

Scholarships and bursaries

King's University College has a variety of scholarships available. Information is on their website:

<http://www.kingsu.ca/faculties/interdisciplinary-studies/environmental-studies/envs-student-support/scholarships>

Trinity Western University Scholarships are a form of financial aid given by TWU that recognizes your academic achievement. These awards do not require repayment, and are renewable every year. Website:

<https://twu.ca/undergraduate/finances/scholarships.html>

TWU Academic Scholarship for High School Students

President's Scholarship (90.0% +): \$7,000 per year

Provost's Scholarship (85.0% to 89.9%): \$5,000 per year

Dean's Scholarship (73.0% to 84.9%): \$3,000 per year

Entrance Award (65.0% to 72.9%): \$2,000 per year

Ambrose University College – offers a variety of scholarships for athletics, service, and academics. Website: <https://ambrose.edu/content/scholarships-and-financial-aid>

General information about a variety of scholarships organized by the month of application.

September:

Loran Award – Grade 12 students with an academic average above 85%. Students must be well rounded and demonstrate character, promise of leadership and strong commitment to service in their community. Three students can be sponsored by the school with an application deadline of mid-October. Other students can be direct pool applicants with a deadline of late October. Website: www.loranaward.ca

Wendy's Classic Achiever Scholarship - Grade 12 students with an average above 70% with the intent to enter college or university in the next academic year are eligible to apply. Students should also have participated in at least one extracurricular activity and demonstrate involvement in your local community. Application deadline is the beginning of November. Website: www.wendysclassicachiever.ca

University of Toronto National Book Award and Scholarship - Grade 12 students with superior academic performance, original and creative thought, and exceptional achievement in a broad context. Scholarship includes tuition and incidental fees for four year of undergraduate study, residence support in first year, and will include an additional, renewable monetary award. Application deadline is the beginning of October. Website: www.adm.utoronto.ca

The Earl and Countess of Wessex Edmonton 2001 World Championships in Athletics Scholarships – To recognize the top male and female Alberta students who have excelled in track and field, have a strong academic record and plan to continue their studies at the post-secondary level in Alberta. Two awards of \$3,000. Recipients will be selected based on their proven athletic abilities. Deadline is October 01. Website: <http://alis.alberta.ca/et/fo/pay/scholarships/info.html?EK=537>

TD 4-H Scholarship - Ten scholarships of \$2,000 for 4-H members who are graduating and are planning to enroll in post-secondary education in agriculture or agri-business related discipline. Deadline is first week of October. Website: www.4h.ab.ca

TD Canada Trust Scholarships for Community Leadership - Scholarships are open to grade 12 students who have demonstrated outstanding community leadership and obtain a minimum average of 75%. Each scholarship is valued at up to \$70,000 and includes: up to \$10,000 for tuition per year and \$7,500 a year toward living expenses, an offer of paid summer employment, mentorship opportunities, invitations to annual gatherings, networking opportunities and events. Deadline is October 31. Website: www.tdcanadatrust.com

Alberta Blue Cross Scholarships for Aboriginal Students - Aboriginal applicants must have just completed their final year of high school and be entering into their first year of post-secondary studies at an accredited Alberta post-secondary institute. Three awards will be issued each year. Awards range from \$375 - \$1,250. Deadline is September 20. Website: www.ab.bluecross.ca/abor.html

October:

University of Alberta Academic Excellence Award - Current in grade 12 students, with an academic average of 80%, planning to enter the U of A next September, and who did not apply for the Early bird Academic Excellence Scholarship are eligible to apply. Deadline is December 15. Website: www.registrar.ualberta.ca/awards

Alberta Milk Academic Scholarship - Four \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded to students in any year of a diploma or bachelor's degree program for any post-secondary program, although preference will be given to studies in dairy / agriculture or related field. Deadline is the last week of December. www.albertamilk.com

November:

Herbert H. Carnegie Future Aces Foundation Scholarship and Citizenship Award - Thirty scholarships of \$1,000 are awarded across Canada to students who exhibit exemplary citizenship qualities and who are in need of financial assistance to further their educational goals. Each school can forward a maximum of two candidates (one male and one female) each year. Deadline is the last day in January each year. Website: www.futureaces.org/scholarships

DuPont Challenge Science Essay Contest - Students in grades 10, 11, or 12 could win up to \$5000 U.S. and an expenses paid trip to Kennedy Space Center and Walt Disney World in Florida. Students are invited to write an original 700 to 1000 word essay about a science related topic. Deadline is the end of January. Website: www.thechallenge.dupont.com

Toyota Earth Day Scholarship - 15 awards of \$5,000, to be applied directly towards tuition or other educational expenses for the first year of post-secondary full-time studies in Canada. Students must have demonstrated outstanding environmental commitment, community service and leadership during the course of their studies. Students must also maintain a high level of academic achievement. Deadline is the end of January. Website: www.earthday.ca/scholarship

December

Alberta Press Council Scholarship - This scholarship is available to grade 12 students who are enrolling in a post-secondary degree or diploma program. Students must write a well-organized, coherent essay. The essay topic changes from year to year. Application deadline is late February. Website: www.albertapresscouncil.ca

Terry Fox Humanitarian Award Program - 20 renewable awards of up to \$7,000 are awarded annually for students studying towards a first undergraduate degree or diploma in a Canadian university or college. Demonstration of high ideals and qualities of citizenship will be criteria for the selection and renewal of recipients. Other relevant qualities are courage in overcoming obstacles, involvement in humanitarian service and participation in sport, fitness, and community service. Deadline is the beginning of February. Website: www.terryfox.org

Grant MacEwan United World Colleges - Eight scholarships valued in excess of \$25,000 are offered to Alberta students for two years of International Baccalaureate study at United World Colleges. Applicants must be between 16 and 17 ½ years of age and are normally in the process of completing Grade 11. Students must have exceptional academic ability and leadership capability. Website: www.uwc.org

PDK Prospective Educator Scholarship - The Phi Delta Kappa Educational Foundation annually awards scholarships to graduating students intending to enter the field of education. Students must write a 500 word essay, have two reference letters, and a high school transcript. Deadline is the beginning of February. Website: www.pdkintl.org

Kin Canada Bursaries- (Hal Rogers Endowment Fund) The Kinsmen and Kinette Club offers a \$1,000 scholarship to a graduating student who demonstrates high ideals and qualities of citizenship. Deadline is the beginning of February. Website: www.bursary.ca

January

Canadian Association of Principals Student Leadership Award - Twenty-one scholarships of \$500 each will be awarded. The purpose of this award is to afford principals the opportunity to recognize one of their student leaders and to enter that student as a nominee for a national scholarship. The student must be in their graduating year, show leadership involvement in their school and community. Deadline is March 1. Website: www.cdnprincipals.org/awards

University of Alberta Scholastic Distinction Scholarship - Scholastic Distinction Scholarships are intended for the school's top scholars. Nominees should have an average of 95% or higher in Grades 10, 11, and 12 (although some faculties will accept a 90% average). Deadline is the beginning of March. Website: www.registrar.ualberta.ca/awards

University of Alberta Leadership Awards - The Leadership Awards program recognizes students who combine academic achievement with outstanding leadership. Applicants must have a minimum award average of 80% based on grade 11 and grade 12 marks. Applicants are students who play key roles in volunteer and unpaid positions in their school and/or community. Deadline is the middle of March. Website: www.registrar.ualberta.ca/awards

Padgett Scholarship Program - The Padgett Business Services Scholarship Program offers financial support to the dependents of owners of small, independent businesses throughout North America. Deadline is the beginning of March. Website: www.countbeans.com/scholarship

ReMax Quest for Excellence Program - Grade 12 students can earn a \$500 bursary to be used towards further education. Students must write a short essay on one of the following topics: leadership, sports, performing arts, technology or trades, fine arts, or community/volunteer service. Deadline is the first week of March. Website: www.remax-western.ca

