**STEVEN** - 17 years old
Former stay in school
scholarship recipient

Steven was the student of Anouk Simpson, teacher in special education and the ambassador for Opération Bonne Mine in 2020.



In anticipation of the stay in school scholarships 2021

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Steven, a special and remarkable teenager

After a tumultuous academic and personal journey, Steven attended Jeanne-Mance secondary school in Montreal. For 3 years, he benefited from multidisciplinary educational, community and social supervision, as well as the invaluable support of his family. "It was this common mobilization around the child that made it possible to create a response in him," explains Anouk Simpson, Steven's teacher at the time.

Around the same time, he then joined the hunting and fishing Club founded by the social worker at his establishment, in partnership with the neighborhood youth center. This decisive experience allows him to develop his sense of belonging, his social skills, his self-esteem and his academic motivation.

Steven's academic and socialization efforts are rewarded in 2019, when he receives the stay in school scholarship. In 2021, he is about to complete his preparatory training for work degree (FPT), is going to discover the world of work and to gain his independence.

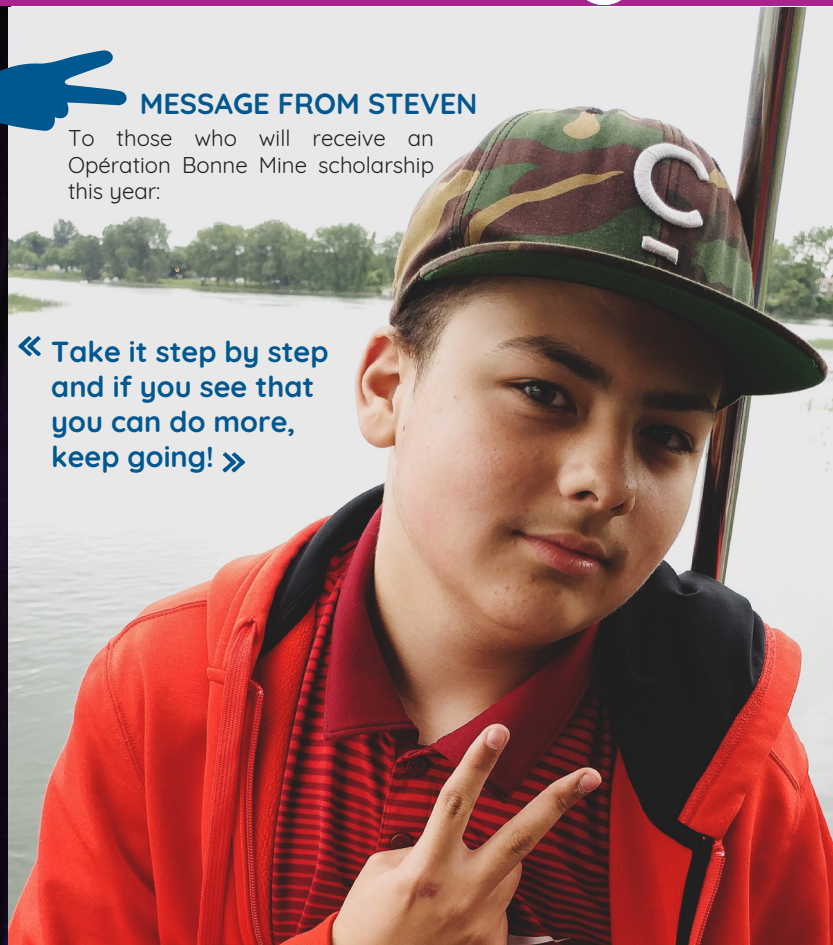
We are very proud that he is today the ambassador of the Opération Bonne Mine stay in school scholarship program.

**Geneviève Dubois**Director of the school perseverance program
Opération Bonne Mine

MESSAGE FROM STEVEN

To those who will receive an Opération Bonne Mine scholarship this year:

« Take it step by step
and if you see that
you can do more,
keep going! »



For 27 years, Opération Bonne Mine has been investing in youth and educational success. Nearly 65,000 children have been supported by this program and more than 744 stay in school scholarships have been awarded.



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