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Veterinary Student Placement Program Student Application

Applications will be accepted between **February 15, 2026** and **March 15, 2026**

Step 1: Eligibility Requirements

I confirm that all the following conditions are met:

- must be a Canadian citizen or Permanent Resident of Canada and a resident of Nova Scotia.
- Confirmation of Enrollment (COE) for accredited veterinary medicine program in September (of program year).
- Resume attached.
- if under the age of 19, a parent or guardian signature.

Note: The above requirements must be met, otherwise the application will not be processed. Reference program guidelines for eligible projects, project timelines, and claim dates.

Step 2: Applicant Information

Student Name					
Phone Number		Email			
Mailing Address					
City / Town		County		Postal Code	
Citizenship Status	<input type="checkbox"/> Canadian citizen <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent Resident of Canada		Continuous resident in Nova Scotia from (MM/YYYY)		

Self Identification

The following section is voluntary and does not affect program eligibility. If completed, Department of Agriculture will share the provided information, identified only by a business name (farm name) or HST/GST ID, with Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada. This information will be used to improve the program and address access barriers for underrepresented and marginalized groups.

Select all that Apply	<input type="checkbox"/> Youth (Individuals 40 years old and younger)	<input type="checkbox"/> African Nova Scotian
	<input type="checkbox"/> Woman	<input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable
	<input type="checkbox"/> Mi'kmaq <input type="checkbox"/> Métis <input type="checkbox"/> Inuit	<input type="checkbox"/> Decline to identify
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	

Step 3: Educational Information

Name of Accredited Post-Secondary Educational Institution	
Student ID #	
Year of Study	<input type="checkbox"/> Year 1 - Nova Scotia student who will complete their first year of study at the Atlantic Veterinary College in 2026. <input type="checkbox"/> Year 2 - Nova Scotia student who has completed Year 1 of the program and will complete their second year of study at the Atlantic Veterinary College in 2026.

Note: If positions are not filled, consideration will be given to Nova Scotia students at other veterinary colleges or AVC students from other provinces.

Step 4: Preferences

Preferred farm/veterinary practice type
1. 2. 3.
Preferred farm/veterinary practice location
1. 2. 3.
Pre-arranged placement
I would prefer to work on (farm/veterinary practice name) _____, and I have made arrangements with (farm/veterinary practice contact) _____.

Students are encouraged to conduct their two-week volunteer placement at a remote veterinary clinic. Up to \$1000 may be available to support travel and accommodation costs. Please include your proposed volunteer location and travel budget here. For further details on remote veterinary clinics, refer to the Chief Veterinary Officer's contact information located at the bottom of the application form.

Volunteer location				
Address				
City / Town		County		Postal Code
Proposed budget				
Travel (fuel, toll fees, etc.)				
Accommodation (board and lodging)				
Total				

Step 5: Student Details

Farm experience	
Reference	Reference Phone Number
1.	1.
2.	2.
3.	3.

Declaration, Authorization and Consent

By submitting this application form, I acknowledge and agree with the following:

- I have disclosed accurate, true and complete information to the program administration to date and I will continue to provide accurate, true and complete information which is not misleading;
- that I have read the Program Guidelines and, if the application is approved in whole or in part, I agree to abide by the terms and conditions as set out in the Program Guidelines;
- I consent to the audit and verification of the information at any time prior to project commencement, during work, or upon completion of the project. Such audit and verification may be performed by the Province of Nova Scotia, Government of Canada or other parties chosen by the Nova Scotia Department of Agriculture for audit and verification purposes;
- I consent to the use and disclosure of the information by officials of the Nova Scotia Department of Agriculture, officials of programs offered by the Government of Canada or Province of Nova Scotia, and cooperating funding partners, where the information is relevant for the purposes of audit, analysis, evaluation, program development and determining program funding;
- I agree to repay any amount determined through audit or inspection that is deemed to have been provided in excess of the program funding to which I am entitled;
- I consent to the release of my name and the amount of any funding received under the Program as public information, to be actively disseminated by the Province of Nova Scotia and Government of Canada;
- I acknowledge that any other information provided, unless disclosed in the manner and for the purposes to which I have consented above, will be subject to the provisions of the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FOIPOP)*;
- I consent to representatives of the Nova Scotia Department of Agriculture contacting me to discuss the results of the Program;
- I consent to the Nova Scotia Department of Agriculture publishing the results of the Program with respect to the farm which may include my name, my farm location, the amount received and details about the projects associated with this Program; and
- I confirm that I have the authority to bind the applicant.

Applicant Name (print)

Applicant Signature

Date

Return completed Application to:

Nova Scotia Department of Agriculture Programs Office

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Bible Hill, NS B6L 2R2

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Je préfère recevoir tous les formulaires en français.