiate technical college exclusive to the province- of Quebec's education system.