



SBL & MorCan Direct **Graduation Model Scholarship**

What is the SBL & MorCan Direct Graduation Model Scholarship?

SBL in partnership with MorCan Direct is offering a \$2500 scholarship to a grade 12 student who will be attending a post-secondary institution this upcoming school year. The scholarship will focus on students that have gone through the SBL growth model, prioritizing applicants that demonstrate strong leadership in school and the Jane and Finch community.

2014 Scholarship Criteria:

Who is eligible?

- Students in grade 12 are eligible to apply who have been accepted into a post secondary institution for the upcoming school year, that are current or former SBL mentors.
- Awards are granted to students who demonstrate the highest level of commitment to community service, leadership and academics.

What is required?

- A video recording describing yourself in 1 minute or less. It can be in the format of a speech, a spoken word/hip hop piece, an artistic visual piece which you can describe, or a comedy skit etc. It is important to stress aspects of your personality through the video.
- Resume: Detailing your most up to date work experiences (Work, Volunteer, Community), education, qualifications, and hobbies/interests
- Essay (500 Words) Including:
 - Name, Age, Post-Secondary Institution you will be attending, the program you've been admitted to
 - Future aspirations and how it relates to your education
 - Community involvement and Leadership skills
- One reference letter from a community organization, teacher, guidance counselor etc.
 - The reference letter may not be written by an SBL staff or board member

Due Date: June 18, 2014