

These are the awards that are listed in accordion-style on the new [Graduation Awards page](#).

****Please note: Sponsorship and prizes are subject to change**

Award Name	Award Type	Recipient Prize	Sponsored by	Description of award
Graduation Awards - Community Sponsored				
Border Paving Award *	Academic, Engineering	\$1,000	Border Paving Ltd.	Awarded to an MCHS or SGCHS graduating student who demonstrates academic excellence and is suited to further study in engineering or engineering technology (i.e. has the highest average using blended marks in English 30, Math30/31 and Physics 30).
Canadian Parents for French FSL Award*	French	\$100 and the recipients name engraved on permanent school plaque	Canadian Parents for French Parkland Chapter	Awarded to a student who has had no past French Immersion and has completed a 30-level French course; academic marks are NOT a criteria. The recipient must demonstrate outstanding leadership in promoting French Language learning opportunities, both personally and in the community.
Capital Plumbing and Heating Scholarship*	RAP Award	\$500.00 & tools	Capital Plumbing & Heating	To be awarded to a graduating student who is apprenticing in one of the five plumbing-related trades. (Plumbing, Refrigeration, Sheet Metal, Gasfitting, Steamfitting/Pipefitting).
Constituency of Lac Ste. Anne-Parkland Award for Leadership in Business*	Business, Leadership	Gift	Constituency of Lac Ste. Anne-Parkland	The Leadership in Business award recognizes a student that best demonstrates the potential to be a leader in the business world.

Constituency of Spruce Grove-Stony Plain Award for Leadership in Social Action *	Leadership	Gift	Constituency of Spruce Grove-Stony Plain	Awarded each year to the graduate student that best demonstrates a commitment to social activism. Ideally, this award will be granted to the student whose commitment to social action can be characterized as ongoing, demonstrative of leadership qualities, action oriented, and has resulted in greater awareness within school and/or community about a social issue.
Decker Award *	Academic, Leadership	\$500	Decker Properties Management and Decker Properties Group	This award is presented to the grade twelve student who has achieved an average mark of 75% in his/her grade twelve course and who demonstrates superior commitment to his or her school and local communities.
Dr. Dekterov Health Care Professionals Award *	Health-Related , Post-Secondary	\$1,000	Dentistry by Dekterov - Dr. Alla Dekterov	The Dekterov Award is granted to a graduating Memorial Composite student entering a post-secondary program related to health sciences.
Elizabeth Spsychka Citizenship Scholarship *	Citizenship	\$500	The Family of Elizabeth Sypchka	The recipient will be recognized for excellent citizenship and participation in their high school and community. The award is granted to a graduating student who demonstrates the following criteria: a weighted average of 70-79.5% on all grade 12; has demonstrated good citizenship; preference to students involved in high school graduation in some capacity; has not received any other major school-based award or scholarship; enrolled in a post-secondary institution.
Governor General's Award*	Academic	Medal	Government of Canada	Awarded to the graduating student with the highest academic average. The average includes all Grade 11 and Grade 12 courses as listed on the student's official transcript of grades issued by the Ministry of Education.

Hawkings Tinney LLP Commerce Award *	Commerce , Post- Secondary	\$1,000	Hawkings Tinney LLP	This award is presented to a graduating student entering a Bachelor of Commerce program at a registered post-secondary institution. The recipient must demonstrate a high level of success in his or her grade 12 math course.
Laverne & Jack Lewis Award *	Agricultural, Post-Secondary	\$500	Stony Plain Rotary Club	Awarded to an exemplary Grade 12 academic student who is pursuing a career in the agricultural field. The recipient must be registered at a post-secondary institution, have previous involvement in agricultural endeavors, been involved in community programs, and be a resident of Stony Plain and surrounding areas.
Meridian Masonic Lodge Bursary *	Leadership, Citizenship	\$1,000	Meridian Masonic Lodge No. 129 - Stony Plain	The award is presented to a graduating student who meets the following criteria: good work habits, citizenship, and participation (demonstrates respect and caring for their fellow students, parents, and teachers), enrolling in any type of post-secondary education, will not receive any other major awards, requires financial assistance.
Open Circle Award*	CTS Award - Construction	\$300	Open Circle	This award is presented to the top achieving grade 12 student in construction-related programs. To qualify for the award, a student must: achieve top standing in a grade 12 construction-related class, demonstrate a high interest in the CTS course, demonstrate leadership qualities in the classroom, and demonstrate a cooperative attitude with fellow students and teachers.

