



*Some Things  
Simply Deserve Our  
Best*



Great Canadian Graduations  
2014 - 2015 ORDER GUIDE

**Gaspard**  
since 1909

# Some Things Simply Deserve Our Best

## A HEART FOR STUDENTS

As an educator, you know that some things simply deserve our best – our families, our communities, our country, and of course, our bright young Canadian minds. It's what led you to your passion in the beginning, and it's what keeps you motivated day after spirited day. This same belief guides us as we serve schools.

## A PASSION FOR SERVICE

We know your graduation ceremony will be remembered with fondness and we promise our every detail will help you paint a perfect picture for your big day. From the largest selection of graduation apparel and accessories in Canada, to hassle-free last-minute changes, and *there when you need us* grad regalia pick-up and return, Gaspard believes your celebration also deserves *our* very best.

## A LOVE OF COUNTRY

Just as you envision your students' long-term success, we continue to look to the future as we develop our classically stylish rental regalia line. When you choose Gaspard, you are not only making a choice for premium *Made in Canada* quality, you are also truly embracing an environmentally responsible decision.

## A RESPONSIBILITY TO COMMUNITY

Some of our competitors exclusively offer products which can compromise the health and sustainability of our unique and precious planet. These garments often enter our local landfills and can take hundreds, if not thousands of years to safely break down. When you choose Gaspard and our elegant and classic rental grad gowns, you continue to represent that special stewardship commitment you've long assured our children.

## A COMMITMENT TO YOU!

We know you've grappled with an entire year of meetings, decisions and planning, all for this special parting gift to your students. Of all the details to keep in mind for your graduation ceremony, you can choose Gaspard and rest secure in 100 years of Canada proud big day celebrations.



# Go Green. Go Rental!

## KEEPING CANADA GREEN

More than anything, Gaspard is an effusively proud Canadian company. Our prestige quality rental regalia is designed and manufactured in Canada and distributed from fully serviced offices and customer centres that stretch from the idyllic shores of British Columbia to the majestic cliffs of Newfoundland. As a result of our genuine love of country and all things Canadiana, Gaspard continues to expand and grow its commitment to environmentally friendly and ecologically conscious products and services.

To that end, we are committed to our premium rental regalia line, despite other company's shortsighted focus on profits. This grad season, as always, you can count on Gaspard for immaculate, reusable gowns that truly look and wear first class, while ensuring our one-of-a-kind country remains as always, a shining example of global environmental stewardship.

## WHAT'S NEW FOR THE 2014/15 GRAD SEASON?

Last year Gaspard introduced its first ever National Grad Scholarship Program to much buzz and ado from both educators and community stakeholders alike. With a focus on educating and inspiring Canadian youth to the cause of environmental awareness and responsible stewardship, this year we're taking our initiative one giant Sasquatch step forward through our Green Grads Give Back SPIRIT WEAR program, in conjunction with our eco-friendly partners at the Canadian Wildlife Federation.

See page 6 and 7 for exciting Green Grads Give Back SPIRIT WEAR introduction details!



## 2015 KEEP CANADA GREEN STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS

When Gaspard launched its first ever scholarship program around the cause of environmental education and awareness, we truly believed Canadian students were not only up for the challenge, but would embrace the spirit of the cause with boldness and enthusiasm. They did not disappoint!

From sea to shining sea, Canadian grads participated in numbers, showing us all how much our country and our environment means to them, and in return Gaspard was delighted to present ten \$1,000 scholarship prizes to the very deserving high score winners. This grad season, we've anted up and added a \$2,500 grand prize scholarship to the program in recognition of student participation and excitement for all things "green".

Flip to page 7 and find out how to get your students in the *Keep Canada Green* scholarship game.



Grand Prize  
Scholarship  
**\$2,500!**

and Ten  
**\$1,000**  
Scholarships  
Awarded  
Nationally!

# Student & Faculty Rental Packages

Our rental packages are cost effective, convenient and ensure a graduation with academic tradition and style, not to mention that rental gowns are the most environmentally friendly choice in the market today! From student ensembles to faculty regalia, Gaspard has you covered.



