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CANADIAN PARENTS FOR FRENCH, NOVA SCOTIA ANNOUNCES RECIPIENTS OF THE TAKE YOU CAREER FURTHER AS A FRENCH TEACHER BURSARY

Halifax, June 21, 2023 - Canadian Parents for French, Nova Scotia is thrilled to announce the recipients of the prestigious Take Your Career Further as a French Teacher Bursary, an initiative aimed at supporting individuals in their pursuit of advancing their careers in the education field. The bursary aims to recognize the value of linguistic skills, particularly in French, and the impact they have on professional growth and cultural understanding. After careful consideration of numerous essays, the winners have been chosen based on their compelling stories and dedication to promoting the importance of the French language and culture.

Chloe Stewart, one of the deserving recipients, eloquently expressed in her essay, "Les compétences linguistiques en français peuvent être un atout précieux dans le monde professionnel et permettent de mieux comprendre la diversité culturelle du pays." Chloe recognizes the valuable asset that French language skills represent in the professional world and highlights their role in fostering a deeper understanding of the cultural diversity within our country. Chloe will be attending the B.Ed program at Cape Breton University.

Taylor Burke stressed on the significance of the French language and culture in English-speaking provinces, stating, "Emphasizing the importance of the French language and culture contributes to the survival of French in primarily English-speaking provinces." Taylor's essay beautifully encapsulates the importance of recognizing and preserving French language and culture, even in regions where English is predominantly spoken. Taylor will be attending Memorial University.

Hope Murray shared her perspective on teaching French, expressing, "I feel teaching French gives students opportunities for future plans and higher education, strengthens their focus of learning, and enables them to have a love for languages." Hope recognizes the profound impact of teaching French, not only in providing students with valuable opportunities for their future endeavors but also in fostering a passion for language learning. Hope will be attending Université Sainte-Anne.

The Take Your Career Further as a French Teacher Bursary aims to empower individuals like Chloe, Taylor, and Hope, who understand the value of linguistic skills and the role they play in career advancement, cultural appreciation, and educational enrichment.

Canadian Parents for French, Nova Scotia congratulates the winners of the Take Your Career Further as a French Teacher Bursary and commends them for their commitment to promoting the importance of the French language and culture. The bursary will provide each recipient with financial support to continue their language learning journey and take their careers to new heights.

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Canadian Parents for French is a nationwide, research-informed, volunteer organization that represents 35,000 members across Canada and champions the opportunity to learn and use French for all those who call Canada home.

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