Parker Tobin Memorial Award *	Academic, Sportsmanship	\$750	Ed and Rhonda Tobin and Holton Roofing	Awarded to a student who excels at mathematics and has exemplary athletic ability and best meets the following criteria: Is enrolled in a minimum 1-year program at an accredited post-secondary institution, A grade of over 80% in Math 30-1 or 30-2, Demonstrates overall outstanding academic achievement, Is a positive role model to their peers, Demonstrates exemplary athletic skills, Is a good teammate and Demonstrates outstanding leadership skills in sport.
Parkland School Division Citizenship Scholarships	Citizenship	\$500 each (10 awards)	Parkland School Division	Awarded to ten students who meet the following criteria: Has a weighted average in all Grade 12 courses of 70-79.5 %, has demonstrated good citizenship and participation in their local and school communities, has a strong attendance record (80>attendance rate), has not received any other major school-based award or scholarship, is enrolled in a post-secondary institution.
Premier's Citizenship Award	Citizenship	Letter of Commendation	Government of Alberta	Recognizes on student per Alberta high school who has contributed to their community through public service and voluntary endeavours.
Robert Twerdoelib Scholarship for Enhancement of Geographic Literacy	Academic, Social Studies	\$250	Robert Twerdoelib	The Robert Twerdoelib Social Studies Scholarship is awarded to a student who has demonstrated strong academic standing in 30-level Social Studies and is enrolled in a humanities program in a post-secondary institution.
Rotary Club of Stony Plain Volunteer Award	Leadership	\$500	Rotary Club of Stony Plain	The Rotary Club of Stony Plain Volunteer award recognizes and encourages school and community involvement and service by youth.

Rotary of Parkland After Dark Scholarship	Leadership	\$1,300	Rotary Club of Parkland After Dark	The Rotary Club of Parkland After Dark scholarship is awarded to a student entering their first year of post-secondary education. This includes registered apprenticeship programs. Preference will be given to students demonstrating a financial need or a strong commitment to good citizenship and volunteerism.
Schulich Leader Scholarship	Academic, Leadership	Plaque	The Schulich Foundation	The Schulich Leader Award is presented to the student demonstrating excellence in the pursuit of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics.
Shiloh Chiropractic Clinic Sports Medicine Award *	Sports Medicine	\$500	Shiloh Chiropractic Clinic	The Shiloh Chiropractic Clinic award is presented to the top student in the Sports Medicine program throughout high school at Memorial. This student has completed both the academic parts and the practicum parts of the Sports Medicine 35 course.
Stony Plain Lions Award for Improvement*	Personal Growth	\$500	Stony Plain Lions Club	The award is presented to the graduating student who best meets the following criteria: has demonstrated improvement in attitude, achievement, and citizenship throughout his or her high school career, has contributed to the betterment of his or her community through volunteerism in community-related functions, has demonstrated an acceptable level of academic standing.
Stony Plain Lions Legacy Scholarship Fund*	Volunteerism	\$1,000	Stony Plain Lions Club/Lions of Alberta Foundation	The Lions Legacy Scholarship is presented to a student who demonstrates a commitment to humanitarian causes and exhibits the Lions' service-oriented philosophy by actively volunteering in their community.
Stony Plain Royal Candian Legion Bursary (2)	Leadership	\$500	Stony Plain Royal Canadian Legion - Branch 256	The Royal Canadian Legion Branch 256 scholarship is awarded to two students who demonstrate leadership skills and show evidence of good citizenship and strong work habits.

