



THE BISSETT BURSARY PROGRAM
APPLICATION FORM

Applications are assessed as received. Recipients are notified 4-6 weeks after SAIT receives the application.

Note to guidance counsellors and success coaches: we strongly encourage you provide a reference letter for the student applying below.

Please note: the Bissett Bursary application form does not impact your admission into your desired SAIT program. We strongly encourage you to apply to the program early as seats fill quickly.

Your name: _____

Your date of birth: _____ Your SIN #: _____

Phone#: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____

Postal code: _____ Your High School: _____

Have you applied to SAIT? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, which program? _____

SAIT student ID? ID # _____

Category 1: Financial Need

Do you live with your parent(s) or with a guardian (s)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Have you applied for a Student Loan(s)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, have you been approved? ☐ Yes ☐ No Amount: _____

How many children under the age of 25 are in your family? _____

Do you have dependents of your own? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how many? _____

How many children in your family will attend post-secondary (at SAIT or at a college or university) during the next two years: _____

Please give us your parent(s)/spouse net income (use the amount written on line 236 of their tax return):

Your income: _____

Parent 1 or Spouse/partner: _____ Parent 2: _____

How much do you expect your monthly expenses will be during the SAIT school year? (If you plan to share expenses with roommates, enter your costs only):

Rent/Mortgage:	
Utilities (telephone, water, light, heat, cable):	
Food and Personal Care (clothing, health care):	
Transportation (gas, parking. Do not enter your payments on a car loan):	
Car insurance (if paid monthly):	

What monthly income do you expect during the school year:

Net income from your part-time work:	
Contribution from your parent(s):	
Orphan's benefit (if applicable):	
Other income (scholarships, sponsorship, Employment Insurance, etc.):	
Please describe other income source: _____	

Category 2: Financial Status or Other Personal Circumstances

Please provide any additional information you feel comfortable sharing that will tell us about your situation and help us understand why you meet the criteria for the Bissett Bursary Program.

Category 3: Personal Accomplishments and Community Involvement

- 1) In your own words, describe what you think is your most significant achievement to date because of its value to a community (either school or the larger community). Briefly analyze why that achievement was of value to you and why it might have been of value to others around you.

- 2) List five tasks that you have completed that, taken together, tell us who you are:

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
- d. _____
- e. _____

Category 4: Academic Merit

***** Please attach an In-Progress transcript *****

List any scholarships, special recognition, honours or awards you have achieved in an academic related activity. Indicate position held if applicable.

List any other extra-curricular activities you are or have been involved with (for example, sports, community programs, volunteer positions, etc.).

Category 5: Career Investigation Report

Describe the career planning activities you have completed:

What are your talents, strengths, interests, skills and abilities?

Did you attend or use any of the opportunities listed below to learn more about the SAIT program that interests you? (Check all boxes that are applicable.)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> SAIT Open House | <input type="checkbox"/> SAIT Summer Camps |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Program Information Sessions | <input type="checkbox"/> Website (SAIT.ca) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Student for a Day | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

Have you spoken to anyone at SAIT about this program? If so, who (for example, a student, an instructor, Academic Chair, staff member, etc.)?

Identify any possible challenges you may face in this occupation:

Have you had any experience related to this area? If so, what (for example job shadowing, introductory courses, volunteer work, or other experience)?

What does your dream job look like in this industry?

The information collected in this application form is protected under the authority of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act for the province of Alberta, Section 33(c) and the Federal Income Tax Act. This information and any documents submitted to SAIT by the student is for the purpose of awards and will be used in part of the assessment process conducted by SAIT faculty and administration to determine eligibility to receive student awards. In the event that you become an award recipient, SAIT will disclose your information under the authority of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act for the province of Alberta, Section 40(1) (c) to the awards donor for the purpose for which the information was collected or compiled or for a use consistent with that purpose. If you have any questions about the collection or use of this information, contact the Chinook Lodge Resource Centre at 403.210.4028.

Declaration of applicant: I hereby declare that the information on this application form is complete and true in all aspects. I declare that I have read and understood the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FOIP) statement in this application relating to the SAIT awards process.

Signature: