

Bursary Program: Application Year:

Introduction: The African Communities of Manitoba Inc. (ACOMI) is offering financial support to high school, university and college students from the African community for an academic year.

Applicants must satisfy the following criteria:

- Applicants must be members of the African Community;
- Applicants must show academic promise and potential for success at the Collegiate or at the University;
- Applicants must be recommended by a representative from their respective communities;
- Applicants must demonstrate financial need.

<u>Eligibility:</u>

Applicants must be admitted to a University or a College, pursuing a degree or a professional diploma program.

All bursary recipients must be registered for courses in the academic year as full-time students.

<u>Value:</u>

The bursary support will cover the cost of tuition and fees for up to \$2000.

<u>Procedures:</u>

- All students must apply to and be admitted to a University or a College in Manitoba as appropriate;
- All students should complete the Bursary Application Form;
- All students should obtain a recommendation from a representative of their community.

Deadline: Completed Applications and Recommendation Forms should be submitted by **31**st **August** to: ACOMI Resource Centre, 101 – 421 Kennedy Street; Winnipeg, MB. R3B 2N2; Tel: 204-221-6696 or Email: info@acomi.ca



African Community Bursary Support Application Form

Name	Community
University or College Student #:	or New students attach admission letter
Mailing Address:	
Phone:	_Email:
I am applying to College:	The University of

Financial Needs Assessment Information

Expenses

Number of registered credit hours: _____

Please estimate as accurately as possible, your expenses for each of the following:

- Monthly living expenses (rent, utilities, food, clothing, recreation) ______
- Transportation expenses (bus pass or vehicle) ______
- Other expenses (please describe)

Resources

Estimated total savings from summer employment: _________ Expected monthly part-time employment earnings during school year: _______ Funds from extended family or others: _______ Social assistance or other monthly assistance: _______ *Manitoba Student Aid Program (MSAP) assistance: _______ Other (please describe): ______ *Full-time University applicants should apply to the MASP and must attach a copy of their MASP application assessments.

Applicants are welcome to provide any additional information that will highlight the need for financial assistance (please use a separate sheet).



African Community Bursary Support Program: Recommendation Form

Student's Name: _____

Comments: Please provide your assessment of this student's academic performance and need for bursary support. You are also encouraged to comment on any other factors which may be helpful to the selection committee. You may use the remainder of this form and the reverse side for your comments, or you may attach separate sheets to the Recommendation Form.

Name (please print)		
community		
Phone	Signature	

Completed Nomination Forms should be put into a sealed envelope and submitted either together with the student's application or separately to the ACOMI Resource Centre on or before <u>31st August</u>. For more information and assistance, applicants should contact: ACOMI Resource Centre; 101 – 421 Kennedy Street; Winnipeg, MB. R3B 2N2; Tel: 221-6696. Email: info@acomi.ca