

2021 Essay Contest



SCHOLARSHIP for the WINNING ESSAY

Write an essay of 1000 – 1500 words, based on the topic:

“What Challenges & Opportunities has the COVID-19 pandemic presented for Unions?”

Writing tips:



- Choose a specific union and discuss how it has been affected, negatively and/or positively by the pandemic, considering issues like day to day operations, bargaining to improve benefits for the members of the union etc.
- Discuss how your community and society as a whole may be impacted by the union's responses to the pandemic.

To Be Eligible the Applicant Must:

- 1) Be a grade 12 graduate of a Central Alberta High School.
- 2) Be a full time student attending a post-secondary institution.
- 3) Provide confirmation of registration in a post-secondary degree or diploma program at a recognized university or community college.
- 4) Provide a copy of the statement from the institute indicating courses for each semester and a copy of the class schedule.
- 5) Provide a copy of the receipt indicating payment of tuition.

Marking Criteria:

Content	30
Organization	5
Mechanics	5
Creativity & Style	10

Essay Submission Deadline ----- October 31st, 2021

Notification to Winner ----- December 31st, 2021

Scholarship Presentation ----- January 11th, 2022

Please submit essays to rddlc1@gmail.com or #102, 4730A – 50 St. Red Deer, AB T4N 1X2



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