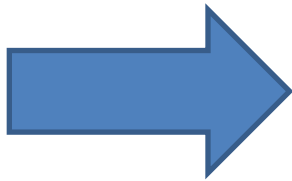


Bursary & Scholarship Information Package 2018/2019



Where do I start?

There are many quality websites we recommend you visit to assist you in finding bursaries and scholarships. Here is where you can start....



www.studentawards.com

www.scholarshipscanada.com

www.canlearn.ca

www.electronicinfo.ca

Recommendations for applying for scholarships

- Start your research early!
- Consult individual university and college websites
- Contact parent and family member workplaces for scholarship and bursary opportunities
- Mark application due dates on your calendar!

PLEASE NOTE: Approximate due dates are based on the 2017/2018 due dates.
Many dates may change as new applications are released.

Scholarship Master List (updated March 2018)

<u>Approximate</u> Due Date	Estimated Value	Scholarship Name	Criteria
October	\$750-2,500 *many scholarships	FAAY – Foundation for the Advancement of Aboriginal Youth www.ammsa.com	- Academics, volunteer and leadership
October	Up to \$75,000	Canadian Merit Scholarship Foundation: Loran Award www.loranaward.ca	- Minimum average 85% and school - Demonstrate character, service and leadership
October 25	Up to \$100,00 (covers 4 years of tuition and residence fees)	University of Toronto National Book Award & Scholarship www.uoft.me/national-scholarship	- Canadian citizen + permanent resident - Attending U of Toronto in Sept. 2019 - Based on superior academics, creative thought, & extra-curriculars
November	\$45,000-\$60,000	University of Toronto featuring the Bank of Montreal National Scholarships www.adm.utoronto.ca/ns	- Academics, volunteer and leadership
November	Up to \$70,000	TD Canada Trust Scholarship for Community Leadership www.tdcanadatrust.com/scholarship 20 across Canada	- Community leadership and academic excellence

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November 24	\$9000/year	Queen's Chancellor's Scholarship Interested students drop by student services to add your name to the interview list. Only 2 nominees per school	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 90% + - Leadership - Creative and original thinking
December 3	\$1500 \$800 & \$500 prizes	Father Ted Colleton Essay Scholarship www.theinterim.ca	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - essay contest - involvement in the pro-life cause
December	\$5,000	Horatio Alger Ontario Scholarship Program Online application at www.horatioalger.ca/en/scholarships	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - college or university destination - critical financial need - extracurricular and community involvement - minimum 65% average
December	Up to \$15,000	Queen's University – Major Admission Awards Chancellor's Scholarship – requires school nomination Chernoff Family Award Dr. Iris May Marsh Memorial Award www.queensu.ca/studentawards/financialassistance/admissionscholarships/major.html	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - superior academic ability - creative and original thinking - proven leadership qualities - <i>(some scholarships consider financial need)</i>
December	\$1,000	Fireside Essay Scholarship www.firesidecatholic.com/essay.htm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - essay contest - open to any student enrolled in a Catholic high school in Ontario
December	varies	www.Studentawards.com ***GREAT PLACE TO START YOUR RESEARCH***	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - leads to many scholarships
January	First prize- free tuition	Brescia University College High School Public Speaking Contest http://brescia.uwo.ca/takethelead	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Female - Intends to attend Brescia University (affiliated with Western)

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January	-several scholarships available	BBPA Harry Jerome Awards www.bbpa.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Black Business and Professional Assoc. - Academic or athletic or leadership awards available - African-Canadian
January	Up to \$4000	Aboriginal Youth Financial Management Conference Awards www.GoToApply.ca	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Aboriginal youth - Interest in finance - essay
January 14	\$2,000	RBC Youth Achievement Award www.cwlc.ca	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - youth who are in care - self-improvement, positive contribution, displayed a positive image
January	Up to \$5,000	Top 20 Under 20 www.top20under20.ca	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - innovation, leadership and achievement
January	\$1,000	Rod and Gun Club Bursary -application www.brantroundgunclub.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - family member OR - program related to Natural Resources / Environmental Studies
January		U of Guelph – 12 students each year President's or Chancellor's scholarships admission.uoguelph.ca/topscholarships	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 90%+ - leadership
January	\$5,000	Toyota Earth Day earthday.ca	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - environmental community service across Canada, academics, leadership
January	Medal, certificate and pin	Ontario Medal for Young Volunteers www.ontario.ca/honoursandawards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Volunteer, leadership, leadership, initiative - Ages 15-24
January	50 awards of up to \$100,000 each	SCHULICH LEADER SCHOLARSHIPS for S.T.E.M. Interested students drop by student services to add your name to the interview list. Only one nominee per school.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Canadian citizen & permanent residence - Plan to enroll in STEM at a partner University - Meet at least 2 of: academic excellence, strong leader, or financial need.

