



CHURCH MATCHING GRANT APPLICATION

TRADITIONAL UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

STUDENT INFORMATION

Name _____ Student ID # _____

I will be attending (select one):

The fall and spring semesters (Priority application date is **October 1**)

The fall semester only (Priority application date is **October 1**)

The spring semester only (Priority application date is **February 1**)

By signing below, I, the student, acknowledge that I have read and understood the guidelines on page 2 of this application:

Student Signature _____ Date _____

CHURCH INFORMATION (To be completed by authorized church official)

Church Name _____ Phone Number _____

Name of Church Official (Must not be related to the student) _____

Title of Church Official _____ Church Official's Email _____

Address: _____

Cheque number _____ Cheque Amount _____ Check box if funds are wired

Please describe the applicant's relationship to the church _____

By signing below, I, the church official agrees to the following terms:

The attached cheque is made payable to Trinity Western University. If funds are wired, please contact the financial aid office for bank wire instructions. **Cheques made payable to student will not be matched.**

The funds are not from an individual, not from wages earned by the student, or not received from immediate family members or relatives.

I have read the award guidelines on page 2 of this application.

Signature of church official _____ Date _____

PLEASE RETURN TO:

Trinity Western University Financial Aid Office
22500 University Drive, Langley, BC V2Y 1Y1

Financial Aid Office Use Only

Matched amount: \$ _____

Processed by: _____ Date: _____

TRINITY WESTERN UNIVERSITY

CHURCH MATCHING GRANT GUIDELINES

The Church Matching Grant is a program that builds partnerships between TWU and Christian churches around the world by assisting students and families in financing their TWU education. Please read this page before signing the application. The awarding of the grant is based on financial need, availability of funds, and the guidelines listed below.

PRIORITY APPLICATION DEADLINES

October 1: For students who attend both Fall and Spring semesters, or Fall semester only

February 1: For students who attend Spring semester only

APPLICATION PROCESS

- Applications and cheques must be sent together (only cheques from a church will be accepted).
- Applications are considered in the order that they are received, as long as funds are available. Funds are limited.

AWARD TERMS

- For students attending a full academic year, TWU will match up to \$2,000.
- For students attending one semester only, TWU will match up to \$1,000.

STUDENT ELIGIBILITY

- In order for funds to be matched by TWU, students must demonstrate financial need as determined by the Financial Aid Office.
- This grant is available to traditional undergraduate students only. Students enrolled in the Adult Degree Completion program or UT1 program are not eligible.
- Students must enroll in a minimum of 12 semester hours per semester (80% course load) with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.00.

CHURCH DONATION ELIGIBILITY

- The church may not submit funds from wages earned by the student or in lieu of volunteer work.
- The church may not submit funds from an individual to a specific student for the Church Matching Grant. Awards must be from general funds.
- If a special offering is taken, family members or relatives should not participate.
- The donation must be sent with charitable intent. There is no immediate or long-term benefit to the church.
- The church's donation is a restricted gift and non-refundable.
- For the purposes of the grant, a "church" is understood as a Christian church with a congregation holding weekly services. Donations from other non-profit organizations will not be matched.

Please Note: No tax receipting is required for the student. TWU will provide the T4A for students receiving this grant.

QUESTIONS? Contact the Financial Aid Office at 604-513-2031 or at awards@twu.ca