Stony Plain TireCraft Mechanics Award*	CTS Award	Gift	Tirecraft - Stony Plain	The Stony Plain Tire Craft Mechanics Award is presented to a grade 12 student who has completed all three levels of mechanics in high school, shows a passion for the mechanics trade and is a positive role model for classmates.
Town of Shikaoui Award*	Second Languages, (Japanese)	\$250	Town of Stony Plain	This award is presented to the student with the highest mark in Japanese 30-3 or 20-6.
Town of Stony Plain Mayor & Council Award*	Academic	\$500	Town of Stony Plain	The Town of Stony Plain Mayor & Council Award is presented to a grade 12 student who has attended grades 10, 11 and 12 at Memorial Composite High School. The award is given out to the student with the highest academic average for all three years of high school and can include Work Experience.
Graduation Awards - MCHS				
Honours Awards	Academic	Certificates	MCHS	Awarded to Grade 10, 11 & 12 students with an average of 79.5 % to 89.5% in 5 designated courses.
Honours with Distinction Awards	Academic	Certificates	MCHS	Awarded to Grade 10, 11 & 12 students with an average of 90% or higher in 5 designated courses.
Career and Technology Studies Awards				
Art 30 Award	Fine Arts	Gift	MCHS Department Award	The student who exemplifies the actions and behaviour of an exemplary Art 30 student. They should have achieved an average of 95% or higher in the course and have aspirations to further their Art skills through post secondary.

Communication Technology 30 Award	CTS Award	Gift	CTS Department Award	The student who exemplifies the actions and behaviour of an exemplary Communication Technology student. They should have achieved the highest marks in at least 5 modules or more. Consideration for client services satisfaction and willingness to help others is an asset. Communication Technology students will choose based on these main criteria.
Computer Science Award	CTS Award	\$100	CTS Department Award	This award is presented to the graduating student who has the highest mark in Computer Science (minimum mark of 75%).
Cosmetology 30 Award	CTS Award	\$100	CTS Department Award	The student who exemplifies the actions and behaviour of an exemplary Cosmetology 30 student. They should have achieved the highest marks in at least 5 modules or more. Consideration for client services satisfaction and willingness to help others is an asset.
Fabrication 30 Award	CTS Award	\$100	CTS Department Award	The student who exemplifies the actions and behaviour of an exemplary Fabrication 30 student. They should have achieved the highest marks in at least 5 modules or more. Consideration for client services satisfaction and willingness to help others is an asset.
Foods 30 Award	CTS Award	\$100	CTS Department Award	The student who exemplifies the actions and behaviour of an exemplary Foods 30 student. They should have achieved an average of 95% or higher in at least 5 modules or more. Consideration for client services satisfaction and willingness to help others while demonstrating leadership qualities are an asset.
Video Broadcasting & Editing	CTS Award	\$100	CTS Department Award	This award is presented to the graduating student who has the highest mark in Video Broadcasting & Editing (minimum mark of 75%).

Web Design	CTS Award	\$100	CTS Department Award	This award is presented to the graduating student who has the highest mark in Web Design (minimum mark of 75%).
Fine Arts Awards				
Choral Music 30	Fine Arts	\$500	Marauder Music Parents Association	The recipient of this Fine Arts Award will receive a \$500 cheque and certificate. Awarded to a graduating MCHS student who has been enrolled in Music 10, 20 & 30. This student will demonstrate a high aptitude for choral music performance and needs to be registered in a music-related program at the post-secondary institution.
Drama 30 Award	Fine Arts	\$100	MCHS Department Award	This award is given to the Drama 30 students who has exhibited an outstanding appreciation for and application of all aspects of theatre arts. It is awarded on a combination of academic achievement and practical application as judged by the course instructor.
Second Language Awards				
French 30 Award	Second Languages	Gift	MCHS Department Award	This award is presented to a Grade 12 French 30 student who excels in four areas of the high school second language programs. High marks in both oral and written work, good effort and dedication to the task at hand, good contribution to class discussion/effort, and a positive attitude towards the learning of the language.
German 30 Award	Second Languages	Gift	MCHS Department Award	This award is presented to a Grade 12 German 30 student who excels in four areas of the high school second language programs. High marks in both oral and written work, good effort and dedication to the task at hand, good contribution to class discussion/effort, and a positive attitude towards the learning of the language.

