Chevron Canada in Alberta

Chevron is committed to being a good community partner.

We work hard to improve the quality of life for residents in the communities where we live and work, and make investments to help expand innovative education and local economic development. We align community programs with local needs and government priorities and plans and, wherever possible, partner with local providers. Our goal is to be a partner – and neighbour – of choice.

Aboriginal Partnerships

Indigenous Leadership Management Program
Scholarships at The Banff Centre
Chevron Canada provides scholarships for The Banff Centre’s Indigenous Leadership Management Program, helping provide individuals with skills to achieve change in their organizations and communities.

Junior Achievement Aboriginal Financial Literacy Program
Chevron Canada partnered with Junior Achievement of Southern Alberta to pilot a financial literacy program for Aboriginal youth, which is in its second year. The goal is to help Aboriginal youth develop financial literacy in a culturally meaningful way, and to build a sustainable foundation of financial literacy in Aboriginal communities.

Women Building Futures
We are proud to support the work of Women Building Futures, which is helping to break down barriers for Aboriginal women and prepare them for a future career in trades. The organization provides comprehensive support for women through the trades’ employment process, from readiness assessments through to on-the-job training.

Community Support

Community Day at Glenbow
Once a year, Glenbow throws open its doors to a world-class art and history museum and invites the community to explore its treasures free of charge for an entire day, courtesy of Chevron Canada. Since its inception in 2013, Community Day has drawn more than 18,000 people, becoming the single busiest day of the year at Glenbow.

For 25 YEARS
The Chevron Open Minds school program has been enhancing engagement, confidence, writing skills and critical thinking in new generations of students.
Transform Your Story Fund

Many non-profit organizations struggle to build internal capacity because their focus is on delivering programs and services. Chevron Canada and Propellus teamed up to address this issue through the Transform Your Story Fund, which helps non-profits build capacity in governance, strategic management, leadership and fund development. Since its pilot in 2014, 40 Calgary non-profits have benefitted from this capacity funding initiative.

Education Partnerships

Calgary Reads

Since 2010 Chevron has had a multi-faceted partnership with Calgary Reads, which supports literacy in Calgary-area schools through programs for kids, teachers and parents. Chevron employees have volunteered as tutors and visiting readers, and offered technical skills such as graphic design to the organization. Each year the Calgary office donates thousands of books to the annual Book Drive fundraiser.

Chevron Open Minds school program

Chevron Canada’s flagship education program, the Chevron Open Minds School Program, is an award-winning education program that moves the classroom to vibrant community sites for an entire week. This hands-on, experiential learning increases student and teacher engagement and provides many benefits for the community site. In Alberta, Chevron sponsors classrooms at the Ann & Sandy Cross Conservation Area, Calgary Zoo, Fort McMurray Heritage Village, Glenbow Museum and Telus Spark.

Let’s Talk Science

Chevron Canada’s partnership with Let’s Talk Science is focused on building awareness of STEM-related career opportunities with junior high and high school students. In addition, we are supporting a pilot program in two schools in northern British Columbia. The goal is to establish an integrated, school wide approach to STEM and career awareness programs with students, educators and families.

NSERC/Chevron Industrial Chair in Microseismic System Dynamics

Chevron and the Natural Sciences & Engineering Research Council of Canada (NSERC) have each committed $900,000 over five years to fund research on the use of microseismic data to improve characterization and development of unconventional shale resources in Canada.

Scholarships and Awards

In addition to funding Leadership scholarships at The Banff Centre, Chevron Canada funds several Engineering scholarships at the Universities of Calgary and Alberta.

U of A Chair in Engineering Safety & Risk Management

Chevron Canada is one of the principal funders of this chair. The program is designed to ensure engineering students graduate with a grounding in safety and risk management.

For more information visit Chevron.ca/community

For every dollar invested by Chevron Canada, stakeholders invested an additional 44¢ towards priority projects – almost 3 TIMES MORE THAN THE AVERAGE FOR THE SECTOR.

Source: LBG Canada 2014 Analysis – Chevron Canada