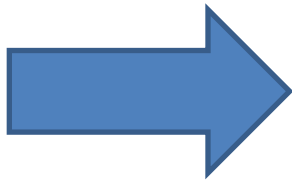


Bursary & Scholarship Information Package 2016/2017



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 2015/2016 due dates.
 Many dates may change as new applications are released.

Scholarship Master List (updated March 2017)

<u>Approximate</u> Due Date	Estimate d 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 School Nominations due now!	Up to \$75,000	Canadian Merit Scholarship Foundation: Loran Award www.loranaward.ca School nomination. Please see Mrs. Chagnon by September 28th, 2016 if interested in this scholarship program.	- Minimum average 85% and school - Demonstrate character, service and leadership
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
December 1, 2016. Applications are available!	\$1500 (plus smaller cash awards)	Father Ted Colleton Essay Scholarship www.theinterim.ca Information available now in student services. See Grade 12 Scholarship board.	- essay contest - involvement in the pro-life cause

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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 2014 - 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)
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

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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.brantrodandgunclub.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
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

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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	\$1,000	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 Mrs Chagnon 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
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 NOW AVAILABLE	\$600-\$700	The Tom Rayner Scholarship 2 awards for students who will be enrolled in a Canadian College or University undergraduate music program Drop by student services to pick up your application!	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - post-secondary destination in fall - letter of interest
April	\$500	OFSAA 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 NOW AVAILABLE	\$500	Brant Heritage Quilters Guild See Mrs. Chagnon 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 \$1,000	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	\$300 - \$500	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	\$300	Anna Mae Simington Scholarship Award To celebrate the life of Anna Mae Simington, the Brantford Impaired Driving Advisory Committee.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Brant County resident - Volunteer work - Students need to be directly or indirectly involved with impaired driving or victim's rights issues.

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April		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 NOW AVAILABLE	Varies	Samuel W. Stedman Foundation Bursary Program Please see Mrs. Chagnon in the guidance department for more information DUE – APRIL 30TH Drop by student services to pick up your application!	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - full-time post-secondary - academics, financial need
April NOW AVAILABLE	SUMMER CAMP	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. Drop by student services to pick up your application!	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Each one week, fully paid scholarship for First Nations, Inuit and Metis students.
April	\$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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - graduating this year. - On-line quiz
April	\$1,000 - \$2000	OHF -Ontario Minor Hockey Foundation Jim Stirling Scholarship www.ohf.on.ca	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - must be registered with OHF
April	\$2,000	Bill Watson Education Bursary www.academicinvest.com	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Physical disabilities - One male and one female scholarship available
April	Several scholarships available	Canadian Hospitality Foundation College and University Scholarships www.thechef.ca	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - post-secondary in Culinary, Hotel, Tourism Resort, Hospitality

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April	\$2,500	AIRD Scholarship, Canada	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Physical disabilities - Enrolling next year in a Canadian college or university
April NOW AVAILABLE	Minimum \$600	CFUW Brantford Trust Awards Applicants must be residents of Brantford or Brant County Drop by student services to pick up your application or download an electronic copy from our school website.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - university, academics, extracurricular, essay - enrolling next year in post-secondary education program - minimum 83%
May NOW AVAILABLE	\$1000	This bursary will be awarded by the Ted Beare Sports Experience Fund in memory of the Brantford Expositor's long-time sports writer and editor. Drop by student services to pick up your application.	<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 NOW AVAILABLE	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		<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
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

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May	\$50	St Leonard's Perseverance Award Nomination done at the school level.	School nomination by administration and teaching staff
May	\$300	Teachers Credit Union Simington Award and Community Commitment Scholarship TeacherCU.ca.on	- volunteer work or OSAID
May NOW AVAILABLE	\$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 NOW AVAILABLE	\$6000	Mabel and Gordan McMillen Foundation Scholarship <ul style="list-style-type: none"> application must be typed interview with principal follows Drop by student services to pick up your application or download an electronic copy from our school website. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> academic excellence, school & community involvement proceeding to a Canadian university fourth and fifth year students eligible.
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 Mrs. Chagnon in the guidance department for more information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> physical disability college or university destination

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May NOW AVAILABLE	Up to \$20,000	James Hillier Scholarship www.jameshillierfoundation.com Please see Mrs. Chagnon in the guidance department for more information ***must be attending a high school in Brantford or Brant County Drop by student services to pick up your application or download an electronic copy from our school website.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - pursuing scientific or technological careers - high academics
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 NOW AVAILABLE	\$500	The Lion's Pride Bursary This is award will be granted to one ACS graduating student. Award donated by Mr. Laurence McKenna. Drop by student services to pick up your application or download an electronic copy from our school website.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - High level of academic excellence - demonstrated leadership qualities - Financial need
May	\$1000	SC Johnson and Son Ltd Diversity Team Scholarship Award See Mrs. Chagnon in Student Services for application	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 1000 word essay on how diversity has enriched your school, home and social development
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

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May	\$600	Water Environment Association of Ontario Ralph Bradley Memorial Bursary www.weao.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Furthering education in agricultural or water management related field - Minimum 70% average
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/2010CCA.pdf	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - school & community involvement - resume - academics
May	\$300	Anne Mae Simington Scholarship Award See guidance counsellor for an application	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - graduating from a Brant County High School - volunteer work - involvement with impaired driving or victim's rights issues
June	\$1,000	Monsignor Roach Scholarship Award CYO Boys Basketball Please see your guidance counsellor for more information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - send packages - 6 years playing basketball - 2 years in a non-playing position (eg. Coach or ref)
June	\$300	P. Lenz Scholarship Award for Excellence in Technology ***Granted to ONE Assumption student *** Please see your guidance counsellor for more information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Trades/apprenticeship - Complete application
June	\$1,000	OTIP Ont. Teachers' Insurance Plan www.otip.com 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 NOW AVAILABLE	\$500 - \$700 (2 bursaries available)	CFUW - WOMEN'S INSTITUTE – bursary Please see Mrs. Chagnon in the guidance department for more information (photocopies of the application available) Applications now available in Student Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - live in Brant County - essay - - female proceeding to university in the fall
July 7 NOW AVAILABLE	\$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. Drop by student services to pick up your application!	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 750 to 1000 word essay