

RYERSON UNIVERSITY

TERENCE GRIER ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIP

The Award

The Terence Grier Entrance Scholarship honours the achievements of Ryerson's President, from 1988-1995, in particular his leadership through a period of profound change at Ryerson, culminating in the acquisition of university status at the institution.

Value

The scholarship is valued at full tuition and is not renewable.

Eligibility

- Must be a current full-time (2011-12) secondary school student in Canada.
- Must be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident.
- Must have achieved high school matriculation.
- Must be pursuing post-secondary studies for the first time.
- Must be seeking admission into first year undergraduate study in a full-time degree program at Ryerson University.

Criteria

- Minimum final academic average of 85% in 6 Ontario Grade 12 U/M or equivalent credits from a high school within Canada
- Successful demonstration of exceptional aptitude for or interest in the chosen field of study at Ryerson (e.g., a journalism applicant who has already achieved an outstanding record on a high school newspaper; a theatre applicant who has already starred in school or amateur productions; a business applicant who has already demonstrated entrepreneurial skills; and other comparable achievements in whatever field of study the applicant may choose to follow)

Application Process

Submission of an original plus two (2) copies of the entire application package, which must include:

- Completed application form for the Terence Grier Entrance Scholarship
- Personal letter (keybarded or typed), not to exceed 750 words, outlining the candidate's specific area of aptitude, in relation to the field of study, and how this has been demonstrated
- An officially certified transcript of your high school academic grades
- Two references from individuals who can best evaluate the candidate:
 - An academic reference confirming the candidate's scholastic abilities
 - Another reference supporting the candidate's exceptional aptitude in the chosen field of study

Forward the Application to: Student Financial Assistance
Basement Podium Building, Room POD-59
Ryerson University
350 Victoria Street
Toronto, ON
M5B 2K3

Enquiries: awards@ryerson.ca

**Application and supporting material must be received by APRIL 1, 2012.
The selected recipient will be offered the scholarship in May**

**RYERSON UNIVERSITY
TERENCE GRIER ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIP
APPLICATION FORM**

Name: _____
(Surname) (Given Name)

Address: _____
(Street) (Apt. #)

(City/Town) (Prov.) (Postal Code)

Ryerson ID#: _____ **Telephone #:** _____

E-mail Address: _____

Intended Program of Study at Ryerson: _____

Secondary School Name: _____

Month/Year of High School Graduation: _____

Check one: Canadian Citizen Permanent Resident

Documentation Checklist: (original plus 2 copies of each)

- Personal Letter enclosed (not to exceed 750 words)
- Official Transcript of high school grades
- Academic Letter of Reference enclosed:

Name of Referee & Title: _____

Affiliation: _____

- Reference Letter enclosed supporting your specific area of aptitude in relation to your field of study:

Name of Referee & Title: _____

Affiliation: _____

DECLARATION: The information which I have included in this application is accurate, and is my own work. As a potential recipient of this scholarship, I give Ryerson permission to announce my name in a public forum, if I am chosen.

Applicant's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Application Deadline: April 1, 2012

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REFEREE'S STATEMENT
(please print or type)

Name of Applicant: _____

Name of Referee: _____ **Telephone No.** _____

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Type of Reference: (check one)

- Academic Reference
 Reference in support of the candidate's exceptional aptitude in the chosen field of study at Ryerson

Indicate how long and under what circumstances you have known the above-name applicant. What is your relationship to the applicant?

Explain why you believe this student is a worthy candidate for the Terence Grier Entrance Scholarship at Ryerson University (please use the reverse side or a separate sheet, if necessary).

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