

# Catholic Central High School



## Scholarship Handbook





# SCHOLARSHIP HANDBOOK

## Who's eligible for scholarships?

### **YOU ARE!**

### But where to start ??

- 1) Start by looking through this handbook for scholarships to apply for. There are many local, apprenticeship, post-secondary, provincial and national scholarships.
- 2) Places to look for scholarships: your provincial government, your (or your parents) employer or union, clubs or associations that you (or your parents) belong to, as well as businesses, organizations and interest groups who promote awards or bursaries.
- 3) The information in this booklet is not a complete guide of what scholarships, grants and bursaries are available. Check out the websites listed on the following page.
- 4) There is **A LOT** of money out there for students, and this handbook does not contain anywhere close to all of the scholarships, bursaries, or awards available. It takes **HARD WORK** and **TIME** to hunt down other scholarships, awards and bursaries. Don't feel that because your marks are not high enough you will not qualify—there are awards available for students entering particular fields of study, athletic, leadership, community service or bursaries based on financial need, etc.
- 5) At the time this booklet was created, to the best of our knowledge, all the information was correct. However always check the websites for the most up to date information.

# **So what is the difference between Scholarships, Bursaries, Grants and Loans?**

**Scholarships** - money that does not have to be repaid and is often based on some sort of excellence. Some scholarships are one-time cheques while others are money provided for each semester or year. They can also differ in that some are paid directly to the student and some are paid directly to the institution the student will attend.

**Bursaries** - money you do not have to pay back and is usually based on financial need or academic achievement.

**Grants** - money that you do not have to pay back and is often given for a specific purpose or based on financial need or special circumstances.

**Student Loans** - money that must be repaid, with interest (the rate charged for borrowing the money) within a defined period of time. Student loans are usually interest-free while you are in school. After your Period of Study End Date, you are usually given a 6 month grace period before you have to start payments.

## **Timeline for Scholarships**

### **OCTOBER – NOVEMBER**

This is the “kick-off” of the scholarship season for the following school year.

### **DECEMBER — APRIL**

These months are really the “high season” of scholarships. There are millions of dollars up for grabs throughout these months. Deadlines seem to be evenly spread throughout these months. Just know, this is prime scholarship time and you should certainly be working on them during these months.

### **MAY — AUGUST**

These months are the “final stretch” months where everyone is rushing to find final dollars for the fall.

# **Tips for Applying for Scholarships**

## **1. Get Motivated and Do Your Research**

The first step to finding money to help pay for your post-secondary education is the will and motivation to take the time to search and apply for awards. This needs to come from within YOU. You have to be willing to put in the effort and the hours if you want to win money for school. Start as early as possible—even in Grade 11- by researching what's out there and when you need to apply so you are organized. An hour of working at Tim Horton's earns you \$15.00, but an hour of applying for scholarships could earn you \$5,000.

## **2. Look Around**

High school guidance counsellors and university financial aid offices are obvious places to find scholarships, but they're not the only places. Other sources are local businesses such as credit unions and a parent's place of work or professional organizations they're members of. A good old-fashioned internet search is another too, but be careful, if somebody is asking you to pay to apply, it's probably not something you want to do.

## **3. Budget Your Time Effectively**

The truth is, finding the best scholarships is time-consuming and writing an essay and gathering reference letters stops a lot of students from applying. Don't be one of those students. Set some time aside to look and apply.

## **4. Understand the Requirements**

Read the eligibility requirements very carefully. If you are not sure what one of the requirements means, or if it applies to you, ask. It only takes a few minutes to ask questions, versus the time to write an essay for an award you can't win.

## **5. Highlight Your Strengths**

While academic marks are one of the primary criteria, awards committees are looking for well-rounded students too. It's not just about checking all the boxes. Don't discount things you do that might seem mundane but actually show responsibility and maturity. Things like helping your elderly grandparents, or getting your siblings ready to go to school on a regular basis because your parents are working or you are responsible for getting up every morning to milk the cows.

## **6. Pay Attention to Detail**

Just as important as picking the scholarships you are eligible for is making sure you supply everything required to be considered. Dot all the i's, cross all the t's, and in any essay questions, be sure to be very clear that you understand what they are looking for. Check spelling and grammar before submitting, and don't wait until the last minute to submit.

## **7. Don't Forget About the Smaller Awards**

Applying for a \$10,000 scholarship sounds better than applying for a \$2,000 one, but remember the higher the value the more students who will probably apply for it. This is where it becomes important to go for the smaller awards. Five \$2,000 scholarships equal one \$10,000.

# **Common Mistakes Made When Applying for Scholarships**

## **1. Not Reading or Following the Instructions**

- Read the requirements carefully before you begin and recheck them again before submitting.
- Answer the questions clearly and answer every point.
- Be sure you do not exceed the maximum word count or are under the minimum count.
- Try to include keywords from the question in your answer.
- If they ask for references, make sure you include them.

## **2. Not Personalizing Your Application**

- Scholarship committees want to know about you and your experiences.
- Personalizing your response shows your individuality.
- Use specific examples from your life to demonstrate why you should receive a scholarship.

## **3. Giving Incorrect Contact Information**

- Make sure your email, phone numbers and address are all correct. If they can't contact you, they can't give you the scholarship and it will go to someone else.

## **4. Uploading Files That are Incompatible**

- Make sure to follow the instructions if they specify the type of file to use.
- If they don't specify the type of file to use, then the best option is PDF.
- If you use MAC or Google Docs, then convert your files before submitting them.

## **5. Failing to Proofread**

- Before submitting, make sure to proofread your application.
- Print out a hard copy. Errors tend to be easier to spot on a piece of paper.
- Have someone else (friend, parent) review it.
- Use tools like Grammarly (which is free) to do a check.

## **6. Missing the Deadline**

- Set reminders in your cell phone, or mark down on a calendar the deadline dates.
- Start your application early and send it off before the last day.
- Note what time zone the deadline time is in. If they don't say, assume it is EST.

# Scholarship Websites

## **Local Scholarships:**

<https://www.uleth.ca/future-student/awards-and-scholarships>

<https://lethbridgecollege.ca/departments/student-awards-and-financial-aid/awards-and-scholarships>

<https://lethbridgesportcouncil.ca/resources/athletes>

<https://artslethbridge.org/>

## **Alberta Scholarships:**

<https://studentaid.alberta.ca>

<https://alis.alberta.ca/explore-education-and-training/pay-for-your-education/apply-for-free-money-to-pay-for-school/>

<https://www.albertascholarships.ca/>

<https://scholarship-grants.org/canadian-scholarships/alberta-scholarships/more-alberta-scholarships/>

<https://ldalberta.ca/get-involved/scholarships>

<https://computertechalberta.ca/scholarships.html>

## **Canada-wide Scholarships:**

<https://scholartree.ca/>

<https://www.scholarshipscanada.com/>

<https://www.schoolfinder.com/>

<https://studentawards.com/>

<https://www.univcan.ca/programs-and-scholarships/>

<https://yconic.com/>

<https://studentscholarships.org/>

<https://www.universitystudy.ca/plan-for-university/scholarships-grants-and-bursaries-for-canadian-students/>

<https://www.canada.ca/en/services/benefits/education/student-aid.html>

<https://www.disabilityawards.ca/>

<https://accounts.studentlifefnetwork.com/>

<https://thinkag.ca/en-ca/scholarships>

## **Canada—USA Scholarships:**

<https://scholarships360.org/>

## **International:**

<https://www.educanada.ca/scholarships-bourses/index.aspx?lang=eng>

## **F.N.M.I. Scholarships:**

<https://albertametis.com/programs-services/education-scholarships/>

<https://indspire.ca/programs/students/bursaries-scholarships/>

<https://www.ecfoundation.org/grants/student-awards/belcourt-brosseau-metis-award/>

<https://www.sac-isc.gc.ca/eng/1351185180120/1351685455328?srcOS=11&srcDC=10>





# ***Local Scholarships***



## **Kinette Club of Coaldale—Bursary**

Value: \$500.00

Number: One

Criteria: Be a Canadian citizen, plan to be registered as a full-time student in the fall at a post-secondary institution, show dedication and service to the local Coaldale and area community.

Apply: Applications forms are available in the Counselling office.

Deadline: May 1

## **Ray Jolliffe Memorial Scholarship**

Value: \$2,000

Number: One

Criteria: The Ray Jolliffe Memorial Scholarship was established by the Jolliffe Family in 2008 to recognize the contribution of Mr. Ray Jolliffe in the field of theatre production in the community of Lethbridge. This scholarship is awarded annually to a Canadian student pursuing study in the field of “Theatre Production Design and Management” and/or “Media Production and Design” at a recognized Canadian post-secondary educational institutional.

Apply: <https://artslethbridge.org/awards-and-scholarships/>

Deadline: March 31

## **South Country CO-OP Scholarship Program**

Value: \$1000

Number: One

Criteria: The applicant’s family must be a member in good standing of the South Country Co-op Ltd and have purchases no less than \$2,000 in the current fiscal year. Applicants must provide verification of graduation from a high school within South Country Co-op’s trading area. The applicant must include verification of acceptance from a recognized post-secondary institution including proof of paid registration fees. An essay of 500 words or less written by the applicant about the applicant’s past and present community involvement and must be accompanied by one or more community involvement letters of reference.

Apply: <https://www.southcountryco-op.crs/sites/southcountry/membership/detail/south-country-co-op-scholarship-application>

Deadline: July 31

## **St. Basil's Catholic Women's League Grade 12 Scholarship**

Value: \$500

Number: One

Criteria: The intent of the scholarship is to encourage students in the pursuit of further studies while also maintaining an active faith involvement at church, home and school. The scholarship is open to any Grade 12 student attending Catholic Central High School who is applying for further studies at college or university.

Apply: Applications forms are available in the Counselling office.

Deadline: July 15

## **St. Martha's Parish Award**

Value: \$250.00

Number: One

Criteria: St. Martha's Parish offers one scholarship of \$250.00 annually to a graduating Grade 12 student of Catholic Central High School who has been an active parishioner. High achievement is one of the criteria considered by the committee, but the award is not necessarily awarded to the highest achiever from the parish. The intent of the scholarship is to encourage parishioners in the pursuit of further academic excellence while also maintaining an active faith involvement in their parish.

Apply: Applications forms are available in the Counselling office.

Deadline:: June 30

## **St. Martha's Knight's of Columbus Council 9280**

Value: \$500

Number: Four

Criteria: Applicants must be registered in a post-secondary institution. An autobiographical essay, including a description of the applicant's educational objectives, family background, school activities, after school activities, job and parish involvements, must be included. Candidates must submit a transcript of academic achievements. The applicant's application must be accompanied by a letter of support from a school teacher, school principal, guidance counsellor or Parish Priest. Only applicants who haven't received a St. Martha's Knights of Columbus, Council 9280 scholarship in the past will be considered.

