

## Trinity Mennonite Church | Education Fund Guidelines

Tuition bursaries are available to young adults of Trinity Mennonite church in pursuit of a career in church leadership, for post-secondary education at colleges, universities, and seminaries with Anabaptist influence.

The funds available for the bursaries consists of pledges of TMC members and supporters, dedicated gifts to the Education Fund, budgeted money (if any) by the membership of TMC and unspent Education Fund money from past years.

If the financial requests of applicants are less than the funds available, the remaining amount will remain in the fund for future years.

The intent is that qualified students are eligible for 100% coverage of tuition costs, contingent on funding being available, excluding extra-curricular fees and books etc.

To be eligible for this bursary, students will have had to qualify for acceptance in their chosen school and maintain good academic standing throughout their course of study.

Bursaries will be made payable directly to the Institution on a per semester basis.

The bursary is available to all full time students under the age of 35 years who:

- Are in agreement with the **Confession of Faith in an Anabaptist Perspective**.
- Have demonstrated a commitment to Trinity Mennonite Church.
- Have been active (regularly attending Youth functions, teaching Sunday School, or participating in Church Services) at Trinity Mennonite Church for a minimum of two consecutive years (excepting time spent away at a secondary school).

If and when a time comes when this Education Bursary is no longer needed the remaining funds will be given to an Anabaptist school of higher learning, where most needed, pursuant to a further decision of Trinity Mennonite Church.

Please complete and submit the **Trinity Mennonite Church Education Fund Application Form** to the Chair of the Deacon Committee three months in advance of commencement of studies.

Approved by TMC Church Council  
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