



Erb Group of Companies

**The Erb Group of Companies' OTA Education Foundation
"Service to Community" Scholarship**

The Erb Group is pleased to sponsor a scholarship honouring the student who exemplifies the greatest community spirit and/or charitable involvement.

We feel so strongly at Erb about the importance of community service, that it is part of our Mission Statement:

"Our belief is that by serving our customers we can also serve our communities and share our good fortune with families, friends and the neighbourhoods where we live and work."

Since Vernon Erb began his business in the 1950's until today, the Erb Group has enthusiastically contributed on every level to the progress and well-being of the charitable, sporting, religious and social organizations within their local area.

Vernon always felt that by providing service and satisfaction, success would follow naturally in his business – and it has. We believe that the student who provides service and satisfaction to his/her community will also enjoy success as a result of their commitment.

We are pleased to sponsor this award and help to educate someone who is already a great asset to their community.

The Erb Group of Companies "Service to Community" Scholarship¹ is awarded to a first-year post-secondary student who is entering a recognized Ontario college or university directly from high school, and who demonstrates a commitment to his/her community through his/her involvement in community and/or charitable volunteer work.

The Erb Group of Companies feels strongly about the importance of community service, and believes that by serving its customers, it can also service its communities and share its good fortune with families, friends and the neighbourhoods where it lives and works. Erb believes that the student who provides service and satisfaction to his/her community will also enjoy success as a result of his/her commitment.

¹ Award administered by the OTA Education Foundation. Scholarship recipient will be chosen by the OTA Education Foundation Selection Committee. Maximum award amount: \$1,000.



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APPLICATION FORM FOR ACADEMIC YEAR COMMENCING: 20 ____

I. Personal Information

Form with fields: Last Name, First Name, Gender (male/female), Date of Birth, Address, Social Insurance #, City, Province, Postal Code, Cell Phone/Text #, Email.

II. Education History

Form with fields: Name of Secondary School, Address, City/Town, Phone #, No. Academic Credits Earned, No. Volunteer Hours, Year of Graduation.

III. Employment History

Table with 5 columns: Most Recent Employer(s) (Company), Location, Phone, From (mm/yyyy), To (mm/yyyy). Two rows for data entry.

IV. Current or Proposed Full-Time Studies

Form with fields: Name of College or University, Student #, Campus, Location (City), Length of Program (Years), Level of Study (Certificate, Diploma, Undergraduate Bachelor Degree, Undergraduate Honours Degree), Program Name/Faculty, Degree/Diploma Name.

V. Declaration

Text area for declaration: I hereby certify that the above information is true and that any false information will automatically disqualify me from eligibility for an OTA Education Foundation Scholarship. I also agree to allow the OTA Education Foundation to publish my name, essay, letter or portions thereof in news releases, annual reports, the OTA Education Foundation website, or other material used for promotional purposes only. Name in Print, Signature, Date.

- All applications must be received by July 15th. You must also include:
• A curriculum vitae of past volunteer community service and charity work;
• A minimum of two (2) reference letters related to your volunteer and charity work;
• A letter of no more than 500 words that describes why you have a strong commitment to community service and your future aspirations relevant to ongoing community service and/or charitable work;
• Arrange for an official transcript of your most recent marks must be forwarded directly to the Foundation by July 30th. Applications that are not accompanied by official transcripts will not be considered. A final (not mid-term) transcript must be provided.
➤ Faxed applications will not be eligible. A fax copy is acceptable if required to meet the application deadline; however, the original must be sent by mail.
➤ Only scholarship winners will be notified. Scholarship funds will be advanced to the student's post-secondary institution and will be credited to the account identified by the above student number.

1 The OTA Education Foundation will issue T4A Tax Slips to all scholarship recipients. Scholarship funds will not be advanced until the student's social insurance number has been provided. This information will only be used to meet the Foundation's legal requirements regarding the issuance of tax slips