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February	Up to \$4000	RBC Royal Bank Life Skills www.rbcroyalbank.com/lifeskills Several scholarships available through RBC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - hard work, innovations and solid career direction
February	Pin	Lieutenant Governor's Community Volunteer Award	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Community hours - Nomination form
February	\$7,000 Annually (maximum \$28,000 over 4 years)	TERRY FOX (Humanitarian Award) www.terryfoxawards.ca	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - academics, reference, athletics, extracurricular - pursuing post-secondary education - 20 scholarships across Canada
February 1, 2018.	\$1,000	Kin Canada Bursaries (Hal Rogers) www.bursary.ca ***available only to Brantford residents*** Come to student services for an application	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - demonstrate high ideals & qualities of citizenship, financial need
February	\$50,000 Over 5 years	Vari Scholarship/Bursary www.vic.utoronto.ca/Future_Students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Pursuing a future career in Teaching - Attending Victoria College at U of T
February	Up to \$65,000	Western National Scholarship Program www.registrar.uwo.ca/financialservices/nationalscholarship.cfm Several entrance scholarships available	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 90% or above average - Attending Western main campus -
February	\$250	M. Smitiuch Law Scholarship For more information contact Ms. MacDonald in student services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Graduating from ACS - taken CLU 3M - attending university or community college - studying law, law enforcement, criminology

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February	\$4,000	RBC Royal Bank – Aboriginal Student Awards www.GoToApply.ca/RBC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - academics and financial need - aboriginal students
March	Up to \$2,500	ODD Fellows (Allan Simpson) www.fmss.ca/student services/.../scholarships	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - for orphans; both parents deceased - post-secondary

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March 31	\$500-\$700	The Brant Men of Song Tom Rayner & Mel Plant Scholarships 4 awards for students who will be enrolled in a Canadian College or University undergraduate music program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - post-secondary destination in fall - letter of interest
March 29	\$7500 (\$3750/yr for a minimum 2 year program)	BRREA Brantford Regional Real Estate Association Inc. Scholarship Application found at www.brrea.com under “In the Community”	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Brantford and Brant County area high school student going to post-secondary - Application, essay, video/graphic design project
April	\$500	OFSA Alumni Scholarship www.ofsaa.on.ca/programs/scholarships/ofsaa-alumni	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - academics, sports, community involvement - 80% of higher - 1 page letter
April	\$500	Brant Heritage Quilters Guild Go to www.brantheritagequiltersguild.com “scholarship” for application	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fashion arts, creative arts, design in fibre arts – applying to post-secondary for September
April	10 x \$1,500	Municipal Engineer Bursary Award Program www.municipalengineers.on.ca	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - post-secondary engineering - essay - parents must be municipal employees
April	\$1000 - \$5000	Scout Scholarship (Optimists) www.scouts.ca	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - member - application
April	\$500	The Charity of Hope Bursary Program www.charityofhope.com	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - financial need - volunteerism
April	5 X \$1000	KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Bursary www.osc-koc.com	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - child of a member of K of C - financial need - service to church & community
April	Varies	Samuel W. Stedman Foundation Bursary Program Please see Ms. MacDonald in the guidance department for more information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - full-time post-secondary - academics, financial need

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April	SUMMER CAMP	University of Toronto Youth Summer Programs- Faculty of Medicine The program runs from July 10-Aug 4 th and is open to students currently enrolled in Grade 10,11 or 12.	- Each one week, fully paid scholarship for First Nations, Inuit and Metis students.
April	9 X \$1000 And \$2500	Gaspard's Scholarships The contest is entirely online, "quiz-like" in style, extremely educational, and at the same time entertaining. There are no academic requirements, so it is a great opportunity for any student to receive financial aid. The grand prize is a \$2500 scholarship, with an additional ten \$1000 scholarships awarded across Canada. www.keepcanadagreencontest.ca	- graduating this year. - On-line quiz
April	Several \$1,000 scholarships available	OHF -Ontario Minor Hockey Foundation Jim Stirling Scholarship www.ohf.on.ca	- must be registered with OHF
April	2 X \$2,000	Bill Watson Education Bursary www.academicinvest.com	- Physical disabilities - One male and one female scholarship available
April	Several ranging from \$1000-\$3500	Canadian Hospitality Foundation College and University Scholarships www.thechef.ca	- post-secondary in Culinary, Hotel, Tourism Resort, Hospitality
April	\$2,500	AIRD Scholarship, Canada	- Physical disabilities - Enrolling next year in a Canadian college or university

