



United DFC 2025 Post Secondary Entrance Scholarship



United DFC greatly values our members. It is in this spirit that we have established the United DFC Scholarship to recognize six (6) students from the United DFC community public secondary schools (Auburn Drive, Cole Harbour High, Dartmouth High, École secondaire Mosaïque, Islandview, Woodlawn).

Six (6) scholarships valued at \$500 each are available, and will be awarded based on the merits of the applications received. Scholarship recipients may attend any of the United DFC community schools listed above; the scholarships are not assigned on a per-school basis.

United DFC and Re/Max are proud to announce a new scholarship for the 2025 class! The Carrie Knowlton-Trider Scholarship is valued at \$500 and will be awarded to a current club member who is female or who identifies as female and has volunteered for United DFC in the past 12 months. The recipient of this scholarship will be selected from the overall pool of UDFC scholarship applicants.

Requirements for application:

Students must be a past or present member of United DFC (past or current player, volunteer or staff) entering post secondary (University, college or trade school) for full time studies for the first time in September 2025.

Payments will be made directly to the student's tuition account at their school. Recipients will be notified by the week of June 8, 2025.

Applicants must complete the following form and submit it to the United DFC office at 75 MacDonald Avenue Unit 4, Burnside or email to awards@udfc.ca on or before **May 31st, 2025**.

This is a view only google doc. Please make a copy of this application and complete and save before submitting.

Name:	
High School:	
Mailing Address:	
Phone Number:	
Email:	

Please fill out each area fully and carefully, following all directions.
Do not include duplicate experiences/achievements/etc in more than one category.

United DFC values diversity and inclusion. If you self identify as being a member of a diverse or underrepresented population, please indicate this below (Examples may include but are not limited to: African Nova Scotian, African Canadian, Black, Mi'kmaq, Indigenous, racially visible person, disability, English as a second language, 2SLGBTIQ+, etc.). Please identify which group you self identify with in the box below.

I self identify as a member of the following diverse and/or underrepresented group(s):

Education

What school(s) are you planning to attend? (Which campus if there is more than one location?)

Playing Experience

List your playing experience for United DFC (or one of its founding clubs - CHSC, DU, EP or DFC). If you have played soccer outside of United DFC you may also list it here but also give the club/ program name. High school soccer will be recorded in another category.
Note: include every single season (winter/ summer).

Example:

Joe played:

- 3 years of mini soccer for Suburban before moving

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4 years of U8/U10 Academy for Cole Harbour Soccer Club <ul style="list-style-type: none"> In these 4 years, he played 1 year both summer and winter seasons 6 years of competitive - some years on the A team and some on the AA team for UDFC <ul style="list-style-type: none"> In these 6 years, he played 4 years both summer and winter seasons - this totals 10 seasons 1 Year of Provincial team 				
Club	Program	Years Played	Coach/ Level (if known)	# of seasons (summer/ winter are each 1 season)
Suburban	Mini	3	N/A	3
CHSC	Skills Centre/Academy	4	N/A	5
-	Community	-	N/A	-
UDFC	Competitive (A,AA,AAA)	6	A, AA	10
NS	Provincial Program	1	N/A	1

Club	Program	Years Played	Coach/ Level (if known)	# of seasons (summer/ winter are each 1 season)

* add table rows as required

Volunteer Experience

List all volunteer/ leadership experience with United DFC.

Do not include any work for UDFC that was paid work. There is a section below for that.

Example:

- Jen volunteered coaching Skills Centre 2 years
- Jen volunteered at the UDFC Fun Run
- Jen volunteered at UDFC Come Try Soccer

# of Years	Year	Event/Team/ Program	Your Role	Frequency	
				Coaching (~hours/week)	Events (hours)
2	2017-18	Skills Centre	Coach	3 hours/week	
1	2021	Fun Run	Volunteer	3 hours	
1	2022	Come Try Soccer	Coach	4 hours	

# of Years	Year	Event/Team/ Program	Your Role	Frequency	
				Coaching (~hours/week)	Events (hours)

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List all volunteer/ leadership (not paid) experience outside of United DFC (for the greater community).

Do not include any school volunteer work here. There is a category for this below.

Example:

- Jay volunteered at the seniors centre for one summer 2 hours/week
- NJay volunteered coaching basketball for 2 winters

# of Years	Year	Event/Team/ Program	Your Role	Estimate of hours served
1	2020	ABC Seniors Centre	Volunteer	16 hours
2	2021-22	CH Basketball	Coach	80 hours

# of Years	Year	Event/Team/Program/ Organization	Your Role	Estimate of hours served

* add table rows as required

School Extracurricular Activities

Please list any extracurricular activities (sports, clubs, volunteering) you have participated in through school. Check off the appropriate grades.

Example: Kevin has participated in the following school activities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chess club - Grade 9 • Badminton team - Grade 12 • Soccer team - Grade 9-12 • Graduation committee - Grade 12 						
Grade				Activity	Your Role	Length of time in activity
9	10	11	12			
x				Chess Club	Member	1 hour week for year
x	x	x	x	Soccer Team	Member	3 hours/week for 2 months
			x	Badminton Team	Member	3 hours/week for 2 months
			x	Graduation Committee	Chair	2 hours/week

Grade				Activity	Your Role	Length of time in activity
9	10	11	12			

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Work Experience

Please list any paid work experience you have.

Example: Leah has worked for UDFC in the following capacity: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mini program winter staff • Office support • Future coach program • Summer Grant staff Additional jobs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Babysitter 				
# of Years	Year	Employer/Company	Job Title	Length of time in job
3	2020-23	Babysitter	Babysitter	~90 hours
1	2022	UDFC	Summer Staff	1 Summer season
1	2023	UDFC	Office Support	1 Winter season
2	2022-24	UDFC	Future Coach	2 Winter seasons
1	2022	UDFC	Mini Coach	1 Winter season

# of Years	Year	Employer/Company	Job Title	Length of time in job

* add table rows as required

Additional Volunteering at UDFC

Do you have a parent/guardian who has volunteered for United DFC?

Example: Ethan's Mom volunteered for UDFC: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coach in mini program • Manager for AA team 		
Family Member Name	Role	Number of Years
Jane Smith	Coach	4
Jane Smith	Manager	2

Family Member Name	Role	Number of Years

* add table rows as required

Achievements

Please highlight your academic and community achievements and awards.

Example:

Mai has a 94 averages in her first term of Grade 12 and the following achievements and awards:

- Honour roll for Grade 11 and 12
- Captain of Volleyball team Grade 12
- Rookie of the Year Volleyball team Grade 10
- HRCE Writing Contest Winner Grade 11

Grade 12 First Term Average:	94			
Academic/community achievements & awards	Grade			
	9	10	11	12
Honour roll			x	x
Captain of Volleyball team				x
Rookie of the Year Volleyball team		x		
HRCE Writing Contest Winner			x	

Grade 12 First Term Average:				
Academic/community achievements & awards	Grade			
	9	10	11	12

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Are you receiving (and accepting) any entrance awards (to your knowledge)? If yes, how much?