Apply: Applications forms are available in the Counselling office.

Deadline: August 15



# APPRENTICESHIP SCHOLARSHIPS



## High School Apprenticeship Scholarship

Value: \$1000.00

Number: Five Hundred

Criteria: Be a Canadian Citizen and a resident of Alberta who has completed the requirements for a high school diploma by June of their graduating year.

Be registered as an apprentice in the Registered Apprenticeship Program OR have successfully completed a Career and Technology Studies apprenticeship pathway through an Alberta high school.

Not be a previous RAP/CTS Scholarship recipient.

Apply: This scholarship program is one that you don't even have to apply for to be eligible! When you register as an apprentice in your My Tradesecrets account you just need to consent and provide your Social Insurance Number. Apprentices must keep their MyTradesecrets profile up-to-date, including their mailing address.

Disbursement: Cheques will be mailed to the address in the recipient's MyTradesecrets profile by November 1.

## Arthur Paulin Automotive Aftermarket Scholarship Award

Value: \$700

Number: Unknown

Criteria: Applicants must be enrolled in an automotive aftermarket industry related program or curriculum at a Canadian college or university. This includes students pursuing their studies as an automotive apprentice. It also includes studies in any of the following automotive sectors: auto body, hard parts, heavy duty, or motive power (machinists).

Apply: <https://www.aiacanada.com/careers-and-training/scholarships/>

Deadline: November 30

## CST (Canadian Scholarship Trust) Foundation Bursaries

Value: \$6,000

Number: Fifty

Criteria: The bursaries are intended for students who can demonstrate financial need. Students must be the first generation in their family to attend post-secondary education. From university degrees to apprenticeships, all Canadian post-secondary education programs are eligible for bursaries. Opens March 1.

Apply: <https://www.cstfoundation.ca/>

Deadline: April 14

## Darren L. Buium Scholarship

Value: \$1,500

Number: One

Criteria: This scholarship award is for students residing in western Canada, who are in financial need, and are entering their first year of an engineering, electrical, technology, or construction-related program at a university of college.

Apply: <https://apply.scholarshipscanada.com/scholarship/darren-l-buium-scholarship-award.ezc>

Deadline: May 31

## First Canada Build a Dream Skilled Trades Scholarship

Value: \$3,000

Number: Two

Criteria: Be a female who has demonstrated strong leadership, is fanatical about science and technology and wants to motivate positive change in the community and has been a part of a *FIRST* Robotic program either through *FIRST* Robotics Competition or *FIRST* Tech Competition.

Apply: <https://www.firstroboticscanada.org/scholarships/>

Deadline: February 15

## Heavy Equipment Parts Express Scholarship

Value: \$500

Number: One

Criteria: To be eligible to apply, please read the guidelines on the website and submit an application along with an essay which is found on the application page. **Note that you can be enrolled in any field of study to win the scholarship.**

Apply: <https://excavatorpartscalifornia.com/dozer>

Deadline: April 1

## TC (TransCanada) Energy Trades Scholarships

Value: \$5,000

Number: Varies

Criteria: For students who are enrolled in a qualifying trades program at a registered education institute. This includes, but is not limited to, mechanical, electrical, instrumentation, welding, pipe fitting and camp related positions.

Apply: <https://www.tcenergy.com/community-investment/scholarships/>

Deadline: Application open in January





# Post-Secondary Scholarships



## **Lethbridge College Awards and Scholarships**

- Value: Over 1 million dollars given to Lethbridge College Students
- Number: Varies
- Criteria: With just one online application, you can apply for all of the awards and scholarships that you qualify for at Lethbridge College. A few minutes of your time can help fund your future.
- Apply: <https://lethbridgecollege.ca/departments/student-awards-and-financial-aid/awards-and-scholarships>
- Deadline: Opens March 1 and closes July 15 for entrance students

## **University of Lethbridge Grade 11 Merit Award**

- Value: \$500 (75-79.9%)  
\$800 (80% and higher)
- Number: Varies
- Criteria: The Grade 11 Merit Award is given to students who fill out the online form by June 30th in their Grade 11 year. It is a simple process — no essays or letters of recommendation are necessary. This award is calculated using your Grade 11 average.
- Apply: <https://www.uleth.ca/ross/student-finance/grade-11-merit-award-application-university-lethbridge>
- Deadline: Opens in September and closes June 30 of your Grade 11 year.

## **University of Lethbridge Board of Governor's Admission Scholarships**

- Value: \$1000 (Grade 12 average of 80% or higher)
- Number: Varies
- Criteria: For students entering the University of Lethbridge in the fall semester. This scholarship rewards students who apply early to uLethbridge. May be combined with other uLethbridge awards, e.g., High School Entrance Awards and the Grade 11 Merit Award. Apply to U of L by December 15 and you'll be automatically considered.
- Apply: <https://www.ulethbridge.ca/future-student/high-school-student-awards>
- Deadline: December 15

## University of Lethbridge High School Entrance Awards

Value: Up to \$6,000

Number: Variable

Criteria: You must first apply for admission to the University of Lethbridge and either be going directly from high school, or without having attended another post-secondary institution. High School awards are available based on your admission average as well as other criteria, such as leadership ability, volunteer experience, financial need, or artistic ability. A separate scholarship application is required for these awards.

Apply: Log in to The Bridge and fill out the General and the Undergraduate scholarship applications online.  
Enter your uLethbridge student ID number and Password  
Click on 'Student'  
Click on 'Apply for uLethbridge Scholarships, Awards and Bursaries' and sign in  
Complete the 'General Application', the 'Undergraduate Scholarship and Awards Application' and any other award opportunities that may appear  
Click 'Finish and Submit' to complete each application before the deadline.

For more information go to:

<https://www.ulethbridge.ca/future-student/high-school-student-awards>

Deadline: March 15

## University of Calgary Entrance Awards

Value: Variable

Number: Variable

Criteria: You must first apply for admission. You will be given access to the award application once you have submitted your application for admission. You can access the award application through [My UCalgary](#). You will need your [eID and password](#) which you created when you applied for admission.

Apply: <https://www.ucalgary.ca/registrar/finances/awards-scholarships-and-bursaries/entrance>

Deadline: March 1

## University of Calgary Pathways To Medicine Scholarship

Value: \$27,000 (over 4 years)

Number: Five

Criteria: This award is for students from low socioeconomic status backgrounds. Consideration will be given to students who have indigenous ancestry and/or from a rural community. Applicants must apply to their undergraduate degree program of choice at the University of Calgary independently. This scholarship applies only to studies at the University of Calgary.

Apply: <https://cumming.ucalgary.ca/future-students/scholarships/pathways-medicine-scholarship>

Deadline: Apply to the University of Calgary by March 1 and complete the preliminary Pathways to Medicine Scholarship application by March 1.

## University of Alberta Entrance Scholarships

Value: U of A awards \$40 million each year in undergraduate scholarships & awards

Number: Variable

Criteria: You must apply to an undergraduate degree program before you can apply for any entrance scholarships. You must be entering university in September of the upcoming year in an undergraduate degree program with fewer than 12 credits of university coursework taken during high school. Your eligibility will be based on your high school admission average at the time of your admission offer. The U of A will assess you for a match for admission-based scholarships. There are application– based scholarships offered as well.

Apply: You will be evaluated for scholarships when you apply for admission at:  
<https://www.ualberta.ca/admissions/undergraduate/tuition-and-scholarships/scholarships-and-awards>

Deadline: Apply for admission by January 5 to be able to apply for scholarships by Jan 15 .

## University of Alberta Bursaries and Loans

Value: Funding is evaluated on individual student needs.

Number: Variable

Criteria: To be eligible for a bursary or loan, you must be able to demonstrate financial need for the current academic year after exhausting all available funding resources and meeting the academic and enrollment requirements.

Apply: <https://www.ualberta.ca/registrar/scholarships-awards-financial-support/index.html>

Deadline: Varies, depending upon which bursary or loan is being applied for.



# Provincial Scholarships



## Alexander Rutherford Scholarship

Value: Up to \$2,500

Values:

Grade 10: Average 75% to 79.9% - \$300    Average 80% or Higher- \$400

Grade 11: Average 75% to 79.9% - \$500    Average 80% or Higher- \$800

Grade 12: Average 75% to 79.9% - \$700    Average 80% or Higher- \$1,300

**Average is calculated from 5 designated courses : Averages are not rounded up for Scholarship purposes.**

**Grade 10:** **One of:** English 10-1, 10-2 or Français 10-1 or 10-2  
**At least two of:** Mathematics 10C, Science 10, Social Studies 10-1 or 10-2, or a language other than one used above at the Grade 10 level.  
**Any two courses** with minimum three credit value at Grade 10 level (1000 or 4000 series) including those listed above and combined introductory CTS courses.

**Grade 11:** **One of:** English 20-1, 20-2 or Français 20-1 or 20-2  
**At least two of:** Mathematics 20-1, or 20-2, Chemistry 20, Physics 20, Science 20, Biology 20, Social Studies 20-1 or 20-2 or a language other than one used above at the Grade 11 level.  
**Any two courses:** with minimum three credit value at Grade 11 level (2000 or 5000 series) including those listed above and combined intermediate CTS courses.

**Grade 12:** **One of:** English 30-1, 30-2 or Français 30-1 or 30-2  
**At least two of:** Mathematics 30-1, 30-2 or 31, Science 30, Social Studies 30-1 or 30-2, Biology 30, Chemistry 30, Physics 30 or a language other than one used above at the Grade 12 level.  
**Any two courses** with minimum five credit value at Grade 12 level (3000 or 6000 series) including those listed above and combined advanced CTS courses .

**Criteria:** Applicants must be a Canadian Citizen or a permanent resident of Canada and an Alberta resident. Be enrolled in a full course load in a designated post-secondary or an apprenticeship program of at least one semester in length. You can only be awarded this scholarship once.

**Apply:** **Applications open early in August.** Apply online once your official high school transcript marks are available, you have completed any high school upgrading credit courses and when you are enrolled in full-time post-secondary studies. You can apply no matter how many years pass before you enroll in post-secondary studies. The Alberta Government Scholarship Program is managed through Student Aid Alberta. For the Alexander Rutherford Scholarships you must create a personal account and verify your identity with Alberta Student Aid. For instructions see: <https://studentaid.alberta.ca/scholarships/>

**Disbursement:** Once your enrollment or attendance has been confirmed by your post-secondary institution, Alberta Student Aid will mail a cheque to you within one month.



