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YOUTH ENVIRONMENTAL ENGAGEMENT GRANT PROGRAM

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CRITERIA FOR SCHOOL GRANT

The Alberta Emerald Foundation is excited to be administering grants of \$300 to schools, classrooms and youth groups in the hopes of engaging youth participation in environmental stewardship.

These grants are intended to underwrite the costs associated with providing students and youth groups with opportunities to develop an understanding and interest in the environment, through:

- presentations by guest speakers;
- field-trips to natural areas, interpretation centres, zoos, botanical gardens, museums, universities, etc.;
- obtaining supplies for environmentally-related projects;
- engaging in an environmental activity such as tree-planting;
- establishing a natural area;
- other similar events and projects.

We hope to encourage Alberta's youth to gain knowledge and understanding about our natural and built environments through such topics as:

- conservation of energy and natural resources;
- waste minimization and recycling; reducing environmental impacts, etc.;
- and other similar topics.

Each grant of \$300 can be allocated by itself or in combination with other funds to facilitate an environmental project.

An additional \$100 grant will be paid to the school or youth group if they report on the supported event through essays, videos, art work, or presentations, etc., that can be posted on the Alberta Emerald Foundation's website.



Youth Engagement Environmental Grant Application

Youth Engagement Environmental Grants will enable the **delivery** of environmental information and experiences to youth in Alberta. Micro-grants of **\$300** are available to schools and youth groups who propose to engage young Albertans in existing environmental programs or introduce them to Emerald Award finalists, environmental speakers, outings/field trips or other environmental experiences. The grants will contribute to underwriting the costs associated with these activities. Grant requests are reviewed against established eligibility criteria posted at www.emeraldfoundation.ca.

Program Goals: Increase youth environmental awareness and engagement by providing more experiential and action-oriented youth environmental learning opportunities.

CONTACT NAME: _____

SCHOOL: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ POSTAL CODE: _____

PH: _____ E-MAIL: _____

GRADE LEVEL (PLEASE CHECK ALL THAT APPLY)

ECS 1 2 3 4 5 6

7 8 9 10 11 12 SP

NUMBER OF STUDENTS: _____

AREA OF STUDY: _____

PURPOSE OF PROJECT: _____

BRIEF PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

COST OF PROGRAM:

\$ _____

- COST PER STUDENT
- COST PER SUPERVISOR
- COST PER GROUP

COMMITMENT TO RETURN TO ALBERTA EMERALD FOUNDATION (ELIGIBLE FOR ADDITIONAL \$100)

- STUDENT ESSAYS/LETTER (& ACCOMPANYING PICTURES)
- STUDENT VIDEO
- STUDENT PRESENTATION (I.E. POWERPOINT)

PRINCIPAL OR GROUP LEADER

DATE

Please return completed form to the Alberta Emerald Foundation:

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Edmonton, AB T6N 1L6
Phone: 780-413-9629
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email: info@emeraldfoundation.ca



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