

GRANTS FOR SCHOOL-ORGANIZED TRIPS Saint-Pierre

Purpose

To assist schools in providing exposure to French language and culture for intermediate and senior high school students through visits to Saint-Pierre.

Eligibility Criteria

1. Students from Grades 7 to 12 **only** are eligible to participate.
2. Teachers must accompany groups and must ensure that all participants submit a written report on the trip **within 30 days** of the return date.

Documentation

All applications must be accompanied by:

- (i) a detailed itinerary of projected cultural activities and
- (ii) a budget.

NOTE: Applications **will not be accepted without an itinerary and a budget.** If plans are not confirmed, please indicate this on the application.

NOTE: It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that the application and required documents are submitted via the Google Form by the deadline.

Selection Procedure

- (i) Priority will be established according to the date of the schools' last successful travel grant application.
- (ii) Applications received after the deadline will be placed on the wait list in order of receipt.

Schools will be advised of the status of their application by email after the deadline.

Conditions of Award

1. Schools travelling to Saint-Pierre will receive the following:
 - (i) \$200 per student to a maximum of \$6,000 (30 students) **or** \$350 per student (if students are attending the Francoforum Program) to a maximum of \$10,500 (30 students).

- (ii) \$200 per teacher accompanying the group to a maximum of \$400 (2 teachers)

- One teacher for up to 11 students
- Two teachers for 12 or more students

- (iii) \$1.50 per km for a return trip from the school to Fortune to a maximum of \$3,600 (2,400 km).

2. The trip must be taken by the end of the school year.
3. It is the responsibility of the school to ensure that teacher leave is provided.

Travel Guidelines

Students and staff wishing to participate in school trips are required to follow the current travel regulations of their school district.

Cancellation of Trip

In the event of cancellation of a trip, the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development **will require a letter of explanation from the administration of the school.**

NOTE 1:

The Department of Education and Early Childhood Development **is not responsible for covering incurred costs should a school trip be cancelled or postponed.**

NOTE 2:

A school may submit **one application for a trip to either Saint- Pierre, Quebec or New Brunswick in any given year.**

For additional information, please contact:

School Trips, Bursaries and Fellowships
Programs and Services Division
Department of Education and Early Childhood Development

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Via email (preferred method): fellowships@gov.nl.ca
<https://www.gov.nl.ca/education/k12/french/bursaries>

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