## 4 –H Scholarships and Awards

Value: Up to \$2,500

Number: Varies

Criteria: By completing one online application, 4-H members will be considered for all of the 4-H Alberta Scholarships for which they are eligible. Applicants can only receive one (1) 4-H Alberta Scholarship (up to \$2,500), but may also receive a region or district scholarship in the same application year. You must be a past or present member of a 4-H Alberta Club. You may apply for a 4-H scholarship every year that you are a full time post-secondary student at an officially recognized institution. Successful applicants must provide proof that they are attending a post secondary institution as a full-time student. Opens March 1

Apply: <https://www.4hab.com/scholarships>

Deadline: May 1

## AAAF (Association of Alberta Agricultural Fieldmen) Memorial Bursary

Value: \$1000

Number: Five (one for each of the 5 AAAF regions)

Criteria: This bursary is intended for students continuing their education at a college or university. Student must be enrolled in an agricultural or environmental science program, be a resident of Alberta and accepted at a post-secondary institution in Alberta.

Apply: <https://aaaf.ab.ca/about/aaaf-bursary.html>

Deadline: September 1

## AABRD Scholarship (Alberta Advisory Board on Recreation for the Disabled)

Value: \$1,000

Number: One

Criteria: Be an Albertan who is advancing their education in the area of recreation for people with disabilities. Selection for the award is based on: academic record, related course work, memberships, awards, work /volunteer experience in the field of recreation for person persons with disabilities and future plans.

Apply: <https://arpaonline.ca/award/arpa-scholarships/aabrd-undergraduate-and-graduate-scholarships/>

Deadline: June 30

## **Al Larson Memorial Scholarship**

Value: \$2,500

Number: Two -One for a student accepted into a university program,  
- One for a student accepted into a college or technical school

Criteria: These scholarships are awarded annually to children or grandchildren of a member of the Alberta Real Estate Association who are entering their first year of study. Scholarships are awarded based on a combination of a student's performance in academics and extra-curricular activities -- such as fine arts, athletics, charitable works, and volunteerism -- during their high school years.

Apply: <https://www.albertarealtor.ca/page/scholarships>

Deadline: October 31

## **Alberta Baseball Scholarships**

Value: \$1,000 - \$5,000

Number: Varies

Criteria: Baseball Alberta offers many great scholarship opportunities available to all baseball Alberta members for a variety of different purposes and ventures. For more information and to view scholarships, go to the website provided below.

Apply: <http://baseballalberta.com/>

Deadline: October 1

## **Alberta Beef Producers Young Guns Contest**

Value: \$1,000 - 1st Place, \$500 - 2nd Place, \$250 - 3rd Place

Number: One of each

Criteria: Any Alberta resident between the ages of 8 and 21 who is involved in Beef 4-H, junior cattle shows or beef production can enter. Entries may be submitted as a written piece, presentation, video, social media campaign, blog post or media pitch.

Apply: <https://www.cdnangus.ca/event/alberta-beef-producers-young-guns-contest/>

Deadline: September 16

## **Alberta Chapter of The Wildlife Society -Robert Goddard Memorial Scholarship**

Value: \$1,500

Number: One

Criteria: This award is open to students that are presently enrolled in a technical program in the Province of Alberta, focusing on wildlife biology or management, and will be enrolled full-time in September (participating on a co-op work term is also eligible). Program examples include, but are not limited to: Renewable Resource Option (NAIT), Wildlife and Fisheries Major (Lakeland), Renewable Resource Management Diploma (Lethbridge College). Please note that programs in conservation enforcement are not eligible for this award.

Apply: <https://www.actws.ca/awards/>

Deadline: January 20

## **Alberta Equestrian Scholarships**

Value: Amounts vary

Number: Varies

Criteria: There are a number of scholarships available at this site.

Apply: <https://albertaequestrian.com/resources/membership/scholarships-bursaries-and-funding>

Deadline: Dates vary

## **Alberta Foundation for The Arts**

Value: Amounts vary

Number: Varies

Criteria: There are a number of grants available in Drama, Dance, Music, Visual Arts, Crafts and Performing Arts.

Apply: <https://www.affta.ab.ca/funding/find-funding>

Deadline: Dates vary

## **Alberta Golf Foundation Scholarships**

Value: \$1,000

Number: Varies

Criteria: Pursuing a post-secondary education.

Apply: <https://www.albertagolffoundation.org/>

Deadline: July 15

## **Alberta Junior Athletic Award**

Value: \$1,000 up to \$2,000

Number: Alberta Junior Football teams - Thirty awards  
Friends of Alberta Junior Hockey Society - Ten awards  
Prairie Baseball Academy - Thirty awards

Criteria: Applicants must be a Canadian Citizen, and an Alberta resident. Be enrolled in at least 60% of a full course load for the term, be a participant in one of the following junior sports teams:- Alberta junior hockey team- Alberta junior football team- Prairie Baseball Academy. The Alberta Junior Athletic Award recognizes and rewards junior athletes and provides an incentive for athletes to continue with their post-secondary education. Submit your application to your team coach. You must include a current official transcript, and an essay outlining your extracurricular activities and future goals.

Apply: <https://studentaid.alberta.ca/scholarships/alberta-junior-athletic-award/>

Deadline: Unknown

## **Alberta Milk - Alberta Schools Athletic Association Scholarship**

Value: \$1,000

Number: Two- One Male and One Female

Criteria: Be a Grade 12 student, an Alberta resident, who participates in athletic activities and is planning to attend a post-secondary institution in Canada. The award is for students who achieve a balance in school, home and community life.

Apply: <https://www.asaa.ca/recognition/scholarships>

Deadline: June 30

## **Alberta Young Speakers for Agriculture**

- Value: Senior Competition -Champion \$1,000, 1st Runner –up \$500, 2nd Runner-up \$350, Three Honourable Mentions \$150 each  
Junior Competition—Champion \$500, 1st Runner –up \$300, 2nd Runner-up \$150
- Number: One in each category
- Criteria: This is a communications competition at Olds College dedicated to Albertan youth (ages 11-24) who are passionate about agriculture and want to share their passion in a 5-7 minute speech with an interested audience while developing skills in communications and leadership in the agricultural industry.
- Apply: <https://www.albertayoungspeakers.com/>
- Deadline: June 30

## **Anna & John Kolesar Memorial Scholarship**

- Value: \$1,500
- Number: One
- Criteria: Pursuing full-time study in a Faculty of Education. Be an Alberta resident from a family where neither parent has received a university degree. Awarded to the student with the highest academic average in three designated grade 12 subjects. See website for subjects. Opens August 1.
- Apply: <https://studentaid.alberta.ca/scholarships/anna-and-john-kolesar-memorial-scholarship/>
- Deadline: October 31

## **Calgary Stampede Grade 12 Western Art Scholarship**

- Value: \$2000 First Prize, \$1000 Second Prize, \$500 Third Prize
- Number: One for each category
- Criteria: The competition is open to all students who are completing their final year of high school in Calgary or Southern Alberta during the school year. Each student may enter one piece only and must submit an online application. Your ready to hang flatwork or ready to display 3D entry, together with a paper copy of the completed entry form must be ready and delivered between April 10 to 15.
- Apply: <https://www.calgarystampede.com/stampede/attractions/western-oasis/art-show>
- Deadline: April 15

## Calgary Stampede Poster Competition

- Value: \$10,000 First Prize, \$5,000 Second Place, \$2,500 Third Place and more
- Number: One
- Criteria: Talented young artists between the ages of 15-24 from across Alberta are invited to submit their artwork each fall for the chance to design the artwork for the next year's Calgary Stampede Poster. Opens October 1.
- Apply: <https://corporate.calgarystampede.com/foundation/programs/poster-competition>
- Deadline: December 1

## CPA (Chartered Professional Accountants) Alberta Young Emerging Professional Award and The David Bentley FCPA FCA and Janet Bentley High School Award

- Value: \$1,500 -\$2,500
- Number: Three
- Criteria: For students interested in pursuing their Chartered Professional Accounting designation. For more information on these two and other awards, go to the CPA Scholarship website provided below.
- Apply: <https://www.cpaalberta.ca/Foundation/Support-Programs-and-Scholarships/Scholarships>
- Deadline: May 1

## Discovery Awards Bursary - Inter Pipeline

- Value: \$2,000
- Number: Forty Two
- Criteria: This program provides bursaries to high school students who have been consistent academic, have contributed to his or her school or community and who require financial support to pursue a post-secondary education in an industry-related field. The fields include the following fields or any other field associated with Inter Pipeline's business: Accounting, Automated Systems Engineering Technology, Business and Finance, Engineering and Engineering Technology, Industrial Instrumentation Technology, Instrument Mechanic, Investor Relations, Machinist, Millwright and Welder Apprenticeships, Process Operations and Public and Community Relations.
- Apply: Schools nominate a student, so let your Principal or Counsellor know if you would like to be considered for this bursary. Read more about this award at: <https://interpipeline.com/sustainability/community/initiatives/>  
Look under Community Outreach. Go to the bottom of the page to Apply For Funding
- Deadline: June 1

## **Dr. Ernest and Minnie Mehl Scholarship**

Value: \$3,500

Number: One

Criteria: Applicants must be a Canadian Citizen and Alberta resident, have completed Grade 12 in Alberta and must be continuing their studies at a degree granting post-secondary school in Canada. Grade 12 high school students are ranked according to the same criteria as for the Rutherford Scholars.

Apply: Recipients are selected from applications received for an Alexander Rutherford Scholarship. A separate application is not required. More information is available at <https://studentaid.alberta.ca/scholarships/dr-ernest-and-minnie-mehl-scholarships/>

Deadline: Same as for the Alexander Rutherford Scholarships

## **Elmer and Ona Hansen Memorial Fund Scholarship**

Value: 1- \$20,000, 1- \$15,000, 1- \$10,000 and 7- \$5,000

Number: Ten in total

Criteria: Applicants must be Alberta rural young persons enrolled as first-year students at an acknowledged post-secondary institutions that have graduated from high school and must need to leave home to pursue a post-secondary education or trade. This grant is open to all rural youth and 4-H experience is not mandatory to qualify

Apply: <https://www.4hab.com/scholarships/>

Deadline: June 30

## **Florence E. Taylor Charitable Foundation Scholarship**

Value: \$1,000

Number: Varies

Criteria: The Florence E. Taylor Charitable Foundation Scholarship is made available to women through the generous contribution of Florence E. Taylor, a member of Chapter C, Alberta, P.E.O. (Philanthropic Educational Organization) Sisterhood. Applicants must be a resident of Alberta or Saskatchewan and be entering your first or second year of full-time study in your first degree or diploma program. Be studying at a post-secondary institution in Alberta or Saskatchewan, demonstrate financial need, and be sponsored by a P.E.O. Chapter.

Apply: <http://www.peoab-sk.ca/index.php/provincial-philanthropies/florence-e-taylor-charitable-scholarship-fund>

Deadline: Students need to indicate interest to chapter contact by mid-May

## Grant MacEwan United World College Scholarships

UWC is a two-year pre-university school (Grade 12 and Gap Year) for up to 200 students representing about 90 countries, who live, study and grow together in the beautiful Pacific Northwest rainforest on the southwest tip of Vancouver Island in the Province of British Columbia.