## STUDENT RENTAL PACKAGES

We have taken our most popular graduation items and put them into convenient student rental packages. Choose from the following packages and make your graduation planning hassle free!



### PLATINUM

Rental Gown  
Rental Vee Stole  
Souvenir Cap  
Souvenir Tassel with Year Date Charm



### GOLD

Rental Gown  
Souvenir Cap  
Souvenir Tassel with Year Date Charm



### SILVER

Rental Gown  
Rental Vee Stole



### BRONZE

Rental Gown

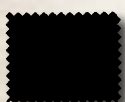
### Rental Gowns

Our rental gowns are manufactured right here in Canada from high quality, durable and wrinkle resistant fabric. We tailor them with premium details and features such as fluting and full cut sleeves to ensure your students look their best on graduation day. Gowns are available in all of our academic colours and in a full range of sizes – see our size chart at the end of this order guide.

### Rental Vee Stoles

We manufacture our vee stoles from the same high quality fabric as our gowns. Vee stoles are a perfect complement to our graduation gowns. While vee stoles are the traditional way of bringing school colours into the academic ceremony, they offer the added benefit of finishing off the gown at the neck line and creating a more complete look. Vee stoles are available in all of our academic colours.

### Academic Colour Choices



BLACK



WHITE



MAROON



EMERALD  
GREEN



GOLD



PURPLE



BLUE



NAVY



RED

Your consolidated student and faculty orders will arrive together three days prior to your graduation and will be individually packaged and alphabetized to facilitate distribution.

## FACULTY RENTAL PACKAGES

Celebrate academic excellence by creating a traditional academic ceremony. By renting regalia for both your students and faculty, you can demonstrate your institution's commitment to academic excellence. Traditionally, faculty members wear regalia representing the university they attended and the degree they received. Gaspard stocks regalia for most Canadian universities – all we need is the name of the university and the degree received and we will take care of the rest.

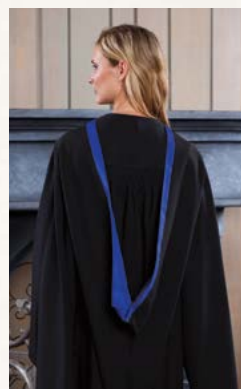
Not only will your graduation show your school's academic excellence, but you will also receive a 10% discount off the cost of your entire faculty order when ordered in combination with your student order.

## FACULTY PURCHASE PACKAGE

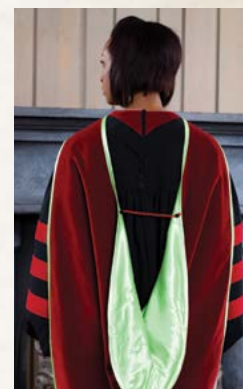
Enjoy the convenience of having your faculty regalia ready when you are. Purchase your own official university gown, personalized hood and faculty cap with tassel. Call for details: [1-800-380-8214](tel:1-800-380-8214).



BACHELOR



MASTER



DOCTORATE

## SOUVENIR PACKAGES

### Student Package

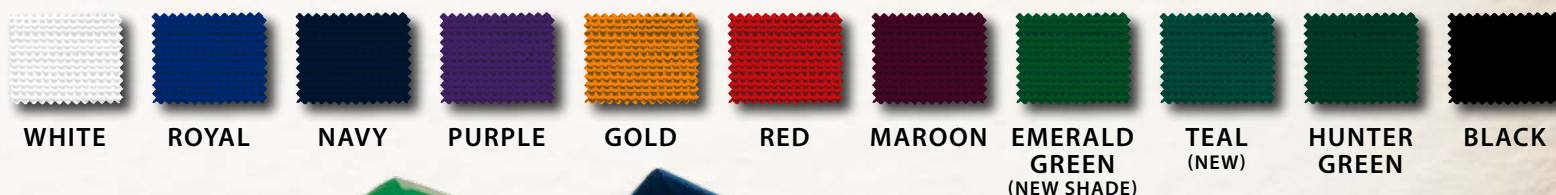
Our souvenir packages provide an alternative option for schools that require a keepsake gown for their students. We offer a variety of fabric options ranging from 100% polyester in a shiny or matte finish, to a 100% polyester gown made from recycled pop bottles. Our standard package consists of a souvenir gown and matching souvenir cap with tassel. A platinum package, including a keepsake vee stole in addition to the standard package, is also available. These lightweight gowns are intended for one time use only. For more information on our souvenir gowns please contact a Gaspard grad representative:

WESTERN CANADA: [1-866-949-5712](tel:1-866-949-5712)

EASTERN CANADA: [1-866-949-5722](tel:1-866-949-5722)

QUEBEC: [1-877-666-4696](tel:1-877-666-4696)

### Academic Colour Choices



# Accessories

Customize student packages with high quality accessories for a more unique and memorable ceremony. Our accessories are available for purchase only.



## SOUVENIR CAPS & TASSELS

### Souvenir Caps

We manufacture our traditional souvenir caps with a specially designed oval inside each cap for the students to collect messages and autographs from their classmates – adding to the keepsake value. Caps are available in all of our academic colours. One size fits all.

### Tassel and Year Date Charm

We manufacture our 9" tassel with 64 strands of chainette for a full appearance and vibrant colour. They are accented with a gold year date charm commemorating the date. Tassels are available in one, two or three colour combinations in all of our academic colours.

### Jumbo Tassel with Year Date Charm\*

We manufacture our 9" jumbo tassels with 192 strands of chainette three times the thickness of our standard tassels. They are accented with a gold year date charm commemorating the date. Tassels are available in solid colours only.

\*Minimum order quantity: 100

## CUSTOM VEE STOLES

Include your school colours in your ceremony with customized vee stoles. Available in a wide variety of colours in one, two or three colour combinations or choose solid white vee stoles to imprint with your school's logo or emblem; all we need is your camera-ready artwork. Our custom vee stoles are available for purchase only and are manufactured in the same fabric as our gowns, for a perfect match.

Call **1-800-380-8214** for further details.



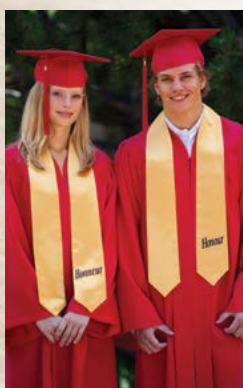
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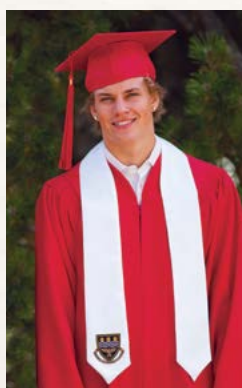
2 COLOUR



3 COLOUR



HONOUR & VALEDICTORIAN STOLES



CUSTOM  
IMPRINTED  
TRADITIONAL  
STOLES

## TRADITIONAL STOLES & CORDS

### Honour and Valedictorian Stoles

Present your honour students and valedictorian with this traditional keepsake. Available in Gold Satin only.

### Honour Cord

For centuries, wearing an honour cord has been the traditional way to recognize honour students. Available in Gold\*.

\*Special order colours: Royal Blue, Red, White, Grey.

### Custom Imprinted Traditional Stoles

Imprint the logo or emblem of your choice – school, academic, sports, or music.

# Easy Step-by-Step Ordering

## 1 MAKE A RESERVATION!

In order to guarantee the availability of your preferred colour choice and package, complete the enclosed Reservation Form and send to us today. The reservation form can also be found on our website at [www.gaspard.ca/order-forms/](http://www.gaspard.ca/order-forms/).

