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## The StellerStudents of StellerVista: Over $25,000 in Student Awards Issued in 2024

**Cranbrook, BC: September 6th** – As students return to school, StellerVista Credit Union is proud to announce that, in 2024, we have contributed more than $25,000 in student awards to local students across the seven communities that we serve. These awards are helping support students attending a wide range of post-secondary programs.

In recent years, we have worked hard to evolve our Student Award Program to reflect the changing landscape of education. While we continue to support traditional academic paths, we are equally committed to recognizing students pursuing modern and alternative educational opportunities, such as trade schools, technical institutes, and any form of post-secondary education that prepares individuals for the future workforce. Our goal is to ensure that students with various career aspirations have access to financial support to help them succeed.

**Staying Local, Building Community**

One of the most rewarding aspects of the StellerStudents program is seeing the impact of these students' efforts right here at home. Whether they are pursuing education locally or planning to return to the region to contribute their skills, we are constantly inspired by the stories we have heard over our years of dedication to this program. Those ambitious learners represent the future of our communities, and it's exciting to see the potential they have to shape and improve the places we live.

As these students begin their academic journeys or continue to build their skills, we want to wish them the best of luck. Their dedication, determination, and drive inspire us all, and we are confident that their efforts will make a lasting difference in our communities.

At StellerVista Credit Union, we believe in the power of education to create positive change, and we are honored to play a role in helping these students on their journey. Our commitment to supporting local education is just one way we invest in the future of our communities.

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