**Value:** Tuition, room, board and one return trip home per year. Each scholarship covers both years of the program.

**Number:** Eight

**Criteria:** Applicants must be Alberta residents between the ages of 16 and 17 and-a-half. Applicants are in the process of completing Grade 11. Recipients are evaluated by a selection committee. Scholarships are awarded based on students' academic record, breadth of study, personal accomplishments, community involvement and interest in UWC goals. Opens July 1

**Apply:** <https://studentaid.alberta.ca/scholarships/?c=academic>

**Deadline:** November 1

## Halladay Memorial Scholarship

**Value:** \$1000.00

**Number:** One

**Criteria:** Be a student who is enrolled full-time in any undergraduate program related to recreation and parks and who has contributed to recreation and/or parks services through volunteer activities, work experience, studies and involvement in the Alberta Recreation and Parks Association. Eligible students must be active members of the Alberta Recreation and Parks Association.

**Apply:** <https://arpaonline.ca/award/arpa-scholarships/halladay-memorial-scholarship/>

**Deadline:** Unknown

## IODE (Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire) Coronation Bursary

**Value:** \$1,000

**Number:** Two

**Criteria:** Based on financial need rather than academic achievement. High school students entering any degree granting program in Alberta. Student must have resided in Alberta for at least 3 years prior to the application.

**Apply:** <https://www.iodo.ca/iodo-alberta-coronation-bursaries.html>

**Deadline:** July 15



## **JHEF (John Hasselfield Endowment Foundation) Awards**

- Value: \$400 (The Foundation will not offer funding for post-secondary education)
- Number: Varies
- Criteria: A non-profit society created to provide support to young people who display a wanting desire for personal development and learning through education, sports, music and physical activity, who might otherwise not fulfill that desire because life has put obstacles in their path in ways beyond their control. Students can apply for this scholarship to be used while still in high school.
- Apply: <http://www.johnhasselfield.com/applandselect.html>
- Deadline: Applications are accepted year-round

## **John M. Kerr Memorial Bursary Award**

- Value: \$500 to \$750
- Number: Unknown
- Criteria: Each year The Imperial Sovereign Court of the Wild Rose grants bursary awards to students of the 2SLGBTQIA+ community for any accredited post-secondary education program within the Province of Alberta. Students must write an essay and fill out the application form. Opens in March.
- Apply: <https://iscwryeg.ca/bursary/>
- Deadline: July 3

## **Keyera Energy—Peter J. Renton Memorial Scholarship**

- Value: \$3000
- Number: Two
- Criteria: Applicants must be a Canadian Citizen and an Alberta resident. Applicants must be enrolled full-time in a publicly funded post-secondary institution in Alberta in the first or second year of a degree/diploma program in a field of study supporting the oil and gas industry including, but not limited to business, communications, engineering, technical, programs, information technology etc. Opens August 1.
- Apply: <https://studentaid.alberta.ca/scholarships/keyera-energy-peter-j-renton-memorial-scholarship/>
- Deadline: October 31

## **Ladies Auxiliary, Alberta-N.W.T. Command, The Royal Canadian Legion**

Value: \$500

Number: Varies

Criteria: For Alberta and N.W.T. high school students who are entering their first full-time term of a certificate/diploma or degree in a University, School of Technology, Nursing Program, or a recognized College, in Alberta.

Apply: <https://www.lalegionabnwt.com/>

Deadline: August 31

## **Mancap Foundation Education Grants**

Value: \$5,000

Number: Six

Criteria: Be an Alberta high school graduate entering their first year of studies at an accredited Alberta post-secondary institution, in preparation for starting a business. Demonstrate, through your answers to the questions in the application, entrepreneurial ambition. High marks are not a requirement and financial need is a criteria. A completed application form, a letter of acceptance from an accredited Alberta post-secondary institution, and two letters of recommendation are needed.

Apply: <https://www.mancapfoundation.com/login>

Deadline: July 31

## **Masonic Higher Education Bursaries**

Value: \$5,000 to \$7,000

Number: Thirty for Post-Secondary Students, Two for Pharmacy and Medicine Students

Criteria: Five different bursaries are awarded to students at the post-secondary level of Education in Alberta and the Northwest Territories. Bursaries are awarded on the basis of need and proven scholastic ability.

Apply: <https://mhebf.digitaltea.com/>

Deadline: February 1

## **Mindfuel Science Alberta Scholarship**

Value: \$2,500

Number: Two

Criteria: Must have graduated from an Alberta high school and be entering the first year in an undergraduate applied science or science education program at an Alberta post-secondary institution.

Apply: <https://mindfuel.ca/scholarships/>

Deadline: July 31

## **Pattison Media Equity Scholarship**

Value: \$2,000

Number: Two

Criteria: Students must be a resident of Alberta, Saskatchewan, or Manitoba and be accepted into a full-time recognized broadcast education program at a post-secondary educational institution in Alberta, Saskatchewan or Manitoba.

Preference will be given to members of groups currently underrepresented in the broadcast industry: persons with disabilities, Indigenous persons, women and members of visible minorities. Opens in January

Apply: <https://www.pattisonmedia.com/scholarships>

Deadline: Unknown

## **Pay it Forward Scholarship - Alberta Schools Athletic Association Scholarship**

Value: \$500

Number: One for the South zone

Criteria: Available for school aged students who contribute their time to coaching and officiating in either the school or community. Applicants must be a current grade 12 high school student scheduled to graduate the same year as the application submission. The student must demonstrate their involvement as a volunteer for any grade 10, 11 and 12 year, in either ASAA or community sports. Could be as a Coach, Assistant Coach, Official or Administrative duties such as statistician, team manager, score keeping, video technician, publications, media coverage, etc.

Apply: <https://www.asaa.ca/recognition/scholarships/pay-it-forward-scholarship>

Deadline: June 1

## Premier's Citizenship Award

- Value:** Each recipient receives a letter of commendation from the Premier.
- Number:** One award presented to a student enrolled in each high school in Alberta
- Criteria:** Students must be nominated by their high schools. Applicants must be a Canadian Citizen and an Alberta resident. Be graduating from high school in the current academic year. Alberta high schools can each select one recipient for the Premier's Citizenship Award. Nominees should display outstanding characteristics in citizenship, leadership and community and/or engagement in volunteer work. Students may wish to contact their school administration to be considered for nomination.
- Apply:** Schools must submit a completed and signed Alberta Citizenship Award Application form available at: <https://formsmgmt.gov.ab.ca/Public/ASA12638.xdp>
- Deadline:** June 1

## Queen's Platinum Jubilee Citizenship Awards

### Alberta Heritage Scholarship Fund

- Value:** \$7,000 and a medallion
- Number:** Eight
- Criteria:** Alberta high school students who received the Premier's Citizenship Award are automatically nominated for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee Medallion. Students must also be enrolled full-time in a post-secondary program.
- Information:** <https://www.alberta.ca/queens-platinum-jubilee-awards.aspx#:~:text=Overview,medal%20and%20a%20%245%2C000%20scholarship>
- Deadline:** June 1

## Alberta Centennial Award

- Value:** \$2,005
- Number:** Twenty Five
- Criteria:** Alberta high school students who received the Premier's Citizenship Award are automatically nominated for the Alberta Centennial Award. Students must be enrolled full-time in a post-secondary program for the fall or winter term and have contributed to their communities through outstanding characteristics in citizenship/ social responsibility, leadership and community service.
- Information:** <https://www.alberta.ca/alberta-centennial-award.aspx>
- Deadline:** June 1

## **RMA (Rural Municipalities of Alberta) Post-Secondary Scholarship Program**

Value: \$1000

Number: One in each of the five RMA districts

Criteria: The RMA Scholarship Program is designed to encourage young rural Albertans to pursue further education, and thereby enhance the ability of these young people to make meaningful contributions to their communities in subsequent years. Applicant must be pursuing a course of studies of relevance to local government and/or rural communities, must be in their first four years of study at a Alberta post-secondary institution (unless the chosen field of study is not available in Alberta). Opens May 2.

Apply: <https://rmalberta.com/about/awards-recognition/rma-scholarship-program/>

Deadline: August 31

## **Tiessen Foundation Broadcast Scholarship**

Value: \$750

Number: One

Criteria: Applicants must be a Canadian Citizen, an Alberta resident and graduate from an Alberta high school in the current academic year. Applicants must be enrolled full-time at a post-secondary institution in Canada offering degree or diploma programs in broadcasting, such as TV, radio and broadcasting engineering. Students must apply in the year they graduate from high school and may only apply once for this scholarship. Opens August 1.

Apply: <https://studentaid.alberta.ca/scholarships/tiessen-foundation-broadcast-scholarship/>

Deadline: October 31



# National Scholarships



## **10 Words or Less Scholarship**

Value: \$1,000

Number: One

Criteria: Students must answer the question on the website in 10 words or less and be between the ages of 14-25 who will be attending school in the US or Canada in the fall.

Apply: <https://studentscholarships.org/easy.php>

Deadline: November 15

## **AIA (Automotive Industries Association) Canada High Five Scholarship**

Value: \$1,000

Number: Five

Criteria: Must be a child of a full-time employee in an active AIA Canada member company. The applicant must be enrolled in a full-time post-secondary program leading to a certificate or diploma. Applicant selection is based on academic achievement, skill, extra-curricular involvement, or special abilities.

Apply: <https://aiahighfivesforkids.ca/en/aia-high-fives-for-kids-scholarship/>

Deadline: September 15

## **Bayer Fund Opportunity Scholarship**

Value: \$3,000

Number: Thirty Two

Criteria: Be a graduating grade 12 student entering their first year of post-secondary education in agriculture, food science or a culinary program at a Canadian university or college of their choice.

Apply: <https://www.cropscience.bayer.ca/en/our-company/scholarshipinformation>

Deadline: June 8



## **Burger King Scholars Program**

Value: \$1,000 to \$50,000

Number: Varies

Criteria: Must be living in Canada or the U.S. Be graduating from grade 12, have a high school grade point average of 2.5 or higher and be enrolled full-time at an accredited college, university or technical school in Canada or the United States for the following academic year. Opens October 15.