German Book Award	Second Languages	Gift	MCHS Department Award	The MCHS German Book Award recognizes the outstanding achievement and work of students studying German as a second language. The award is presented to students who have demonstrated commitment to their study of the German language and culture.
Japanese 30 Award	Second Languages	Gift	MCHS Department Award	This award is presented to a Grade 12 Japanese 30 student who excels in four areas of the high school second language programs. High marks in both oral and written work, good effort and dedication to the task at hand, good contribution to class discussion/effort, and a positive attitude towards the learning of the language.
Memorial Multilingual Award	Second Languages	Gift	MCHS Department Award	This award is presented to a Grade 12 student who has completed at least two second languages at the 30-level with high achievement in each language and has demonstrated a positive attitude towards the exploration of other cultures through second language learning.
Athletic Awards				
Green and Gold Athletic Scholarships (2)	Athletic	\$1,000 each	MCHS	The Green and Gold Scholarship may be presented to two athletes who best display the following criteria: being well-rounded and community-minded with the following qualities: positive attitude, unselfishness, responsible, coachable, a good leader, and a goal setter; having an overall average of at least 70% in their grade 12 year based on weighted marks from Semester 1 and most recent marks from Semester 2; being involved on at least one MCHS athletic team during each of two high school years-one year being grade 12; must have been involved in Green & Gold fundraising while at MCHS.

LW Kruger Award	Athletic	Gift	Jostens/Lifetouch	The LW Kruger Award is Memorial's top athletic award, named after a former Principal of MCHS. The LW Kruger Award is presented to graduating students (one male/one female) who best exemplify athletic prowess and sportsmanship in school-sponsored athletic activities.
Grade 10/11 Awards				
MCHS School Awards				
Honours Awards	Academic	Certificates	MCHS	Awarded to Grade 10, 11 & 12 students with an average of 79.5 % to 89.5% in 5 designated courses.
Honours with Distinction Awards	Academic	Certificates	MCHS	Awarded to Grade 10, 11 & 12 students with an average of 90% or higher in 5 designated courses.
Top Grade 10 Academic Award	Academic	Name plate engraved on permanent school trophy & gift	Jostens	The Grade 10 Top Academic Award is granted each year to the student who achieves the highest weighted average in all the courses taken in his or her Grade 10 year.
Top Grade 11 Academic Award	Academic	Name plate engraved on permanent school trophy & gift	Jostens	The Grade 11 Top Academic Award is granted each year to the student who achieves the highest weighted average in all the courses taken in his or her Grade 11 year.
Subject Achievement Awards Grade 10 & 11	Academic	Certificates	MCHS	Students achieving in the top 2% of the enrollment for a course and obtain a mark of at least 79.45% will be awarded a Certificate of Subject Achievement. In the area of Career and Technology Studies, the strand area instructors will determine the criteria for granting certificates of achievement.

Sharon Morton Grade Ten Top Athletic Awards	Athletic	The recipient's name will be engraved on the school's permanent trophy & will receive a keeper plaque.	MCHS	This award is named in honour of Mrs. Sharon Morton and is presented to the 2 grade ten athletes who best exemplifies athletic prowess and sportsmanship in both curriculum and school-sponsored athletic activities.
Bill Woloshyn Grade Eleven Top Athletic Awards	Athletic	The recipient's name will be engraved on the school's permanent trophy & will receive a keeper plaque.	MCHS	This award is named in honour of Mr. Bill Woloshyn and is presented to the 2 grade eleven athletes who best exemplifies athletic prowess and sportsmanship in both curriculum and school-sponsored athletic activities.
Community Sponsored Award				
Stony Plain Lions Award for Improvement (Grade 10 & 11)*	Personal Growth	\$250	Stony Plain Lions Club	The purpose of this award is to recognize students who have shown improvement in attitude, achievement, and citizenship over the course of the school year. One award will be granted to a grade 10 student, and one to a grade 11 student.
Alexander Rutherford High School Achievement Scholarship	Academic		Government of Alberta	Given in recognition of and to reward academic achievement at the senior high school level in order to encourage students to pursue post-secondary studies. Apply online once your final official high school transcript marks are available and when you are enrolled in full-time post-secondary studies (after your Grade 12 year). Award: Varies, depending on academic achievement. Visit Alberta Student Aid for details.