WRPS STUDENT AWARDED TOP MARKS IN THE PROVINCE

Wetaskiwin Composite High School Student Emily Ervin was recently recognized as a Rutherford Scholar. This recognition and accompanying $2500 scholarship is awarded to the top ten students in the province of Alberta and is based on an average of their results obtained on Diploma Examinations in one of: English 30-1, 30-2, Social Studies 30 plus three other subjects.

The ten recipients of the Rutherford Scholar award averaged marks between 97.2 – 98.4 per cent. Emily’s diploma examination average of 98.4 is the highest mark in the Province of Alberta in 2010. “Emily’s academic achievement is remarkable and clearly demonstrates her skills, abilities and work ethic. We wish her the very best as she pursues her post-secondary education,” stated Dr. Terry Pearson, Superintendent of Schools.

Emily scored 100% in three of her Diploma Examinations Math 30 Pure, Social Studies and Chemistry 30. Emily is presently studying toward her Bachelor of Science degree at the University of Alberta, Augustana Campus in Camrose. She plans on entering the field of Dentistry.

When asked about her success Emily stated "I couldn’t have done it without my amazing teachers at WCHS."

WCHS Principal Wayne Neilson stated “When outstanding teachers work with outstanding kids, then outstanding things happen”.

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