Apply: <https://www.burgerkingfoundation.org/programs/burger-king-sm-scholars>

Deadline: December 15

## **CABEF (Canadian Agri-Business Education Foundation) Scholarships**

Value: \$2,500

Number: One for Alberta

Criteria: Open to Canadian students who will be full-time students enrolling or currently in an agricultural related program at a Canadian university, college or apprenticeship institution. Applicants will be assessed on a combination of their leadership and a written or video response to a supplied question

Apply: <https://www.cabef.org/scholarships/>

Deadline: April 30

## **Canada Company Cadets & Junior Canadian Rangers Bursary Program**

Value: \$1,000

Number: Twenty Four - Five JCR, Four Sea Cadets, Six Army Cadets and Nine Air Cadets

Criteria: The aim of this program is to recognize Cadets and Junior Canadian Rangers (JCRs) who exemplify attributes of leadership and citizenship and are motivated to pursue post-secondary education, vocation, or other learning opportunities.

Apply: [https://www.canadacompany.ca/en/cadcomp\\_gallery/canada-company-cadets-and-junior-canadian-rangers-bursary-program-launch-event-2019/](https://www.canadacompany.ca/en/cadcomp_gallery/canada-company-cadets-and-junior-canadian-rangers-bursary-program-launch-event-2019/)

Deadline: Unknown

## Canada Company Scholarship Program

Value: \$5,000 per year for up to four years

Number: Unknown

Criteria: Children of military parents killed while serving on an active mission with the Canadian Forces are eligible to receive financial assistance for their postsecondary education from the Canada Company Scholarship Fund. Applicants must be 16 years of age or older and enrolled full-time in post-secondary education.

Apply: <https://www.canadacompany.ca/en/our-initiatives/scholarships/>

Deadline: Unknown

## Canadian Golf Foundation Scholarships

Value: \$1,000 to \$7,500

Number: Varies

Criteria: Golf Canada Foundation encourages the athletic and academic careers of promising Canadian golfers and students of the industry by offering financial assistance through scholarships and awards. All scholarship applicants must be attending, or have been accepted at, a Canadian university or college with a golf program recognized by Golf Canada Foundation. Opens May 1.

Apply: <https://www.golfcanadafoundation.com/collegiate-golf-2/>

Deadline: June 12

## Canadian Lives That Make A Difference Essay Contest

Value: Grand Prize - \$1,500, First Prize - \$1,000

Number: One of each

Criteria: Students enter the contest by writing and submitting an original 300 word essay in English. Check the website for the essay theme for the year. Opens on October 1.

Apply: <https://livesthatmakeadifference.com/index.php>

Deadline: February 28

## Canadian Printing Industries Scholarships

Value: \$1,500

Number: Varies

Criteria: Canadian Print Scholarship students are ideal candidates for a variety of dynamic career paths in graphic communications. If applying for university programs, the applicant must have completed grade 12 with an average grade of 75%. If applying for a college program, the applicant must have completed grade 12 with an average grade of 67%. Applicants will need to submit their final transcript and a one page essay outlining your reason for pursuing this course of study.

Apply: <https://printscholarships.ca/>

Deadline: June 30

## Canadian Women in Municipal Government Scholarship

Value: \$1,000

Number: One

Criteria: This scholarship is open to young women / girls / non-binary individuals enrolled in any year of study in secondary school and who are contributing to their school's leadership team or student council. It is meant to reward and inspire students who take on challenges and try to bring about change that benefits their peers and / or community.

Apply: <https://fcm.ca/en/about-fcm/awards/wilg/canadian-women-in-municipal-government-scholarship>

Deadline: April 11

## CFIG (Canadian Federation of Independent Grocers) National Scholarship Program

Value: \$6,000, \$2,000, \$5,000

Number: One - \$6,000, Six - Regional \$2,000, Two - Regional Video Submission-\$5,000

Criteria: Must be Canadian residents studying in Canada and enrolled in a post-secondary program of at least 2 years. Applicants must be working for a current CFG member or be a family member of a current CFG member.

Apply: <https://cfg.ca/national-scholarship/>

Deadline: July 8

## **CIBC Full Ride Contest**

Value: \$35,000

Number: One - 4 year tuition

Criteria: Open a new CIBC student bank account, credit card, or line of credit before December 31. Then join Student Life Network and you will be automatically entered for a chance to win. Opens January 1.

Apply: <https://www.cibc.com/en/student/scholarships-and-contests/full-ride.html>

Deadline: December 31

## **CAP (Canadian Association of Principals) Student Leadership Awards**

Value: \$250.00

Number: 1 per CAP provincial/territorial affiliate

Criteria: Each school that wishes to participate in the scholarship program is asked to nominate one student leader who has demonstrated outstanding leadership. Nominees should be in the top 20% of their class. Nominations are not based on need. Applicants will be judged on their leadership in school activities, community leadership, academic achievement, an essay, awards and honours. Talk to your Principal or Counsellor if you are interested in this award.

Apply: <https://cdnprincipals.com/>

Deadline: March 1

## **Cara Brown Scholarship**

Value: \$1,500 per year

Number: Two

Criteria: These scholarships are for the post-secondary education for competitive ringette players at the AA level (or at the highest level offered in the applicant's community) who are entering a Canadian university on a full-time basis for the first-time and have demonstrated academic excellence combined with a strong commitment to the sport of ringette.

Apply: <https://www.ringette.ca/athletes/scholarships-awards/>

Deadline: April 30

## **Crohn's and Colitis Canada's AbbVie IBD Scholarship**

Value: \$5,000

Number: Fifteen

Criteria: Be Diagnosed with Crohn's disease or ulcerative colitis, seeking a diploma, associate, undergraduate, or graduate degree from a Canadian university, college or trade school, enrolled in or waiting acceptance from a Canadian-based post-secondary educational institution for the fall semester and demonstrate academic aspirations and strives to sustain an optimal level of wellness.

Apply: <https://crohnsandcolitis.ca/Support-for-You/IBD-Scholarships>

Deadline: May 15

## **CSEG (Canadian Society of Exploration Geophysicists) Foundation University Entrance Scholarships**

Value: \$500

Number: Two

Criteria: The Foundation awards two new university entrance scholarships to high school students. Scholarships are awarded to students who are planning on pursuing a science-based post-secondary education or are the children of CSEG members. Opens April 15.

Apply: <https://cseg.ca/foundation/scholarships/>

Deadline: June 15

## **CST (Canadian Scholarship Trust) Foundation Bursaries**

Value: \$6,000

Number: Fifty

Criteria: The bursaries are intended for students who can demonstrate financial need, and whose financial need may make it difficult for them to continue their studies. Students must be the first generation in their family to attend post-secondary education. The bursary can be used to cover tuition as well as school-related expenses such as books, supplies, or living expenses. From university degrees to apprenticeships, all Canadian post-secondary education programs are eligible for bursaries. Opens March 1.

Apply: <https://www.cstfoundation.ca/>

Deadline: April 14

## Dairy Farmers of Canada (DFC) Here For Tomorrow Scholarship

Value: \$3,000

Number: Five

Criteria: This scholarship is for any student attending a Canadian high school and is not about grades or transcripts – it's about discovering what sustainability means to you and your future. Pick an interesting agricultural career and focus on it in your essay, video or visual arts submission.

Apply: <https://thinkag.ca/en-ca/scholarships/dfc-here-for-tomorrow>

Deadline: May 1

## Darren L. Buium Scholarship

Value: \$1,500

Number: One

Criteria: This scholarship award is for students residing in western Canada, who are in financial need, and are entering their first year of an engineering, electrical, technology, or construction-related program at a university or college.

Apply: [https://www.scholarshipscanada.com/Discover/Article/1/6396/Students-in-Western-Canada-Apply-Now-for-a-\\$1,500-Darren-L.-Buium-Scholarship](https://www.scholarshipscanada.com/Discover/Article/1/6396/Students-in-Western-Canada-Apply-Now-for-a-$1,500-Darren-L.-Buium-Scholarship)

Deadline: May 31

## De Beers Group Scholarships For Canadian Women

Value: \$4,500

Number: Ten

Criteria: Applicants must be entering their first year of an undergraduate program at an accredited Canadian institution in a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) or STEM-related program. Preference will be given to those who are located in Northern Ontario, **Southern Alberta**, Northwest Territories, and Nunavut.

Apply: <https://debeersgroup.scholarshipscanada.com/>

Deadline: July 31

## **Diana Award & Diana Legacy Award**

Value: Certificates, trophies, access to development programs to help grow skills in social action work.

Number: Multiple

Criteria: This award is to appreciate and celebrate the work young people make to society - especially those who are young ambassadors, young leaders, young humanitarians, fund raisers, environmental campaigners, peer mentors, sports leaders and those who inspire others. This award is for young people between the ages of 9 to 25. Opens in May.

Apply: <https://diana-award.org.uk/award/about/>

Deadline: Unknown

## **Don Bossi Leadership & Innovation Scholarship**

Value: \$5,000

Number: One

Criteria: Be enrolled in a Canadian high school and participate on a First Robotics Competition team and going to pursue a major or degree program at college or university in the fields of entrepreneurship or innovation leadership.

Apply: <https://www.firstroboticscanada.org/scholarships>

Deadline: January 31

## **Doreen Kronick Scholarship**

Value: \$1,000

Number: One

Criteria: Is available to post-secondary students with learning disabilities who are enrolled in full-time or part-time study programs. Will be awarded to a person who is pursuing a program of graduate study in a university that will assist learning disabled students. Applications are reviewed according to the following criteria: the student's future educational program leading towards assisting persons with learning disabilities.

Apply: <https://www.ldac-acta.ca/scholarships/>

Deadline: June 30

## **Enriched Academy Scholarship**

- Value: Up to \$1,000
- Number: Five for grade 12 students & Nine for grade 10 and 11 students
- Criteria: Students can either make a video or submit an essay sharing how using Enriched Academy impacted them. Enriched Academy is a computer program used by some Holy Spirit Schools to teach students about financial knowledge and awareness.
- Apply: <https://www.enrichedacademy.com/albertaessay>
- Deadline: Unknown

## **Excellence In AG Program**

- Value: \$2,000 to \$4,000 annually up to a maximum of \$16,000
- Number: Unknown
- Criteria: All applicants must be entering or already enrolled in a diploma or degree program in agriculture or business at an accredited post-secondary institution. This scholarship is a unique scholarship and internship opportunity that helps finance a student's education, provide valuable field experience, and build their professional career in the agribusiness industry. Opens in July.
- Apply: <https://www.agro.crs/more/excellenceinag/excellence+in+ag>
- Deadline: September 15

## **Father Ted Colleton Scholarship Program**

- Value: \$2,000 (First), \$1,500 (Second), \$1,000 (Third)
- Number: One of each
- Criteria: Be a high school student in grade 11 or 12 in Canada. Candidates are required to submit a personal profile, a letter of recommendation and a 1200 word essay on a themed outline presented each year.
- Apply: <http://niagararegionrighttolife.ca/projects/father-ted-colleton-scholarship-program/>
- Deadline: October 6



## **For The Love Of Curling Scholarships**

Value: \$2,500

Number: Eleven

Criteria: To be will be awarded to student curling athletes who have been accepted into a post-secondary education program at a Canadian university or college, have a minimum grade average of 70% and best demonstrate athletic and academic prowess as well as community leadership.

