



LCBI has operated on a paid-tuition model for decades. Over the past few weeks, the notion of a tuition-free business model was vetted, and we are pleased to announce that as of the 2016-2017 school year LCBI will offer a tuition-free model to Saskatchewan students. Non-Saskatchewan students will still have tuition fees, because Saskatchewan schools only receive government education funding for Saskatchewan students.

During the 2015-16 academic year we have activated a Recruitment Committee to work alongside our Recruitment Officer. Many events have been utilized. Many discussions and phone calls have been made. We note that the Saskatchewan and Alberta economies have taken a heavy toll on our recruitment efforts. There are several factors for a low recruitment response, yet the financial stability of families is the main factor.

The Ministry of Education provides support for each Saskatchewan student. This was 60% of our tuition revenue. The remaining 40% was the paid tuition fee. Dropping the paid tuition fee for Saskatchewan students brings significant Ministry of Education grant monies through the potential of doubling our student population. The increase in student population provides more tuition revenue than with the previous paid-tuition model.

The LCBI Administration Team has developed a 'Tuition-Free' model and under the direction of our Finance Officer, presented a 'Tuition-Free' budget to the LCBI Board of Regents.

Our former 'Paid-Tuition' model was excluding many students who want be at LCBI. This 'Tuition-Free' model is a new way of operating our school. Please share this exciting news with students that will benefit from the LCBI experience.

We Would See Jesus

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