

## **KIDS COME FIRST BURSARY**

*This award was established in 2006 through the Calgary Foundation by an anonymous donor who believes that kids really do come first. The purpose of the bursary is to provide an incentive for students who might otherwise be discouraged by reason of financial need to pursue post-secondary education.*

- DONOR:** Endowed by an anonymous donor
- WHERE TENABLE:** Calgary Board of Education and Calgary Catholic School District
- FIELD OF STUDY:** Unrestricted
- VALUE:** TBA
- NUMBER:** Two (one CBE, one CCSD)
- ELIGIBILITY:** Open to students registered in grade 12 who are completing the requirements of a high school. Applicants must have demonstrated academic progress and have a minimum 65% GPA in grade 12, and demonstrated financial need.
- Selection will be based primarily on financial need, with consideration of academic merit. One award will be given out to one student in each of the two eligible school boards.
- APPLY:** Applicants should complete the EducationMatters **General Application for Awards**. Complete application packages should be submitted to the Scholarship Coordinator at the Applicant's high school.
- SELECTION & PAYMENT:** Recipients are selected in September. To claim the award, within one (1) year of notification of award the recipient must be registered in an eligible program of post-secondary study of at least two years duration. Payments will be made to the post-secondary institutions.
- DEADLINE:** Normally **May 30** to the Scholarship Coordinator at the Applicant's high school. Applicants should check with their Guidance office for application deadlines in their school.