Apply: <https://www.curling.ca/foundation/youth-scholarships/>

Deadline: June 26

## **Foresters Competitive Scholarship Program**

Value: \$2,500

Number: Three Hundred

Criteria: Applicants must be members or be dependent children or grandchildren of an eligible Forester member. All applicants must have performed a minimum of 50 hours of community service in the past 24 months for the 2022/2023 application. Applicants must have a minimum of 80%, and be enrolling in a minimum two-year, full-time undergraduate program of study at an institution in the United States or Canada in the fall. Applicants must have a reference letter and write an essay. Opens December 1.

Apply: <https://www.foresters.com/en-ca/foresters-difference/scholarships#gref>

Deadline: February 27

## **Fraser Institute Student Essay Contest**

Value: \$1,500 (for High School Students)

Number: One

Criteria: There will be three separate categories: high school (grades 9-12), undergraduate, and graduate students. The category definitions are based on your status in the school year. Essay must be between 1,000 and 1,500 words.

Apply: <https://www.fraserinstitute.org/education-programs/students/essay-contest>

Deadline: Unknown

## **Foster Children Bursary Program**

Value: \$2,000

Number: One

Criteria: Applicant must have been a foster child with an official Canadian or American foster care program. Will be enrolled as a full-time student at a recognized general/vocational college or post-secondary institution in Canada or the USA as of September. Applicant must be 24 years of age or less at the time of application.

Apply: <https://www.storwell.com/bursary-application#bursary-application>

Deadline: December 31

## **French For The Future National Essay Contest**

Value: \$1,000 to \$20,000

Number: Ninety-Six

Criteria: This contest is open to students in grades 10, 11 or 12 and who are registered in a French program. Participants are asked to write a 750-word essay on a theme. Students can win scholarships to fifteen partner institutions (U of L is one). Opens October 4.

Apply: <https://www.french-future.org/programs/essay-contest/>

Deadline: December 17

## **G3 Grow Beyond Scholarship**

Value: \$5,000

Number: Six

Criteria: Students must establish and explain their vision and how their studies will help with the future of agriculture in Canada in a one-to-two minute video essay. Scholarships are awarded to students who are beginning their post-secondary education in university or college across Canada in any discipline.

Apply: <https://www.g3growbeyond.org/>

Deadline: Unknown

## Horatio Alger Canadian Scholarships

Value: \$5,000

Number: One Hundred and Sixty

Criteria: Awarded to eligible students across all provinces and territories in Canada. Applicants must be graduating high school with plans to enter university in the fall and be committed to completing a bachelor's degree program, demonstrate critical financial need, be involved in co-curricular and community service activities, maintain a minimum grade of 70%, and display integrity and perseverance in overcoming adversity.

Apply: <https://horatioalger.ca/en/scholarships/>

Deadline: December 1, 2023

## Horatio Alger Vocational & Technical Education Scholarships

Value: \$3,000

Number: Twenty Five

Criteria: Awarded to eligible students across all provinces and territories in Canada. Applicants must have completed high school and be enrolled in a 3 year or less career or technical degree/certificate program in the fall that will lead to employment, demonstrate critical financial need, and display integrity and perseverance in overcoming adversity.

Apply: <https://horatioalger.ca/en/scholarships/>

Deadline: August 15

## House of Commons Page Program

Value: Work part-time at the House of Commons while studying in the National Capital Region

Number: Forty

Criteria: Be a bilingual Canadian citizen and be accepted at one of the universities in the National Capital Region: Carleton University, Saint Paul University, University of Ottawa or Université du Québec en Outaouais. Students need to possess superior interpersonal skills, show sound judgement and be reliable, tactful and courteous and demonstrate an interest in the Canadian parliamentary system. Some of the benefits are: flexible work hours that accommodate class schedules, an attractive salary and travel costs. Opens on September 27 and those applying must be looking to enroll in their first year of university or college the following September.

Apply: <https://www.ourcommons.ca/About/PageProgram/Index-e.html>

Deadline: November 6

## **Ingenious - Canada's Youth Innovation Challenge**

Value: \$10,000 1st place, \$7,500—2nd place, \$5,000 - 3rd place, Regional \$1,000 prizes

Number: One in each category

Criteria: Young people anywhere in Canada 14 to 18 years of age who are innovating to solve real-world problems to make the world healthier, smarter and kinder. Contest opens in October

Apply: <https://ingeniousplus.ca/>

Deadline: Unknown

## **Investintech—CAJ Journalism Scholarship**

Value: \$1,000

Number: One

Criteria: Must submit an example of a work of journalism that shows the application of data skills (use of spreadsheets, web scraping or mapping tool), an explanation of what you did and how you did it, an idea for a project you would like to do and a letter of support from an instructor.

Apply: <https://www.investintech.com/data-journalism-scholarship/>

Deadline: April 28

## **InvestmentZen Financial Future Scholarship**

Value: \$1,000 (US)

Number: One

Criteria: All applicants must be actively enrolled full-time in an accredited college/university in any country. Applicants must submit an essay (500-1500 words) in English answering one of 3 questions found on the website.

Apply: <https://www.investmentzen.com/scholarship>

Deadline: April 1

## Jeremy Dias Scholarship

Value: Unknown

Number: One

Criteria: The ideal winner(s) of this scholarship will be student(s) who have worked to eliminate discrimination within their school or community, as demonstrated by their application essay and references. Those who work within their secondary school or community to address homophobia/heterosexism will be given special consideration. Opens July 26.

Apply: <https://ccgsd-ccdgs.org/scholarships/>

Deadline: August 31

## John Evans Engineering Entrance Award for Women in Engineering

Value: \$5000

Number: One

Criteria: John Evans was a Director and Vice-President of the Canadian Engineering Memorial Foundation (CEMF) and a supporter of women in engineering. His legacy included a donation for an award to be made to a young women entering an accredited engineering program in Canada, from high school and is not based on academic achievement. Opens in November.

Apply: <https://www.cemf.ca/en/awards>

Deadline: March 16

## Kin Canada Bursaries

Value: \$1,000

Number: Fifty Six (Varies, based on contributions)

Criteria: Must be a Canadian citizen and a full-time student in the process of graduating from high school or currently studying or registered at a post-secondary institution. Must complete the current application form and submit it to the Kinsmen, Kinette or Kin Club closest to their permanent residence. Applicants will be evaluated on their community and school involvement, knowledge of Kin Canada and financial need. Opens on October 1.

Apply: <https://www.kinCanada.ca/apply>

Local Kinsmen and Kinette clubs in Lethbridge, Coaldale Taber can be contacted by:

<http://www.lethbridgekinsmen.ca/>

<https://www.lethbridgekinettes.ca/>

<https://www.coaldalekinsmen.com/>

<https://www.taberkinsmen.com/>

Deadline: February 1

## Knights Of Columbus Canadian Scholarships

- Value: \$1,500 renewable each year of undergraduate study to a total of four years.
- Number: Varies
- Criteria: An applicant must be a first-year student of an undergraduate program leading to a bachelor's degree at a Canadian university. Applicants must be a member in good standing of the Knights of Columbus in Canada, the son or daughter of such a member or deceased member. Opens January 1.
- Apply: <https://www.kofc.org/en/what-we-do/scholarships/index.html>
- Deadline: May 4

## Lambda Tuition Award

- Value: \$2,500 annually for four years
- Number: Eleven
- Criteria: The Lambda Scholarship Foundation seeks to advance ARTS, Social Sciences, and STEM research pertaining to Two-spirit, lesbian, gay, bisexual, trans, queer, questioning, plus (2SLGBTQ+) and queer, trans, Black, Indigenous, people of colour (QTBIPOC) communities. The scholarships are offered for eleven different post-secondary institutions across Canada.
- Apply: <https://lambdafoundation.org/awards/>
- Deadline: Unknown

## Leonard Foundation

- Value: \$1,000 to \$1,500
- Number: One Hundred
- Criteria: These scholarships are awarded to students enrolled or enrolling in undergraduate degree programs in a college or university in Canada. Students must be enrolling in their first undergraduate program as a full-time student. All applicants will be considered, but when necessary, preference may be given to **daughters or sons** of ordained clergy, licensed elementary or secondary school teachers, Canadian military personnel, graduates of a Canadian Military College, members of the Engineering Institute of Canada and members of the Mining and Metallurgical Institute of Canada. In addition, they must participate regularly in athletic, fitness or military activities. Personal qualities showing a potential for leadership are also a requirement. A true financial need must be demonstrated.
- Apply: <http://www.leonardfnd.org/>
- Deadline: March 15

## **Lionel High School Chemistry Scholarship**

Value: \$4,000 per year for up to 4 years

Number: Two

Criteria: Show an interest in chemistry related studies, plan to enroll in a BSc program in chemistry, biochemistry or chemical engineering at a Canadian university or a diploma program at a college. Must demonstrate a need for financial assistance and maintain a 75% average throughout their program.

Apply: <https://www.cheminst.ca/wp-content/uploads/2019/04/Terms-of-Reference-Lionel-Scholarshp-2018.pdf>

Deadline: March 1

## **Lisa Huus Memorial Fund**

Value: Varies

Number: Varies

Criteria: Assists youth with disabilities in undertaking or continuing post-secondary education at an accredited institution in British Columbia and in Alberta. Funds can be used for tuition, textbooks, equipment, transportation, residence, and support worker costs. Opens March 3.

Apply: <https://islandkidsfirst.com/bursaries-scholarships/>

Deadline: May 31

## Loran Scholarship Award

Value: \$100,000 over four years

Number: Thirty Six - Loran Scholarships,  
UP to Sixty - Loran Finalists,  
Up to Sixty- Loran Provincial Awards

The Loran Award is open to every graduating high school student from coast-to-coast-to-coast. Renewable for up to four years, it includes an annual tuition waiver and a stipend of \$10,000, access to funding and internships through their summer program, invitations to annual gatherings and forums, and mentorship opportunities. The award is tenable at any of twenty five partner universities.

Loran Finalist Award (\$5,000 one time award)

- \$5,000 one-time entrance award
- Offered to all finalists who attend national selections but are not selected as Loran Scholars
- Tenable at any accredited public university in Canada.

Loran Provincial Award (\$2,000 one time award)

- \$2,000 one-time entrance award
- Offered by our regional committees to an outstanding semi-finalist who is not asked to attend national selections.
- Tenable at any accredited public university in Canada.

