

## **2010 Rant like Rick Rules & Regulations**

1. Candidates must satisfy each of the following eligibility requirements to enter the Rant like Rick contest:
  - Is enrolled in a senior high school in Canada as of January 31, 2010
  - As of August 2011, will have completed high school and received a high school diploma
2. Submissions will be judged on style, creativity, uniqueness, and relevance.
3. Submissions can be made in electronic format, over the internet, on a CD or DVD. The length of the clip should be a minimum of 20 seconds, and a maximum of 50 seconds.
4. Submissions must be in English.
5. Only one submission per student will be accepted.
6. Each entry must have only one person appear in the rant. While more than one person may be involved in the production of the rant, only the person who performs the rant is eligible to be considered as a candidate in this contest.
7. All submissions must be the original work of the candidate, and each candidate (and a parent/guardian, where applicant is under the age of 18) must complete a declaration of authorship (available at [www.mun.ca/rant](http://www.mun.ca/rant)).
8. Judging will be done by a panel of not less than three judges chosen from the Office of Student Recruitment, the Division of Marketing and Communications and/or another Memorial University department/unit.
9. Each judge will be shown a list of candidates' names and required to declare that they have no relationship with any candidate. If a judge is unable to make this declaration, another judge will be appointed to the panel.

## **Submitting Entries**

1. An **official entry form** (available at [www.mun.ca/rant](http://www.mun.ca/rant)), which will include the candidate's name, mailing address, email address, home phone number, name of high school, name and contact information for parent/guardian (where candidate is under 18) and **declaration of authorship**, must accompany the submission.
2. Electronic copy of rant and copy of script may be:
  - Uploaded at [www.mun.ca/rant](http://www.mun.ca/rant)
  - Or mailed
3. Mailed submissions must be provided on CD and mailed to:

**Office of Student Recruitment  
Memorial University of Newfoundland  
Arts and Administration, A1002  
St. John's, NL A1C 5S7  
Attn: Jill Hunt**

4. All submissions must be sent (postmarked) by **March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2010**
5. Upon receipt, all submissions become property of the Office of Student Recruitment, Memorial University of Newfoundland, and will not be returned.

## **Prizes**

1. One grand prize winner will receive a prize valued at \$10,000.00 This prize will include tuition and applicable fees at Memorial University for two semesters of full time study (value to be determined); and the remaining funds in cash, to be received in equal amounts over two semesters (a value of \$5,000 per semester). Regardless of whether the winner is a domestic or international student, the value of the prize will not exceed \$10,000.00.
2. Two secondary prizes will be awarded. Each secondary winner will receive a tuition voucher (value to be determined) for two semesters of full time study, which shall not exceed \$2,550 for two semesters.
3. Other tertiary prizes may be awarded as deemed suitable by the judges. Such awards may be, but are not limited to, honorable mention, best writing and best cinematography. Tertiary prizes will be \$200 bookstore gift certificates.

4. To qualify for the prize, winners must:
  - be eligible for admission to Memorial University for Fall 2010 or Fall 2011 (see [admission requirements](#))
  - consent to the use of their full name, hometown and winning submission for promotional purposes, and sign a *permission to use/performance release form* to be mailed out to the author upon selection of the winning submission. (A winner under the age of 18 must have this permission form signed by a parent or legal guardian.)
  - register for and attend five courses at Memorial University in the Fall 2010 and Winter 2011 semesters if winner is currently in grade 12 or equivalent, OR register for and attend five courses at Memorial University in the Fall 2011 and Winter 2012 if winner is currently in grade 11 or equivalent ;
5. If a selected winner cannot meet these stipulations, they will be disqualified.
6. Prize cannot be transferred to any other institution.
7. If any winner should be disqualified or should decline the prize, Memorial University reserves the right to name a runner-up as a winner in their place.
8. The prize becomes valid after the winner has been admitted to Memorial University, registers for classes and attends beyond final drop dates for each semester. Please note: the secondary prizes are designed to cover tuition costs and will be transferred to the winner's student account at Memorial University. No cash substitutes and no tuition refunds permitted. The tuition voucher does not cover the cost of textbooks, educational materials, fees, etc

### **NOTIFICATION**

1. Winning candidates will be notified by telephone by April 9<sup>th</sup> 2010, and will receive an official congratulatory letter that will contain information on applying for admission and other pertinent information.
2. Names of winners will be posted to the website.
3. Those who do not win are thanked for their submissions and, of course, we would be delighted to welcome you at Memorial University of Newfoundland!

**GOOD LUCK!**