Ambassadorial Scholarship-This is a \$20,000 award offered by the Rotary Club Organization. Deadline varies according to each local Rotary Club. Contact must be made with the local Rotary Club for more details. Website: www.rotary.org

Ayn Rand Institute Essay Contest - \$50 - \$10,000 essay contests are given to students who write an essay on one of three possible topics. One contest is for Grade 11 and 12 students only (deadline is the middle of April). There is a separate contest for students in grade 8, 9, and 10 (deadline is the middle of March). Website: www.aynrand.org

The Dalton Camp Award - This is a \$5,000 essay contest awarded to any Canadian citizen or permanent resident of Canada. Deadline is the end of March. Website: www.friends.ca/DCA/

The Leonard Foundation Scholarship-The \$1,000 scholarships available to students who are in financial need planning on enrolling in an undergraduate degree program in Canada. Deadline is the middle of March. Website: www.leonardfnd.org

February

InvestYoung National Leadership Award - This is a \$500 award for a student in grade 12 entering their first year of post-secondary studies who has an interest in Business or Finance. Deadline is mid-April. Website: www.investyoung.org

Servus Credit Union Leaders of Tomorrow Awards - Award recipients will be selected on the basis of time spent in volunteer activities, level of commitment and dedication they make to their volunteer activities, and the impact of their volunteer efforts on the community and other young volunteers. Deadline is mid-April. Website: www.servuscu.ca

John Bright Memorial Award - Presented annually to a high school female and male student who are outstanding in each of the following three areas during their senior high school years: academics, volunteerism, and athletics. Deadline is the end of April. Website: www.canada.com/edmontonjournal

College and University Foodservice - Hospitality Entrance Scholarships - Seven \$3,000 college entrance scholarships and six \$3,500 university entrance scholarships offered to graduating students who are planning on studying one of the following areas of study: culinary, hotel, tourism, events, food and beverage, hospitality, and resort management. Deadline is the end of April. Website: www.chfscholarships.com

Garfield Weston Merit Scholarship for Colleges - Seventy scholarships ranging in value from \$2,500 to \$50,000 are available. This scholarship is intended for graduating students who are planning to study at college rather than university. Students must have a 75% average and be active in their community and demonstrate leadership potential. Deadline is the beginning of April. Website: www.cmsf.ca

The Girl Guides of Canada Scholarship - Fourteen awards of \$2,000 are available to any Girl Guides of Canada registered Members who will be attending a post-secondary institution. Deadline is the beginning of April. Website: www.girlguides.ca

Canadian Office Products Association - First or second year college or university students with a connection to the office products industry who have demonstrated both academic achievement and a community service orientation are eligible for these \$2,000 scholarships. Website: www.copa.ca

Carol Anne Letheren Leadership and Sport Scholarship - This is a national, three-year, \$1,500 per year university scholarship awarded to an outstanding female high school graduate. The applying female needs an 85% academic average and to be an accomplished athlete. Deadline is the middle of April. Website: www.olympic.ca

March:

Alexander Rutherford High School Achievement Scholarship - Scholarship has a maximum value of \$2,500 for average of 75% in grades 10, 11, and/or 12. Deadline is May 1 for post-secondary studies starting in September. Applications must be mailed in. Website: www.alis.alberta.ca/scholarships

Servus Credit Union Community Council Scholarship - These \$500 scholarships are given to grade 12 students in the Spruce Grove - Stony Plain community who are entering a post-secondary institution in Alberta and who have demonstrated skills as an entrepreneur. Students must be pursuing a career in Commerce or Business Administration. Application deadline is late May. Website: www.servuscu.ca

Servus Credit Union Suzanne Mah Scholarship and Servus Credit Union Bursary Program - Students who have demonstrated leadership in school and community while maintaining a high standard of academic achievement by awarding one \$2,500 scholarship, two \$1,000 awards and twenty \$300 bursaries. Applicants must be Servus Credit Union members or children of members; however, students can join by simply opening an account. Deadline is end of May. Website: www.servuscu.ca

