

Discovery Centre

Financial Aid Information and Application

Research In Motion (RIM) provides funding for Discovery Centre to establish and administer an educational bursary for schools, groups and individual children in Nova Scotia. The bursaries are intended to further the science education of children through exciting hands-on exhibits and activities.

What are the goals of the bursary?

1. To promote and enhance science and technology education in youth throughout Nova Scotia through exciting hands-on activities.
2. To provide financial assistance to schools, groups or individuals who would like to participate in Discovery Centre's science and technology programs.

What does the bursary cover?

The bursary can be used towards any Discovery Centre program, including floor visits, camps, workshops, Tiny Science and Science on the Road.

Who is eligible?

Any school, group, organization or individual is eligible to be awarded this bursary.

How do I apply?

Simply fill out the application below and submit it to Discovery Centre by mail, fax or email (addresses below).

How/When are applicants selected?

Bursary recipients are based on merit. Discovery Centre, in collaboration with RIM, grant bursaries twice throughout the academic year:

Deadline for Fall Submissions:	November 1, 2010
Bursaries Awarded:	November 29, 2010

Deadline for Spring Submissions:	February 25, 2011
Bursaries Awarded:	March 18, 2011

Bursary Applicant Information:

Your Name: _____

Organization/individual that you are applying on behalf of: _____

Address: _____

City/Town: _____

Postal Code: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax _____

Contact Email: _____

Program Options:

Please refer to www.discoverycentre.ns.ca for program details and cost and then select the program you would like to participate in:

School Group Options:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit Visit | <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit Visit + Movie |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit Visit + Workshop | <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit Visit + Movie + Workshop |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit Visit + Build-a-Bot Workshop | <input type="checkbox"/> Water and Our World (Gr. 8) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit Visit + Who Are You Workshop | <input type="checkbox"/> Great Energy Debate (Gr. 7) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit Visit + What's the Buzz about Genetics Workshop | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Starry Starry Schools (All Grades) | <input type="checkbox"/> Science on the Road (Gr. 3-6) |

Community Group Options:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit Visit | <input type="checkbox"/> Tiny Science |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit Visit + Starlab Workshop | |

Individual Options:

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Summer Camp
of weeks requested: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> PD Day Camps
of days requested: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit Visit | |

Number of participants expected: _____ **Cost of program requested: \$** _____

Please explain why you think this group or person deserves this bursary:

Please explain how you think this group or person would benefit from this bursary:

Signature _____

Date _____

For Office Use Only:

Date Application Received: _____

Total Cost of Program: _____

Please submit your completed application to:

Mail: Discovery Centre
1593 Barrington Street
Halifax, NS B3J 1Z7
Attn: RIM/Discovery Centre Bursary

Email: bursary@discoverycentre.ns.ca

Fax: (902) 492-3170

Please Note:

- The bursary expires one year after it is initially awarded.
- Recipients may be awarded a maximum of one bursary per year.
- Recipients must follow Discovery Centre rules and regulations during their visit.
- Recipients are responsible for transportation to and from Discovery Centre and any additional expenses incurred outside of the selected Discovery Centre program fees.
- Discovery Centre programs are dependent on availability.

If you are selected as a recipient, Discovery Centre will contact you to discuss your program choice and make the necessary arrangements. Please note that your application will be kept in strict confidence.

For more information phone (902) 492-4422 x 232,

Email bursary@discoverycentre.ns.ca or visit www.discoverycentre.ns.ca



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