

Dear Soaring Futures Bursary,

My name is Kennedy, and I am from the Frog Lake First Nations Reserve. I am currently enrolled in the Community Social Work program in Cold Lake, Alberta. This is a diploma program which consists of two years. I plan on going for my Bachelor of Social Work after graduating from this program. I am mainly interested in working with children and youth in my community. I would like to provide the children with supports, motivation, and encouragement to stay in and finish school. There are many opportunities that lay beyond the reserve, they just need help seeing that. Hopefully I will be a good role model to them education wise. We can all succeed if you put your heart and mind to it. It may be hard at times, but it is worth every bit of it.

I honestly didn't think I would get this award and when I seen the email, I couldn't believe my eyes. I am thrilled to learn I have been selected and I deeply appreciate your support. It will help me save up for future expenses that are bound to come my way. This award has also encouraged and motivated me not to give up on myself or my schooling. You have no idea how your generosity and support help many individuals and for that I would like to say thank you for your support! Thank you for making the bursaries, scholarships and awards possible.

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Kennedy Quinney