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April	2 X Minimum \$600	CFUW Brantford Trust Awards Applicants must be residents of Brantford or Brant County	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - university, academics, extracurricular, essay - enrolling next year in post-secondary education program - minimum 83%
April 15	\$6000	Mabel and Gordan McMillen Foundation Scholarship <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • application must be typed • interview with principal 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - academic excellence, school & community involvement - proceeding to a Canadian university - fourth and fifth year students eligible.
April 30	Various awards	Scholarship Nomination Form- Assumption Based on School Clubs/Leadership, Community Service, Sports, Employment/Co-op, Hobbies, Parish Involvement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - submit this simple application to Student Services to be nominated for over 50 different awards of varying denominations
May 6	\$4000 (one female and one male)	Linda Lancaster Memorial Award <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • interview will follow – Ms. Melissa Lancaster 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ACS student - Community involvement and “pay it forward” philosophy - Lion Award candidate
May	\$1000	Ted Beare Memorial Bursary This Sports Experience Fund in memory of the Brantford Expositor’s long-time sports writer and editor.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Intended for students proceeding to post-secondary institute in fall in sports-related field such as physical education, kinesiology, sports journalism etc.
May	Unknown amount	Mt Pleasant Optimist Club Post-Secondary Bursary Bursary for students applying to college or university for the fall. Must be a resident of Mt Pleasant. Apply on Facebook https://www.facebook.com/mountpleasantoptimists	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Demonstrate citizenship - Project – specified by the Optimist Club
May	\$1500	<u>Kent Dixon Service Award</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <u>Applications must be saved and typed</u> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Assumption graduating student - Dedication to community and volunteer work

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May	\$1,000	EPILEPSY Scholarship Awards www.epilepsyontario.org. 1-800-463-1119	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - under Doctors care for epilepsy - personal essay under this year's theme
May	Scroll	CEFO - Catholic Student Award Nomination done at the school level.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - School nomination by administration and teaching staff
May	\$50	St Leonard's Perseverance Award Nomination done at the school level.	School nomination by administration and teaching staff
May	1 X \$1000 2 X \$500	Tandia Teachers Credit Union Post-secondary Scholarship TeacherCU.ca.on	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Video describing what high school experience you are most proud of (less than 2 minutes)
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May	\$4000	Mark Dixon Memorial Scholarship - Applications must be saved and typed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Applicants must complete and submit and school lion/letter award - Must put forth significant effort in the areas of academics, athletics, school spirit, family life and community involvement.
May	\$4,000	Shriner's Club (Brantford) Please see Ms. MacDonald in the guidance department for more information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - physical disability - college or university destination
May	Up to \$20,000	James Hillier Scholarship www.jameshillierfoundation.com Please see Ms. MacDonald in the guidance department for more information ***must be attending a high school in Brantford or Brant County	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - pursuing scientific or technological careers - high academics

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May	Up to \$1,000	CYO Girls' Basketball Scholarship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - participated in the CYO Girls basketball program - must have volunteered within the CYO Girls Basketball program
May	\$500	The Lion's Pride Bursary This is award will be granted to one ACS graduating student. Award donated by Mr. Laurence McKenna.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - High level of academic excellence - demonstrated leadership qualities - Financial need
May	\$50/month	CERTIFIED Accountants Association www.cma-ontario.org or www.guidetoruletheworld.ca	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - leadership, school activities, community volunteer, 80% or better. - business studies post secondary
May	\$1,000	KIWANIS Club of Grand River	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - pursue studies in health education or related field
May	1 applicant per school \$250	TEACHER'S Credit Union - Community Commitment Award https://www.teacherscu.on.ca/SharedContent/documents/Awards/2010CA.pdf	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - school & community involvement - resume - academics
June	\$600	Water Environment Association of Ontario Ralph Bradley Memorial Bursary www.digcorp.ca	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Furthering education in agricultural or water management related field - Minimum 70% average
June	12 X \$1,000	OTIP Ontario Teachers' Insurance Plan Bursary Program www.otip.com/bursary Award winners will be randomly drawn	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - OTIP Members, - Application

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June	\$1,500 each	National Union http://www.nupge.ca - members of BGPWU/CUBGW/OLBEU/ OPSEU Several awards available	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Tommy Douglas scholarship-children of union members - Terry Fox Memorial Scholarship-disabilities - scholarship for Aboriginal Canadians - scholarship for Visible Minorities - word essay required for all
June	\$1500	Aberdeen Health and Community Services Foundation Don Townsend Memorial Award	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - pursuing post-secondary program in a pharmacy or pharmacy assistant program
July 7	\$1500	Tommy Douglas Scholarship All children/grandchildren of National Union of Public and General Employees' current/retired members who plan to enter the 1 st year of a Canadian post secondary institution.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 750 to 1000 word essay
July 15	\$1000	Alberta Inglis Scholarship Award: Brant Animal Aid Foundation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Proceeding to any post secondary program directly related to the field of animal health/animal care - Academic performance and financial need - Committed to return to Brantford/Brant County to work in animal care for at least 1 year