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Award-winning human rights program increases accessibility

WINNIPEG, MB. – September 9, 2019 – In order to make The Asper Foundation Human Rights and Holocaust Studies Program more accessible and increase the number of participating students, The Asper Foundation is pleased to put into effect the following changes for the 2019-2020 program:

<i>Previous</i>	<i>Changes as of 2019-2020</i>
Extra-curricular educational program - 18 hours in total comprised of nine, 120-minute sessions (total 1,080 minutes).	Extra-curricular educational program - 11 hours in total comprised of nine, 75-minute sessions (total 675 minutes). Program schools/organizations can combine sessions at their discretion (e.g. five, 135-minute sessions totaling 675 minutes).
Program students required to volunteer 10 hours in their communities.	Program students required to volunteer five hours in their communities.
The Asper Foundation covers over 40% of the hard costs of the program with participating schools/organizations and students covering the remainder directly or through fundraising.	The Asper Foundation covers over 50% of the hard costs of the program with participating schools/organizations and students covering the remainder directly or through fundraising.

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