## 2 PLACE YOUR ORDER

We require a preliminary detailed order six to eight weeks prior to your ceremony. Your order cannot be processed without the required forms and ceremony date. You can complete your order by:

- a. Downloading the Excel Graduation Spreadsheet online and following the instructions on our website at [www.gaspard.ca/grad](http://www.gaspard.ca/grad)

### OR

- b. Filling out the order form found online and sending to Gaspard by email or fax:

**RENTAL ORDER EMAIL:** [rental\\_orders@gaspard.ca](mailto:rental_orders@gaspard.ca)

**SOUVENIR ORDER EMAIL:** [orders@gaspard.ca](mailto:orders@gaspard.ca)

**TOLL FREE FAX:** 1-866-977-0024

## 3 SIGN-UP FOR ORDER RETRIEVAL (Optional)

To ensure the most hassle-free graduation ceremony, make sure to sign-up for our order retrieval program. Call your local Gaspard grad representative for more information.

## 4 VERIFY YOUR ORDER

You will receive a Graduation Agreement within five business days of receiving your order. Please follow the steps below once you receive your agreement:

1. Review your Graduation Agreement to ensure accuracy
2. Please notify us by email or fax if any changes to your agreement are required
3. Return a signed copy of the graduation agreement to us:

**RENTAL ORDER EMAIL:** [rental\\_orders@gaspard.ca](mailto:rental_orders@gaspard.ca)

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## Why We're Canada's Number One Choice!

### NO WORRIES Order Convenience

With offices and fully staffed distribution centres stretching from Vancouver to St. John's, Gaspard has the on-site flexibility to deal with the last minute order amendments and ceremony curve balls that can sometimes catch you by surprise on your big celebration day.

### ALL ABOUT YOU Order Processing

We've been celebrating big days with grads across Canada for over 100 years and realize how important this day is for everyone involved! So right from the get-go, the process is all about YOU. Your colour. Your timing. Your special order requests.

### LEAVE IT TO US Order Retrieval

We understand better than anyone that grad days can be busy days, so our cost effective grad gown retrieval service may be just the answer to help lighten your load and keep you relishing in the afterglow of wonderful individual achievements. Our on-site support team are more than happy to look after everything from pick-up to pack up.

Gaspard is committed to reducing the impact our products and services have on the environment.

You can help us by submitting your reservation and order electronically. Both forms can be found on our website at [www.gaspard.ca/order-forms/](http://www.gaspard.ca/order-forms/).



NEW FOR 2014/15!

## SPIRIT WEAR

# Gaspard Green Grads Give Back & Look Good Doing It!



### Gaspard GG Spirit Wear Gives Back to Our Canadian Environment

This year, with every spirit wear purchase, Gaspard will contribute 10% of the purchase price to the Canadian Wildlife Federation's **Adopt-a-Turtle** initiative.



CANADIAN WILDLIFE FEDERATION  
FÉDÉRATION CANADIENNE DE LA FAUNE

ADOPT-A-TURTLE



Several species of turtles in Canada are at risk of becoming endangered primarily due to habitat destruction. Our friends at the Canadian Wildlife Federation have been hard at work tracking, tagging and searching out the nesting sites in order to help ensure we all can enjoy them for generations to come. Each turtle they come across is unique and the effort to save them requires year-round resources to be effective.

For that reason, Gaspard is proud to partner with the Canadian Wildlife Federation for this year's Green Grads Give Back environmental initiative.

Visit [www.cwf-fcf.org](http://www.cwf-fcf.org) to learn more details about how your spirit wear dollars will help to make a difference towards keeping our Canada green for centuries to come.



### Gaspard GG SPIRIT WEAR is a Fabulous Fundraiser

Our Green Grads Give Back SPIRIT WEAR grad celebration line is the perfect supplement fundraiser for your school. We are able to offer cost-effective product pricing, enabling schools to comfortably position GG SPIRIT WEAR to grads, while securing fundraising dollars to support the many additional programs today's advanced education priorities require.

Call your Gaspard representative today for CUSTOMIZED grad class order details!