Honour Citation

- Granted to students who distinguish themselves at regional interviews but are not offered any of the above awards.
- Certificates are sent to high schools in the summer

Semi-Finalist Certificate

- Issued to students selected for a regional interview who are not recognized in the ways listed above
- Certificates are sent to high schools in the summer

Criteria: Be in the graduating year of uninterrupted full-time studies in high school. Present a minimum cumulative average of 85%. Character, service and leadership are the selection criteria for Loran Awards. Loran scholars are people of strong moral character who have demonstrated academic excellence and potential as leaders. They are curious by nature, interested in a wide range of subjects and willing to take meaningful risks. They prioritize results over appearances and value integrity and honesty. Students are welcome to apply by filling out an application from the website, uploading a transcript and naming a reference. School sponsorship is no longer required.

Apply: <https://loranscholar.ca/our-scholars/>

Deadline: October 12

Note: The University of Alberta, University of Calgary, UBC, University of Victoria and University of Saskatchewan are among the partner universities.



## **MADD Bursary Fund**

Value: \$5,000 to \$10,000

Number: One bursary valued at \$10,000 and additional bursaries valued at \$5,000.

Criteria: Students who have themselves been severely injured or who have had a parent (or legal guardian) or sibling killed or severely injured as a result of an impaired driving crash and who are enrolled in a full-time, ministry-approved, post-secondary educational program for the upcoming academic year. Injuries must be catastrophic or severe and have had a significant impact on the applicants' lives. Proof of injury and relation to impaired driving will be required

Apply: [www.madd.ca](http://www.madd.ca)

Deadline: May 31

## **Mensa Canada General Scholarship**

Value: \$1,000

Number: One or more

Criteria: Applicants must write an essay describing your career goals in 250 words or less and should describe specific goals (academic, vocational, or career), and should contain explicit ideas and information. The essay should include your course of study, which year/level you are in, and the post-secondary institution which you are attending. Describe any steps you have taken, relevant experience gained (e.g., paid or volunteer jobs, classes, honours, offices, organizations) and any difficulties you have overcome in the pursuit of your goal. Applicants must be Canadian citizens enrolled in a full-time program at a Canadian post-secondary institution. Awards are based on applicant's essay. Opens on September 1.

Apply: <http://www.mensacanada.ca/index-e.html>

Deadline: January 31

## **Nelson Civic Leadership Scholarship**

Value: \$10,000

Number: Two

Criteria: This scholarship awards students who have demonstrated academic success, personal strength, and determination in their commitment to civic engagement and leadership. There will be one (1) winner from across the country who will receive a \$10,000 award to be put towards their first year of post-secondary education. Opens May 2.

Apply: <https://pages.nelson.com/scholarship/>

Deadline: Unknown

## **Opterus Helen Rose STEM Award**

Value: \$10,000

Number: One

Criteria: To be eligible for this award, applicants must be between the ages of 16-28 and be pursuing an education in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Math) at a Canadian university or college. Opens April 18.

Apply: <https://opterus.scholarshipscanada.com/index.do>

Deadline: July 14

## **Opterus Valerie Ann Arts Award**

Value: \$10,000

Number: One

Criteria: To be eligible for this award, applicants must be between the ages of 16-28 and be pursuing an education in the Arts at a Canadian university or college. Opens April 18.

Apply: <https://opterus.scholarshipscanada.com/index.do>

Deadline: July 14

## **RBC (Royal Bank of Canada) Future Launch Scholarship**

Value: \$1,500

Number: Five Hundred

Criteria: For Canadian youth between 15-29 years old, enrolled part-time in school or not at all. Grades and transcripts are not required. Can not be working at RBC or be a dependent of someone working at RBC. This scholarship can be used for workshops, short-term courses, certificates or necessary equipment or books.

Apply: <https://www.rbc.com/dms/enterprise/scholarships.html>

Deadline: Unknown

## **Retail Education Scholarship Program**

Value: \$1,000

Number: Sixteen

Criteria: This scholarship program is for students who are enrolled in, or applying to, retail, business, fashion, marketing or any other program that has ties to the retail industry post-secondary programs and currently working part-time or full-time within the retail industry. Opens in January.

Apply: <https://www.retailcouncil.org/resources/education/retail-education-scholarship-program/>

Deadline: April 1

## **RE/MAX Quest for Excellence**

Value: \$1,000

Number: Sixteen

Criteria: To recognize the success and ongoing pursuits of Western Canadian students in regard to leadership and community contribution initiatives. Students are to convey the contributions they have made to their communities in a short online essay, maximum 1,250 words. Key qualities students should demonstrate are leadership, motivation and communication skills. Other attributes may include volunteering, participation in charitable events or fundraising, and contributions that enrich the lives of others and their communities. Opens in September.

Apply: <https://blog.remax.ca/quest-for-excellence/>

Deadline: March 11

## **Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Scholarships**

Value: \$1,000 to \$5,000

Number: Unknown

Criteria: Have participated in the program for a minimum of 24 months and are applying for to a post-secondary institution.

Apply: <https://canadianseacadetscholarships.ca/how-to-apply/>

Deadline: June 30

## Rudder Reid Charitable Foundation

Value: \$5,000 for a University Degree Program & \$3,000 for a College Program (renewable for 2 study periods)

Number: Fifteen

Criteria: Residents in the Maritime Provinces, Alberta and British Columbia may apply for any of the scholarship awards offered. In considering the submission of an RRCF Application, note that RRCF focuses its scholarships on wellness enabling (for example nursing, physiotherapy, dietician, pharmacy, elder care); business (e.g. accounting, economics, statistics and finance); and trade skills training (e.g. electrician, hair dressing). The selection of awardees will take into account the following criteria but not so as to limit the parameters of choice: financial need, academic achievement, integrity, innovation, commitment, demonstrated community service and society needs. Opens in January.

Apply: <https://www.rudderreidfoundation.com/copy-of-education-awards-2>

Deadline: May 31

## St. John Ambulance

Value: Unknown

Number: Unknown

Criteria: They offer bursary and scholarship awards to eligible volunteers who have vision, goals and a commitment to serving their community. If you can demonstrate academic achievement and financial need, if you have leadership qualities and a commitment to high standards in your chosen field of study, if you are dedicated to upholding the ideals of St. John and have a desire to continue to serve your community through St. John Ambulance, then you may be eligible to receive a bursary or scholarship award. Whether you are entering post-secondary education for the first-time or returning to continue your program, St. John Ambulance can support you as you pursue your studies by providing financial assistance through your life as a student. Opens January 1.

Apply: <https://www.sja.ca/en/initiatives/scholarships-bursaries> further details regarding edibility and application forms.

Deadline: March 15

## Schulich Leader Scholarship

Value: \$80,000 to \$100,000

Number: Fifty \$100,000 and Fifty \$80,000

Criteria: Every high school in Canada can nominate one graduating student each year to apply for the scholarship. Canadian Schulich Leader Nominees are selected by their high school from graduating students who are intending to study STEM subjects (Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics) at a participating university. The student must be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident of Canada, be attending a Canadian high school, and possess at least two of the three following attributes:

1. Outstanding community, business or entrepreneurial leadership
2. Academic excellence
3. Financial need.

Schulich Leader Scholarship recipients (Schulich Leaders) are selected by the participating universities in the program. In order to become a Schulich Leader, one must be a Schulich Leader Nominee enrolling in a STEM faculty at a minimum of one of 20 select Canadian universities participating in Schulich Leader Scholarships

In Alberta the participating universities are the University of Calgary and the University of Alberta.

The University of Saskatchewan, UBC, and the University of Victoria are also participants.

Apply: <http://schulichleaders.com>

Deadline: High school must submit nominee by January 31

## Scotia Funds Your Future Contest

Value: \$30,000

Number: One

Criteria: All existing Scotia student clients who have an eligible product and who are attending post-secondary institutions can participate in the contest. All you need to do is complete the contest entry form.

Apply: <https://www.scotiabank.com/ca/en/personal/bank-accounts/students/scholarship-contest.html>

Deadline: January 31

## Scouts Canada Scholarship Program

Value: up to \$6,000

Number: Unknown

Criteria: For support to members of Scouts Canada entering or continuing in full-time studies at Canadian universities or colleges. Candidates will be selected based on the following criteria: demonstrated Scouting history, involvement and achievement, leadership contributions to Scouting, community leadership and contributions outside of Scouting, scholastic achievements and attitude and aptitude. Recipients are expected to continue involvement with Scouts Canada.

Apply: <https://www.scouts.ca/programs/scholarships.html>

Deadline: Unknown

## Soroptimist Women's Opportunity Award

Value: \$1,000 - \$5,000

Number: Unknown

Criteria: Applicants must have dependents, provide the primary financial support for herself and her dependents, have financial need, be enrolled in or accepted to a vocation/ skills training program or under graduate degree program and be motivated to achieve her goals. Opens August 1.

Apply: <https://www.soroptimist.org/our-work/live-your-dream-awards/apply-for-the-live-your-dream-awards.html>

Deadline: November 15

## STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, Math) Horizon Awards

Value: \$25,000

Number: Five

Criteria: Be a Canadian citizen, have been recognized for accomplishments in a formal capacity (e.g. winner or participant of a science fair) or less formal capacity (e.g. volunteer work), an academic average of 80% or higher, and be enrolled in your first year of post-secondary education in a STEAM field at a Canadian institution.

Apply: <https://steamhorizonawards.ca/>

Deadline: January 15

## **Terry Fox Humanitarian Award**

Value: Up to \$28,000 (dispersed over four years)

Number: Varies

Criteria: Be a Canadian citizen in good academic standing, involved in voluntary humanitarian activities and working towards their first university degree or diploma at a Canadian post-secondary institution.

Apply: <https://terryfoxawards.ca/>

Deadline: December 1

## **The Aristotle: A high school philosophy essay contest**

Value: \$500 - 1st Place, \$400 - 2nd Place, \$300 - 3rd Place

Number: One in each category and ten honourable mentions

Criteria: This contest provides high school students interested in philosophy with an opportunity to have their work evaluated and recognized by the largest post-secondary Department of Philosophy in North America (U of T). Students will write an essay of 1200-1500 words that develops and defends a position taken in response to one of three chosen questions found on the website.

Apply: <https://philosophy.utoronto.ca/the-aristotle-a-high-school-philosophy-essay-contest/>

Deadline: June 30

## **The Cover Guy Scholarship**

Value: \$1,000

Number: Two

Criteria: Must be enrolled in a university, college or trades school in Canada or the US for the upcoming school year, must submit an essay of 500 to 1000 words about experience with hot tubs, backyard experiences, how a hot tub improved life, etc.

Apply: <https://www.thecoverguy.com/en-ca/the-cover-guy-annual-scholarship/>

Deadline: July 31

## The Dalton Camp Award

Value: \$10,000

Number: One

Criteria: The Dalton Camp Award is a **\$10,000 prize for the best essay on the link between media and democracy**. Eligible essays written in English up to 2,000 words in length are judged on both subject matter and strength of written expression. Any Canadian citizen or permanent resident of Canada, regardless of age, student or professional status, may enter.

