

# Daniel Scarpino



## Convocation Ceremony:

Friday, June 8th  
2pm

## Program:

Bachelor of Education  
(Consecutive)

## Activities Participated In During Time At Nipissing:

Extracurricular & volunteering - Biidaaban Youth Service volunteer, Holy Name of Jesus Parish Usher, Turning Points Assessment & Evaluation volunteer, Primary/Junior Division representative at the Ontario College of Teacher's annual review of the Bachelor of Education Program at Nipissing University, Intramural sports (basketball, soccer, volleyball), online mentor for student-athlete leaders at Algoma University

While on placements (extracurricular & volunteering) - Respite Care Worker for Special Services at Home for the Ministry of Child and Youth Services, Holy Cross Elementary School girls soccer coach, St. Mary's French Immersion Elementary School volleyball referee, Head Coach of the U18 girls Sault City United Rep Soccer Team (Sault Youth Soccer Club), Associate Coach for the Steel City Rapids Soccer Academy, Assistant Coach for St. Mary's Junior Girls high school soccer team, St. Gregory's Parish Holiday Mass volunteer, St. Vincent Place luncheon volunteer

## Why Should You Be Valedictorian?

"I believe that I should be Valedictorian of my class because I have attained high grades during my time at Nipissing University (92.2% average) while being actively involved in two communities. I have committed myself to excellence inside of the classroom, I have put a premium on maintaining a high standard in the classroom with my colleagues/peers, I have committed to volunteerism in multiple communities, and I have adhered to exceptional levels of professionalism in the process. I have been a positive role model inside of the classroom and in two communities which is a vital quality for the person who is deemed to be Valedictorian. An award as prestigious as this is something that I hold in the highest regard. I would wholeheartedly accept the honour and responsibility of being the Valedictorian for my class of graduates. I have maintained a high level of integrity during my time at Nipissing University. I led class discussions, helped my peers with their school work, and was a leader by example. My high grades are a reflection of taking my academics seriously, turning up to class early, remaining humble, and putting forth a persistent work ethic. My commitment to two separate communities adds to the good work done inside of the classroom. Giving back to the youth in various communities, committing myself to outreach projects, and being an aid for those who need it most is something that I hold near and dear to my heart. Finally, the reason that I should be Valedictorian of my class is because I have upheld moral and ethical standards in my studies and in my community outreach which set the benchmark and standard for what we as teacher candidates should aspire to. I take great pride in representing my class and would be more than honoured to be Valedictorian. "