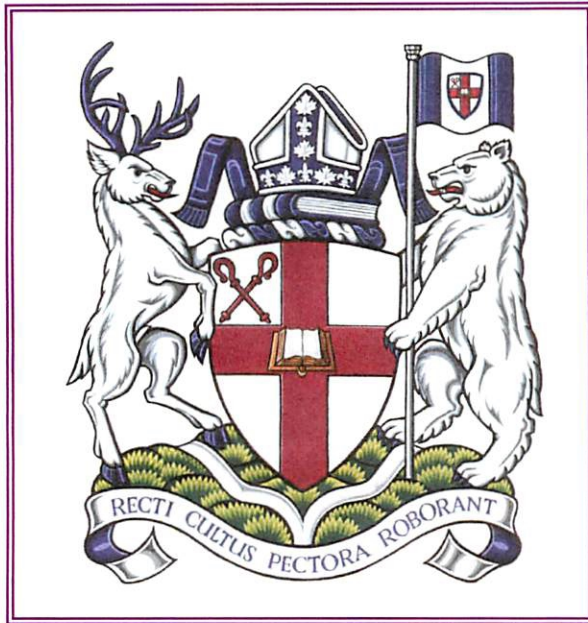


Bishop's University Coat of Arms, Badge and Flag



The new Coat of Arms was presented to Bishop's University by His Excellency the Right Honourable Ramon John Hnatyshyn, Governor General of Canada, at the Sesquicentennial Convocation held December 9, 1993 in Centennial Theatre.

In these Arms, the Cross of St. George, the Book and the Mitre connect us with our historic roots. The crossed croziers in the first quarter symbolize our relationship with the Bishops of Montreal and Québec.

The crest stands on a compartment representing the St. Francis and the Massawippi Rivers flowing through the green hills of the Eastern Townships. The supporters stand for the white-tailed deer and the black bear, both animals native to this area.

The motto featured on the coat of arms,
Recti cultus pectora roborant,
has been translated as
Sound learning strengthens the spirit

The badge consists of crossed croziers behind a purple alligator wearing red bishop's gaiters – an heraldic pun in the ancient tradition. The badge can be used for less formal purposes, such as team uniforms, beer mugs, banners etc.

The flag includes a representation of the basic crest, on a silver background with purple bands.

