



UNDERGRADUATE FINANCIAL AWARDS

INFANT DEVELOPMENT/SUPPORTED CHILD DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM FACULTY OF EDUCATION – UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

The Ministry of Children and Family Development (MCFD) is pleased to provide a grant to support students registered in the Infant Development/Supported Child Development (ID/SCD) Certificate and Diploma Programs at the University of British Columbia.

Award Amount

The award amount will cover the cost of each eligible three-credit course in the ID/SCD Certificate or Diploma Program, including the 2006 ID/SCD Summer Institute.

Who is Eligible?

1. Students who are currently enrolled full-time or part-time, for credit, in the ID/SCD Certificate or Diploma Program, including the 2006 ID/SCD Summer Institute.
2. MCFD has dedicated 50% of the funding for Aboriginal (First Nation, Metis or Inuit) students. Students of Aboriginal heritage are encouraged to self-identify in writing.
3. Priority will be given to students who are:
 - a. of Aboriginal heritage
 - b. employed at a community agency that is located in a rural area of British Columbia (see Appendix A)

Application Procedure

For information on admission procedures to UBC visit <http://teach.educ.ubc.ca> or contact Maureen Shepherd in the Teacher Education Office by e-mail: maureen.shepherd@ubc.ca or telephone at (604) 822-0165. Registration and enrollment in courses can be completed online.

For further information, contact Ms. Jo-Anne Chilton, Program Assistant External Programs and Learning Technologies, Faculty of Education UBC by: e-mail joanne.chilton@ubc.ca or telephone at (604) 822-3999; Toll-free: 1-888-492-1122.

Application Review

Eligible students will be awarded on a first-come, first-served basis.

For information on awards for the 2006 Summer Institute, please contact Jo-Anne Chilton by **June 15, 2006**.

For information on awards offered for the Winter Session (September – December), contact Ms. Chilton by **August 15, 2006**. For courses beginning in January 2007, please contact Ms. Chilton by **December 15, 2006**.

Appendix A: List of BC Rural Communities

Rural communities are defined as those having a population of less than 10,000, including the following communities:

100 Mile House	McBride
Alert Bay	Merritt
Armstrong	Midway
Ashcroft	Montrose
Burns Lake	Nakusp
Cache Creek	New Denver
Castlegar	New Hazelton
Chase	Oliver
Chetwynd	Osoyoos
Clinton	Peachland
Creston	Pemberton
Cumberland	Port Alice
Duncan	Port Clements
Elkford	Port Edward
Enderby	Port Hardy
Fernie	Port McNeill
Fort Nelson	Pouce Coupe
Fort St. James	Princeton
Fraser Lake	Qualicum Beach
Fruitvale	Radium Hot Springs
Gibsons	Revelstoke
Gold River	Rossland
Golden	Salmo
Grand Forks	Sayward
Granisle	Sechelt
Greenwood	Sechelt Ind Gov Dist
Gulf Islands	Sicamous
Harrison Hot Springs	Silverton
Hazelton	Slocan
Hope	Smithers
Houston	Spallumcheen
Hudson's Hope	Sparwood
Invermere	Stewart
Kaslo	Tahsis
Kent	Taylor
Keremeos	Telkwa
Kimberley	Tofino
Ladysmith	Trail
Lake Cowichan	Tumbler Ridge
Lillooet	Ucluelet
Logan Lake	Valemount
Lumby	Vanderhoof
Lytton	Warfield
Mackenzie	Wells
Masset	Zeballos