



PARTICIPANT SELECTION CRITERIA GUIDELINES

CanU participants should demonstrate the following:

- Family and/or Economic Need.
- An aptitude for and potential interest in Post-Secondary Studies – trade school, college or university.
- A good track record at school and other program attendance and the ability to commit to the full CanU program.
- Parental or Guardian and school commitment to the CanU program – a willingness to ensure the participant is freed up from other responsibilities or commitments (e.g. baby-sitting, school patrols, etc.) for the scheduled weeks of CanU programming.
- An athletic interest – a willingness to participate in physical activity and to learn new athletic and sport skills.
- A positive behavior mindset – a respect for others and an ability to behave in a mature fashion away from home or school.
- An adventurous spirit – a willingness to try new things and to learn new skills – new foods, new activities, new friends.
- A willingness to work with a mentor.
- Preference will be given to newcomer, First Nations/Metis children and those living in subsidized housing.
- Preference will be given to students returning to CanU.