Servus Credit Union 4-H Scholarship - Two \$500 scholarships in each Credit Union community are awarded to 4-H members who demonstrate outstanding 4-H achievement, leadership skills, community involvement and academic standing. Students must be entering their first year of study at a postsecondary institution in Alberta within one year of graduation from high school. Deadline is the beginning of May. Website: www.4h.ab.ca

RBC Royal Bank Financial Lifeskills Scholarships - \$2,000 scholarships are available to graduating students with a minimum grade average of 65%. Students must illustrate some involvement in any or all of the following areas: community leadership, extra-curricular activities, special endeavours or circumstances, volunteer service, outside interests and/or hobbies, career and educational objectives. Deadline is the middle of May. Website: www.rbcroyalbank.com/lifeskills

Provincial and Regional 4-H Scholarships - Over \$80,000 of scholarships are available to past or present 4-H members that are enrolled in a post-secondary institution. By submitting one application the student will be considered for all of the Alberta 4-H Scholarships for which they are eligible. Deadline is the beginning of May. Website: www.4h.ab.ca

Aboriginal Health Careers Bursary - Applicants must be Indian, Inuit, and Métis and have been residents of Alberta for a minimum of three years. Awards are valued between \$1,000 and \$13,000 and are given to aboriginal students studying in a health field at a post-secondary institution. Deadline is May 1st. Website: www.alis.alberta.ca/hs/fo/pay/scholarships/info.html?EK=1

Monsanto Fund Opportunity Scholarship - The \$1,500 scholarships are for Canadian high school students from family farms who have successfully enrolled in the first year of a degree or diploma agricultural or forestry program. The scholarship is based on academic standards and leadership in the community. Deadline is mid-May. Website: www.monsanto.ca

Learning Matters Education Charity - Five awards of \$2,500 are given to students entering a post-secondary education program. Students must be able to demonstrate financial need, and one or more of community involvement, academic excellence, and career objectives which will make a positive contribution in Canadian society. Deadline is May 31. Website: www.cst.org/static/public/en/doc/learning_matters_application.pdf

Wal-Mart Canada Community Scholarship - There is a \$4,000 award given to full time students attending a Canadian college or university. Students must fill out the application. Deadline is the end of May. Website: www.walmart.ca/wps-portal/storelocator/scholarships/community_scholarship_form.pdf

Belcourt Brosseau Metis Awards - One hundred awards from \$1,000 to \$10,000 are given to assist Metis students who are Alberta residents. Awards are based on financial need, involvement in the Metis community, volunteerism and personal circumstances. Deadline is the middle of May. Website: www.dollarsforlearners.com

April:

Premier's Citizenship Awards; Queen's Jubilee Citizenship Medal; Alberta Centennial Scholarship – Each high school submits ONE name for the Premier's Citizenship Award. Deadline is June 15. Queen's Jubilee Citizenship Medal and Alberta Centennial Scholarship are considered from the pool of applicants for the first award. Website: www.alis.alberta.ca

Alberta Blue Cross Scholarships for Aboriginal Students - Three scholarships are awarded each year to aboriginal students completing high school and planning on entering post-secondary studies in Alberta. Recipients are chosen based on academic achievements, financial need and community involvements. Deadline is June 1. Website: www.ab.bluecross.ca/abor.html

Dr. Ernest and Minnie Mehl Scholarship - This is a \$3,500 scholarship to a grade 12 student enrolling in a post-secondary degree program. The recipient will be selected based on diploma examination marks, financial need, and personal commitment. Deadline is June 01. Website: www.alis.alberta.ca

National Union of Public and General Employees Scholarships - There are several scholarships available to children of National Union of Public and General Employees members who plan to enter the first year of a Canadian post-secondary institution full time. The scholarship is awarded to the writer of the best 750-1000 word essay on a variety of topics. Deadline is June 30. Website: www.nupge.ca/publications/scholarships

