



DURHAM DISTRICT SCHOOL BOARD
**STUDENT SENATE
LEADERSHIP AWARD**



Students Empowering Students for Positive Change

The Student Senate Leadership Award provides resources for students to create caring and inclusive school communities, develop student leadership skills, promote positive change, and serve as role models for their peers.

Two awards are given annually:

\$1,000 for one elementary project (Grades 5-8)

\$1,000 for one secondary project (Grades 9-12)

In addition to receiving certificates and award pins, award recipients are honoured at the Student Senate Meeting in June. Winning projects are featured in the Student Trustee Report and highlighted on the DDSB website.

Eligible projects may include:

- Individual Projects: School leadership camps, student leadership conferences, community training courses, or other experiences that build leadership skills.
- Team Projects: Initiatives that foster safe, caring communities, positive change, wellness, diversity, creativity, and service to others.

Applications must answer all questions on the submission form and include:

- Teacher advisor and principal approval
- Student name(s), grades and school
- A clear overview of the project: purpose, budget, goals, plan, intended audience, expected outcomes and measure for success
- Any and all support materials.

Choose one of the following project formats:

- 500-word essay, OR
- 2 to 3 minute video, OR
- 2-page graphic organizer, OR
- Another creative electronic submission.

Apply today!

Submission forms can be found on the DDSB website under Scholarships, Bursaries, and Awards.

