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ABOUT SEVEC

Shaping responsible citizens and future leaders

SEVEC is a national charity with 75 years experience and over 325,000 youth who have participated in our programs. We provide young Canadians, between the ages of 12 to 17, with an inclusive and unique experiential learning opportunity to gain respect and understanding of our Canadian diversity through language, cultural and special interest exchanges, forums, youth projects and educational visits in Canada.

SEVEC is recurrently recognized as a trustworthy leader in experiential learning. In 2000, SEVEC was selected as the major delivery partner for the federal government, through Exchanges Canada. In 2004, SEVEC was presented with the Association for Canadian Studies' (ACS) Award of Merit which recognizes those who have continuously and significantly contributed to the development of knowledge about Canada.

SEVEC arranges for funding of the travel component of the exchange programs while providing and facilitating innovative, experiential learning models and activities that are available to youth during the school year as well as the summer:

- Exchanges focusing on language, culture, leadership, community engagement and volunteerism
- Educational roundtables and forums facilitating youth-focused discussions
- Educational trips to Quebec City, Montréal, Ottawa and Toronto

SEVEC had a life-changing impact on my son. It opened his eyes to other possibilities and is now studying abroad - Parent

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Roch Carrier Short Story Award

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COOL STUFF GET YOURS TODAY! SEVEC MERCHANDISE

Thank you

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Travel and Insurance

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Costs of the trip:

- Registration with SEVEC $40 paid by Friday
- Flight and transportation to and from the airport - covered by SEVEC
- Accommodations - covered by home-stay (except one night)
- Meals - mostly covered by home-stay - you are responsible for the other meals)
- Activities - at your expense (not optional)

Expected cost to you $250-300.

Insurance.
Available through SEVEC but also through many work plans o
CAA, etc.
Things not covered by provincial health care, bringing you home, Alberta's system is different....

Additional Funding for special circumstances
Additional funding is available to promote participation by youth with disabilities, aboriginal youth, youth from rural or isolated areas, and youth from low-income households. Special Measures include funds for alternative hosting or travel arrangements, and additional chaperones. SEVEC also offers financial assistance directly through the Group Organizer to support youth who may not be able to participate in an exchange due to an inability to pay.

Process
In order for your additional funding request to be considered please (a sample letter attached);

- Submit your request in writing to your SEVEC representative
- Ensure your request is on your school or organization letterhead
- Explain in detail the reasons for your request
- Indicate the students for whom you are requesting support
- Explain the circumstances of the students indicated
- Ensure your contact name and number is on your letter
- Ensure your letter is signed by the Principal of your school o Director of your organization
- Indicate what total amount you are requesting
- In the case of severe physical disability, list an approximate cost of any special arrangements that would be needed.

Requests are considered and approved on a case-by-case basis. For further information please contact your SEVEC representative.

Fundraising - It's up to you!

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Accommodations - what should we expect?

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Accommodations - what do we expect of you? Reference checks

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Activities:

- In Alberta - visit their school for a day, West Edmonton Mall, Jasper (over night?),...
- In New Brunswick - ***planned by the students*** - suggestions - Hopewell Rocks, Confederation Bridge (overnight?), fishing boat, Tree go/Miramichi climbing...

There is a VERY VERY strict policy on .....

complaining-

It is very easy to get sucked into being negative but much more pleasant the other way around.

This rule is non-negoitable!

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Homework - Ask the teachers ahead of time, you may be able to do an alternative assignment.

MARCH 2011

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
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Students will only miss 6 days of school for fourteen days of travel.

APRIL 2011

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
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MAY 2011

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21st Century curriculum goals being met:

Essential Graduation Learnings	Pre-event	During the event	Post-event
Aesthetic Expression Graduates will be able to respond personally and with critical awareness to various forms of the arts	Sharing art and culture through a video	Field trip to museum, sharing music and dance from both communities	Write-up for English classes
Citizenship Graduates will be able to assess social, cultural, economic, and about local, national, and global issues.		Students will need to host a guest who is a stranger from another province and be good travelers and guests when they are living with the host families.	Students will prepare thank you's for their host families, sponsors and SEVEC.
Communication Graduates will be able to use the listening, viewing, reading, and writing modes of language(s)	Communicating with future host families through facebook, email and the video they will create to showcase our community	They will need to plan and present their activities to the visiting students. This requires planning, negotiation, research, explanation…	Students will write a follow-up evaluation of their "day" that they planned.
Personal Development Graduates will be able to continue to learn and pursue attributes highly valued in today's active, healthy lifestyle marketplace.		Learn how to deal with the advantages and frustrations of travel. Also how to be a good host and a patient guest. Also we will be doing some fun physical activites.	
Problem Solving Graduates will be able to use the strategies and processes needed to information from a variety of solve a wide variety of problems, including those requiring language, mathematical, and scientific concepts.	Creating the video, setting up communication with the host family and fundraising for the trip all require lots of problem solving.	Again they will be required to work through problems that arise with travel, staying as a guest, hosting a guest and planning events.	
	Students will use email, video and multi-media to establish communication with our partners in Alberta.	Depending on the event that each student plans may require technical competence.	

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Questions???

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