University of Alberta Academic Excellence Award - Students with an 80% average in grade 11 who are planning on attending the University of Alberta may earn between \$500 and \$5,000 depending on their academic average. Deadline is the middle of June. Website: www.registrar.ualberta.ca/awards

University of Lethbridge Grade 11 Merit Scholarship - Students with an 80% average in grade 11 who are planning on attending the University of Lethbridge are encouraged to apply. One hundred scholarships of \$800 each are available. Deadline is the end of June. Website: www.uleth.ca

Alberta Milk Never Stop Scholarship - The Alberta Schools Athletic Association and the Alberta Sport, Recreation Parks and Wildlife Foundation offer s \$1,000 scholarships to graduating students who achieve balance in life, participate in school life and have the promise to do great things later in life. Each school can nominate one male and one female. Deadline is beginning of June. Website: www.asaa.ca

Fraser Institute Student Essay Contest - \$1,000 scholarship is awarded to a high school student who writes a 1000-1500 word essay on a specific topic. Deadline is beginning of June.

Website: www.fraserinstitute.org/education-programs/students/essay-contest.aspx

Canadian Medical Hall of Fame Great-West Life, London Life and Canada Life Scholarship Fund - Students with an 85% average who are aspiring to a career in medicine or the health sciences are eligible to apply for this \$4,000 scholarship.

Applications are due by the middle of June. Website:

www.cdnmedhall.org/studentprograms/scholarships

May:

Anna & John Kolesar Memorial Scholarship - \$1,500 scholarship will be awarded to the applicant with the highest academic average in three designated grade 12 subjects (English 30-1 or 30-2 must be one of the subjects). Applicants must be planning on enrolling in an Education program and must be from a family where neither parent has a university degree. Deadline is July 01. Website: www.alis.alberta.ca

Cargill 4-H Scholarship - Five \$1,000 scholarships are available for educational purposes such as university, college or technical school. The scholarship must be applied for within two years of graduation from high school. Deadline is mid-July. Website: www.4h.ab.ca

APEGGA University Entrance Scholarship - The Association of Professional Engineers, Geologists, and Geophysicists of Alberta (APEGGA) offers twelve \$3,000 scholarships to Alberta high school graduates entering the faculty of Engineering or the Department of Geology or Geophysics at a post-secondary institution in Alberta. The scholarship is based on academic marks, extracurricular activities, reference letters, financial need and a student statement. Deadline is mid-July. Website: www.apegga.org

AAMDC Scholarship - The Alberta Association of Municipal Districts and Counties (AAMDC) offer a \$1,000 scholarship to one successful applicant in each of the five AAMDC districts. In order to be eligible the student must be a graduating student from a rural area. The student must be registered to start a post-secondary program in a course of studies related to local government and / or rural communities. Deadline is the end of July. Website: www.aamdc.com

Luke Santi Memorial Award For Student Achievement - One award of \$1,000 will be made each year to a graduating high school student who has been accepted into a full-time academic program in Physical Sciences at a Canadian university in the fall. The successful student is expected to direct the award towards tuition for studies in Physics. Deadline is July 30th. Website: www.perimeterinstitute.ca/outreach

June:

AON Consulting Achievement Award - This is a \$2,000 award given to a student with at least a 75% average. The student must be a child of a member of the Federation of Alberta Gas Co-ops or a child of a landowner who is serviced with natural gas in towns and counties. Application deadline is August 30. Phone the local office at 780-963-3311. Website: www.steannegas.com/scholarships

Bill Kehler Memorial Award - Four awards of \$2,500 will be awarded each year. The Bill Kehler Award is open to students who have completed grade 12 and are pursuing post-secondary education with academic interests in broadcasting or agriculture. Individuals in professional rodeo will also be able to apply for an award to support their post-secondary studies. Deadline is the end of August. Phone the Northlands office at 780-471-7210. Website: www.canadianfinalsrodeo.ca

Ways to find out more

www.alis.alberta.ca/scholarships

www.canlearn.ca

www.studentsawards.com

www.scholarshipscanada.com

www.studentscholarships.org