**WESTERN CANADA:** 1-866-949-5712

**EASTERN CANADA:** 1-866-949-5722

**QUEBEC:** 1-877-666-4696

## Green Grads Spirit Wear Sweats and T's!



## Green Grads Give Back Online Too

Your high school grad students can now individually support Gaspard's Green Grads Give Back environmental initiative as well. With no hassle for you the educator or school administrator, simply direct your student grads to Gaspard's online store at [www.gaspard.ca](http://www.gaspard.ca). Or better yet, encourage your grads to participate in Gaspard's *Keep Canada Green* Online Scholarship Contest. Every student that participates will receive a 15% bonus coupon code upon contest completion. See below for more details.



# Keep Canada Green! Online Scholarship Contest

### Exciting NEW Contest for 2014/15!

With an eye-catching new design format and thought provoking, relevant questions for 2014/15, Gaspard's new contest will be sure to test the knowledge and grit of all those passionate about both our country and our environment. Visit [www.keepcanadagreencontest.ca](http://www.keepcanadagreencontest.ca) to take a quick click-through for yourself and see why so many environmentally savvy,

passionate young Canadian grads across our great land are eager to jump at the opportunity to take part in our exciting online eco-challenge.

### How Do Our Students Qualify?

All you have to do is GO GREEN – GO RENTAL and your grad students are automatically qualified to participate in this unique scholarship opportunity. Call your Gaspard representative toll free today for more exciting details.

### Scholarship Contest Poster

At the back of this order guide you'll find a *Keep Canada Green* Online Scholarship Poster to hang in a prominent area of your school for all your student grads to see. Maybe it will be one of your school's students that win this year!

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Grand Prize  
Scholarship  
**\$2,500!**  
and Ten  
**\$1,000**  
Scholarships  
Awarded  
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\* NO PURCHASE NECESSARY. Contest closes April 10, 2015 at 11:59:59 p.m. CST. Full rules (including details of qualifying transactions/no purchase entry and complete prize description) at [keepcanadagreencontest.ca](http://keepcanadagreencontest.ca). Open to residents of Canada (excluding Quebec). One (1) grand prize of \$2,500.00 and ten (10) prizes of \$1,000.00 available. Distribution of prizes as follows: two (2) prizes (of \$1,000.00 CDN) within British Columbia; one (1) prize (of \$1,000.00 CDN) within Alberta; one (1) prize (of \$1,000.00 CDN) from the collective region containing Saskatchewan, Northwest Territories, Yukon, and Nunavut; one (1) prize (of \$1,000.00 CDN) within Manitoba; three (3) prizes (of \$1,000.00 CDN) within Ontario; one (1) prize (of \$1,000.00 CDN) from the collective region containing Newfoundland and Labrador; one (1) prize (of \$1,000.00 CDN) from the collective region containing Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia; and one prize (of \$2,500.00 CDN) will be awarded to the highest cumulative trivia score in Canada regardless of region. Odds depend on number of eligible entries. Skill-testing question required.

# Size Chart

HEIGHT	SIZE
3'9" - 3'11" (114 - 119 cm)	30
4'0" - 4'2" (120 - 127 cm)	33
4'3" - 4'5" (128 - 136 cm)	36

HEIGHT	SIZE	FULL FIT SUGGESTED
4'6" - 4'8" (137 - 143 cm)	39	—
4'9" - 4'11" (144 - 150 cm)	42	140 lbs. +
5'0" - 5'2" (151 - 158 cm)	45	165 lbs. +
5'3" - 5'5" (159 - 166 cm)	48	190 lbs. +
5'6" - 5'8" (167 - 173 cm)	51	215 lbs. +
5'9" - 5'11" (174 - 181 cm)	54	240 lbs. +
6'0" - 6'2" (182 - 188 cm)	57	265 lbs. +
6'3" - 6'5" (189 - 195 cm)	60	290 lbs. +
6'6" - 6'8" (196 - 201 cm)	63	300 lbs. +



**BE SURE TO  
MEASURE  
HEIGHT  
FROM HEAD  
TO TOE.**

For gown sizes not shown or specialty sizing requirements, please contact your Gaspard grad representative.

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