

Eligibility for Awarding a Certificate of Completion for Individualized Senior Years Programming

- Eligibility for the certificate of completion for Individualized Senior Years Programming must be approved by the principal of the high school in which the student is enrolled.
- The certificate of completion recognizes the achievement of students whose intellectual developmental disorder prevents them from benefiting from participation in provincial curriculum.
- The student must have met eligibility and suitability criteria for individualized programming* and have an Individualized Programming designation reported on their transcript in their final year. (*Refer to the support document, *Supporting Inclusion: Modification and Individualized Programming in Manitoba Schools* at www.edu.gov.mb.ca/k12/specedu/pdf/supporting_inclusion_m_i.pdf.)
- The student, the student's support network, and others will have worked together to provide the student with a coordinated transition from school to life in the community, consistent with *Bridging to Adulthood: A Protocol for Transitioning Students with Exceptional Needs from School to Community* at www.edu.gov.mb.ca/k12/docs/policy/transition/.

Note: This certificate is **not to be provided** to students who do not meet eligibility and suitability criteria for individualized programming. It is not intended for students who are leaving school without having acquired the necessary credits to receive a provincial diploma including those who meet eligibility and suitability requirements for Modification.