Apply: <https://act.friends.ca/page/90789/action/1?locale=en-US>

Deadline: January 6

## The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award

Criteria: The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award is a global non-formal education and learning framework which recognizes and celebrates young people's achievements outside of the classroom. The Award allows young people to determine what they are passionate about, regardless of their background, culture or access to resources. By creating opportunities for young people to develop skills, get physically active, give service and experience adventure, the Award can play a critical role in their development.

Apply: <https://www.dukeofed.org/>

## TC (TransCanada) Energy Community Leaders Scholarships

Value: \$1,000

Number: Varies

Criteria: In support of students who demonstrate a strong community commitment through leadership, volunteerism, community involvement or other activities that benefit their community and are enrolled in a post-secondary institution for the fall.

Apply: <https://www.tcenergy.com/community-investment/scholarships/>

Deadline: Applications open in January



## **TD (Canada Trust) Community Leadership Scholarship**

Value: \$70,000 (paid over four years)

Number: Ten

Criteria: Have a minimum overall grade average of 75% in their most recent school year and have demonstrated community leadership. "Community leadership" is students who have demonstrated consistent and outstanding dedication to solve a community problem or make their community better as a whole. For example, you may be cleaning up the environment, promoting social justice, or fighting child poverty. Applicants will have to write a 600 word essay. Open in September.

Apply: <https://www.td.com/ca/en/personal-banking/solutions/student-banking/community-leadership-scholarship-for-canadians/>

Deadline: November 15

## **Troop 17 Scholarship**

Value: \$1,000

Number: Five

Criteria: This scholarship is named after the first troop of women to attend the RCMP Academy in Regina, Saskatchewan, and be hired as regular members of the RCMP. Students must be enrolled in a full-time Canadian college or university, demonstrate they have made significant efforts in preventing bullying and harassment in their schools and/or communities and explain how they continue to promote anti-harassment principles in their schools and/or communities

Apply: <https://www.rcmp-grc.gc.ca/en/troop-17-scholarship>

Deadline: March 31

## **UFCW (United Food and Commercial Workers)-Beggs/Dowling/Mathieu Scholarship**

Value: \$1,000

Number: Eighteen

Criteria: These scholarships are for UFCW active members and their family members for post-secondary study. Applying for the UFCW Canada – BDM Scholarship program is easy. You don't have to be an A+ student. All it requires is a passion for learning, enrollment at a post-secondary institution, and just a few minutes to complete the online application. Opens in the fall.

Apply: <https://scholarship.ufcw.org/>

Deadline: Unknown



# First Nations Inuit Métis Scholarships



## **Alberta Blue Cross Entrance Scholarship for Indigenous Students**

- Value: Varies (up to \$1,500 depending on the institution))
- Number: Three
- Criteria: This scholarship is for First Nation, Inuit or Métis students who are completing high school and planning on enrolling in their first year of any full-time post-secondary studies in Alberta. Students will have demonstrated community involvement, achievement of personal goals as well as demonstrate financial need. Scholastic achievement will also be considered. Opens in September.
- Apply: <https://www.ab.bluecross.ca/aboutus/indigenous-scholarships.php>
- Deadline: January 15

## **Alex Tutschek FCPA, FCA Award for Indigenous High School Achievement**

- Value: \$1,500
- Number: Two
- Criteria: Available to grade 12 Indigenous students who are enrolled in or accepted into a business program offered by an Alberta college, polytechnic, or university that offers the prerequisite courses required for entrance into the CPA Professional Education Program (CPA PEP). Preference is given to students who intend to pursue a Chartered Professional Accountant designation. Be a person who not only declares themselves to be an Aboriginal person, but is also either a Status Indian/First Nations, Non-Status Indian/First Nations, Métis or Inuit; planning to pursue a career in business or a professional accountant.
- Apply: <https://www.cpaalberta.ca/Foundation/Support-Programs-and-Scholarships/Scholarships/High-School-Scholarships>
- Deadline: May 1

## **Art L'Hirondelle Dedicated Service Scholarship**

- Value: \$1,000
- Number: Varies
- Criteria: These scholarships are for students pursuing construction-related education opportunities. The scholarships are open to all Aboriginal students, with a preference to Métis students who are enrolled in post-secondary training programs.
- Apply: <http://albertametis.com/2016/10/mna-scholarship-awards/>
- Deadline: October 31

## **ATCO Indigenous Education Scholarship**

Value: \$1,800

Number: Unknown

Criteria: For Canadian Indigenous students enrolled in degree programs who demonstrate leadership capabilities and strive to be role models in their school and communities.

Apply: <https://www.atco.com/en-ca/our-commitment/indigenous-partnerships/indigenous-education-programs.html#>

Deadline: August 15

## **ATCO Indigenous Education Bursaries**

Value: \$12,00

Number: Unknown

Criteria: For Canadian Indigenous students enrolled in trade, diploma or certificate programs who demonstrate leadership capabilities and strive to be role models in their school and communities.

Apply: <https://www.atco.com/en-ca/our-commitment/indigenous-partnerships/indigenous-education-programs.html#>

Deadline: August 15

## **ATCO Indigenous Education Merit Awards**

Value: \$750

Number: Unknown

Criteria: For Canadian Indigenous students completing Grades 9-12, including upgrading, who demonstrate leadership capabilities and strive to be role models in their school and communities.

Apply: <https://www.atco.com/en-ca/our-commitment/indigenous-partnerships/indigenous-education-programs.html#>

Deadline: August 15

## **Bayer Fund Opportunity Scholarship (Preference will be given to two applicants of Canadian Indigenous Heritage)**

Value: \$3,000

Number: Thirty Two

Criteria: Be a graduating grade 12 student entering their first year of post-secondary education in agriculture, food science or a culinary program at a Canadian university or college of their choice.

Apply: <https://www.cropscience.bayer.ca/en/our-company/scholarshipinformation>

Deadline: June 8

## **Belcourt—Brosseau Métis Awards (BBMA)**

Value: \$2,000 to \$10,000

Number: Varies

Criteria: Open to Alberta Métis citizens. Priority is given to students entering their first year of post-secondary education. Students must show financial need and have a connection to the Métis community.

Apply: <https://studentaid.alberta.ca/scholarships/belcourt-brosseau-metis-awards/>

Deadline: March 31

## **Cenovus Indigenous Scholarships**

Value: \$5,000 per year and are renewable for up to four years

Number: Varies

Criteria: Be registered in any full-time program in Engineering Degree (Mechanical, Chemical, Petroleum); Geologist Degree; Business (related) Degree (Accounting); Technologists (Engineering Technologist Diploma, Geoscience Technologist Diploma); Power Engineering Diploma; Data Science/Analytics, Digital Technology or Cybersecurity .

Apply: <https://www.cenovus.com/Careers/Students-and-New-Grads/Indigenous-Scholarship>

Deadline: August 1, November 1, February 1

## First Canada Indigenous Scholarship Award

Value: \$5,000

Number: One

Criteria: First Nation (status and non-status), Inuit and Métis high school students from an Indigenous community, participated in a *FIRST Robotics Competition* and will be using the scholarship to pursue a major or degree program at a college or university.

Apply: <https://www.firstroboticscanada.org/scholarships>

Deadline: March 31

## Honouring Spirit: Indigenous Student Awards

Value: Award Certificate, Honorarium & Blanket

Criteria: These awards are intended to recognize First Nations, Métis and Inuit students who model strength and commitment in the pursuit of their personal education path and embrace their own gifts, strengths and potential while celebrating the ways of their people. Students are nominated by other students, teachers, principals, superintendents, education directors, trustees, school staff, Elders or another member of the education community on their exemplary leadership, honour, courage and commitment to their own education path.

Apply: <https://www.asba.ab.ca/about/awards/>

Deadline: February 8

## RBC Future Launch Scholarship for Indigenous Youth

Value: up to \$10,000 per year (up to 4 years)

Number: Twenty

Criteria: For students who self-identify as Status Indian, a non-Status Indian, Inuit or Métis and demonstrating a strong academic performance and community involvement. Who require financial assistance to pursue their education, have applied to a post-secondary institution in Canada, will maintain a full course load leading to a degree, certification or diploma and show strong potential to successfully complete the program. Study can be in any field but must be a minimum of one year in duration. Opens in September.

Apply: <https://www.rbc.com/dms/enterprise/futurelaunch/indigenous-scholarship.html>

Deadline: Unknown

## **Sam Bull Memorial Scholarship**

Value: \$1,000 per year for university.

Number: Two

Criteria: Applicant must be of First Nations heritage and a resident of Alberta. Enrolled full-time at a university in one of the following programs: law or political science.

Apply: <https://aiicbusiness.org/scholarships/>

Deadline: February 15

## **Senator James Gladstone Memorial Scholarship**

Value: \$750 per year for colleges and technical institutions and \$1,000 per year for university.

Number: Two

Criteria: Applicants must be of First Nations heritage and a resident of Alberta. Enrolled full-time at a college, university, or technical school in one of the following programs: commerce, business administration, accounting or small business development/entrepreneurial studies. Students must possess personal and academic objectives relating particularly to First Nations economic and business development in the First Nations community.

Apply: <https://aiicbusiness.org/scholarships/>

Deadline: February 15

## **Ted Rogers Scholarship**

Value: \$2,500 renewable for two to four years.

Number: One

Criteria: Canadian Indigenous students must be entering into full-time studies in a first bachelor's degree or first diploma program at a Canadian accredited university or college and must be a minimum of 2 years in duration. Opens in January.

Apply: <https://indspire.ca/programs/students/bursaries-scholarships/>

Deadline: March 1



## **TC (TransCanada) Energy Indigenous Legacy**

Value: up to \$5,000

Number: Varies

Criteria: In support of Indigenous students (First Nation, Métis, Inuit or Non-Status) pursuing any full-time, post-secondary program at a registered education institute and would benefit from supplementary education funding.

Apply: <https://www.tcenergy.com/community-giving/scholarships/Canada-En/>

Deadline: June 12

## **TD Scholarship for Indigenous Peoples**

Value: \$15,000 (for a maximum of 4 years)

Number: Twenty Five

Criteria: Regardless of your field of study, scholarships are open to First Nations, Metis and Inuit who are members / citizens of a First Nation, Metis or Inuit community, who have applied for, are enrolled in, or accepted to, a full-time minimum 2-year program with an approved post-secondary institution for the next year of study.

Apply: <https://afoa.ca/td/>

Deadline: March 15

## **University of Lethbridge Nugent Family Award**

Value: \$500

Number: Unknown

Criteria: Students of Indigenous descent attending the University of Lethbridge with a minimum 60% course load, academic achievement and have financial need. Preference is given to students in a Bachelor of Management program.

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Deadline: March 15