

The City of Dundee Educational Trust

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Dear Mr McAnninch,

Dundee Educational Trust

I am the Clerk and Factor of the City of Dundee Educational Trust. The Trust was formed by an amalgamation of nine educational endowments in 1966. The primary purpose of this scheme to award suitable applicants with Higher Education Bursaries. The Bursaries are only granted to applicants who were either born in Dundee or have resided in Dundee for a reasonable period. They have to show that they "belong" to the City of Dundee.

As well as belonging to Dundee, applicants must fall within one of the following categories: -

- (a) they must be entering higher education for the first time,
- (b) they must be seeking post graduate scholarships,
- (c) they must be seeking adult education or
- (d) they must be seeking educational travel grants.

The purpose of this letter is bring your attention to the benefits that the Trust might provide to students leaving your school and going on to further education.

The Trust has a website from where an application form can be downloaded. (www.dundeeeducationaltrust.org).

The Trust has noted a decline in the number of applications it has been receiving over recent years, and in order to encourage those pupils falling into the categories above and who may qualify for a grant, The Governors of the Trust have asked me to encourage Head Teachers of all secondary schools in Dundee to make their students, particularly senior students, aware of the Trust and if it is felt appropriate, to circulate information about it and a link to the Trust website on your student social media platforms. It may also be appropriate to share this information with your Guidance Teachers.

I would be happy to provide any further information should that be required.

Yours sincerely,

Ernest Boath
Clerk and Factor