

To become a Saskatchewan Youth Apprenticeship Industry Scholarship sponsor, please complete the following form and forward it to:

**Saskatchewan Apprenticeship and Trade Certification Commission**

Attention: Director Communications & Marketing  
 2140 Hamilton Street  
 Regina SK S4P 2E3  
 Fax: (306) 787-5050

Name of Sponsor:

Registered company name

Address:

Street name and number

City/ Province/Postal Code

Contact Name:

Contact Phone:

Contact Email:

Amount of Sponsorship \$

Signature

Name of Scholarship:

'Named' scholarships are awarded based on sponsorship of full multiples of \$10,000.

Trades of Interest:

Payment Plan:

Lump sum     Instalments

If payment is to be made by instalments, please indicate the payment dates and amounts.

Payment Date	Payment Amount
	\$
	\$
	\$
	\$
Total Sponsorship	\$

Payment Method:

**Cheque** – Make payable to Saskatchewan Apprenticeship and Trade Certification Commission

**Credit Card**

Card Type: \_\_\_\_\_  
Visa/MasterCard

Card No. \_\_\_\_\_

Expiry Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Month / Year

Card Holder: \_\_\_\_\_  
Please Print

Signature

Phone: (306) 787-0187  
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# Industry Scholarship Program

“A scholarship program for Saskatchewan youth pursuing skilled trades careers.”



**Sponsorship Information**

The Saskatchewan Apprenticeship and Trade Certification Commission (SATCC), with its partners in industry and government, administer a Youth Apprenticeship Industry Scholarship Program, to reward students' commitment and achievement in the Saskatchewan Youth Apprenticeship (SYA) Program. Students are encouraged to graduate high school with knowledge in the trades and to pursue apprenticeship or other post-secondary training in a designated apprenticeship trade after graduation.

The private sector contributes to an endowment fund, which is supported by \$100,000 per year from the Government of Saskatchewan through the Saskatchewan Innovation and Opportunities Scholarship Program. The SATCC will serve as the trustee and administrator for the funds. The immediate goal is to grant \$1,000 awards to 100 deserving high school graduates who complete the SYA Program each year.

Only eligible contributions (\$10,000 or more) received by April 1 will be included in the award of 'named' scholarships in the same school year ending June 30.

## Benefits to Sponsors

*"The scholarship is a critical tool in creating a quality workforce by attracting the brightest and the best of youth to our industry.*

— Paul McLellan, Sponsor

- It is an opportunity for the sponsor to recruit outstanding apprentices.
- The sponsor is promoted as an employer of choice.
- The sponsor is supporting youth in the community.
- SATCC will issue the sponsor a receipt for tax purposes.
- Every attempt will be made to match the named scholarship to an individual interested in entering the trade or sector of the sponsor's choice.
- The named scholarship will be profiled and awarded at a graduation ceremony or similar event. Schools will be encouraged to offer the sponsor the opportunity to present the scholarship.
- The sponsor will be recognized in advertisements made in conjunction with the SATCC's "Outstanding Journeyman Awards" event each fall.
- The sponsor will be promoting skilled trades as first choice careers to Saskatchewan youth, guidance counsellors and administrators.

## Background

Skilled trades offer rewarding careers with good wages, high levels of job satisfaction and employment security. Skilled trades shortages are increasing in Saskatchewan and the average age of entry-level apprentices remains in the mid to upper twenties. In 2004, the SATCC and the Government of Saskatchewan initiated the SYA Program in high schools by introducing curriculum materials related to the skilled trades for students in Grades 10, 11 and 12.

The SYA Program raises awareness of skilled trades careers for students, parents, teachers and guidance counsellors. It also prepares young people with an interest in skilled trades for a direct and smooth transition into apprenticeship or other post-secondary training related to the skilled trades. The SYA Program is available to all high schools in the province, allowing students to register as youth apprentices.

The SYA Industry Scholarship Program was initiated by the SATCC and the Saskatchewan Construction Association (SCA) to create a positive impact on youth during their formative years as they complete high school and make career decisions. Since then, many other sectors have come on board.

The SYA Industry Scholarship Program rewards those who have demonstrated a high level of commitment and achievement in the SYA Program. The SYA Industry Scholarship Program is an investment in the future of Saskatchewan youth and the skilled trades workforce upon which our economy and future prosperity depend.