

ALBERTA HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP LIST

Welcome to this 'starter pack' of scholarships designed for graduating high school students. We make every effort to keep this updated - if you notice any errors, or have questions about this list, please contact your Career Practitioner for clarification!

FALL/WINTER APPLICATION DEADLINES

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Johnathan Doody Memorial Scholarship	In order to qualify for the Johnathan Doody Memorial Scholarship, the applicant must be a male student enrolling in his first year of full-time undergraduate studies at the University of Alberta. Please review the selection criteria on the website.	September 14	\$800.00 (3 available)
Alberta Athletic Award	Athletic departments at the post-secondary institutions select and disperse funds to athletes who are recipients of this award. Athletes must participate on sport teams designated by Alberta College Athletic Conference (ACAC) or the Alberta University Athletic Association (AUAA).	previously October 1 <small>(new deadline not listed)</small>	\$1,800
Prairie Equity Scholarship	Applicants must be: a resident of AB, SK, or MB. AND attending or planning to attend a post-secondary institution in AB/SK/MB in a full time recognized Broadcast program.	October 5	\$2,000
Post-secondary student Development (Shell)	The Post-secondary Student Development Fund seeks to provide opportunities for the education, training and development of students from areas in which Shell Canada anticipates future hiring needs, and therefore seeks to support the following programs from Canadian universities and technical colleges (Engineering: Mechanical, Chemical, Electrical, Petroleum; Business: MBA, General Business, Marketing, Supply Chain Management; Power Engineering and Instrumentation Engineering Technology).	October 15	\$1,000 (one applicant per school)
Loran Scholarship	Loran Scholars prioritize results over appearances and value integrity and honesty. Though they study diverse subjects, and go on to work in a variety of fields, they share a common commitment to their university and larger communities. Each high school may sponsor applications for up to 3 students.	October 15	\$100,000
Horatio Alger Scholarship	This scholarship is awarded to full-time students (Canadian Citizens) in Alberta with financial need (\$65,000 or less net family income) who have demonstrated integrity and perseverance in overcoming adversity, as well as strength of character, a good academic record (65% minimum), a commitment to pursue a post-secondary education, and a desire to contribute to society.	October 26	\$5,000

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Livingstone Range ATA local 14	There are \$500 scholarships in 2 categories. Category I - Education Scholarships: Students who have graduated from a Livingstone Range School and are currently enrolled in a Faculty of Education. Category II - Entrance Scholarships: Students who have a parent that is currently teaching with or has retired from the Livingstone Range School Division. Students qualifying for these three scholarships may be enrolled in any faculty at any post-secondary institution.	October 31	\$500
EF Canadian Youth Ambassadors	Do you have an inspiring, innovative idea that you want to share with the world? Learn to put your idea into action during a free, community-focused trip to the Dominican Republic.	November 5	\$5,000+
TD Scholarships for Community Leadership	Unique in Canada, the TD Scholarships for Community Leadership are designed to recognize the achievements of youth who are making a difference and help them realize their educational goals. If you have a minimum overall GPA of 75% in your most recently completed school year and are involved in your community, why not apply?	Mid November	\$70,000
University of Lethbridge Board of Governors Award	Submit a completed application for admission to the University of Lethbridge before the December 15th deadline and you will automatically be considered for the award. Eligibility is based on Grade 12 marks.	December 15	\$1,000
Canadian Natural Resources Limited	Available for technical or trades training related to the oil and natural gas industry. Training programs must be at accredited institutions offering apprenticeships, diplomas, certificates or degrees. Applicants must provide a career plan, necessary original transcripts and a completed application form. Application deadlines depend on when you plan to start your schooling.	December 15 April 15 August 15	\$3,000
Edwards Land Scholarships (Olds College, U of L, U of C)	These three scholarships are available to current Olds College (Land Agent Diploma program), U of L and U of C (Social Sciences programs). Apply when you are attending the specified program at one of these three institutions!	December 12	\$1,000
University of Lethbridge High School Entrance Awards	Some awards are based on academic merit, but many of them will be based on other criteria such as financial need, volunteer work, community involvement and leadership experience. Some scholarships have a March 15 deadline if you miss the December 15th one. The online application takes about one hour to complete - fill in absolutely every detail you can as it can be worth \$\$\$	December 15 March 15	\$6,000

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French for the Future National Essay Contest	Open to all grade 10 to 12 students studying French! This is a National Essay contest offering scholarships from \$1,200.00 to \$12,000.00 at 8 prestigious post-secondary institutions including the U of L and U of A (Campus Saint-Jean). The essay needs to be only 750 words long, in French, responding to a specific annual theme.	December 16 (contest begins Oct. 1)	\$1,000 - \$12,000
NSERC STEAM Horizon Award	To be eligible you must: be a Canadian Citizen or a Permanent Resident of Canada; be 16 to 18 years of age at the time of application; have been recognized for accomplishments in a formal capacity or less formal capacity; have obtained, over the previous year of study, an academic average of 85% or higher; be preparing to enroll or currently enrolled in the first year of post-secondary education (university or college) in a STEAM field in Canada.	Mid-January	\$25,000 (1 year, non-renewable)
Schulich Leader Scholarships	Canadian <i>Schulich Leader Scholarships</i> are undergraduate scholarships for students intending to enroll in the STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) areas of study at a minimum of one of the 20 selected universities . There are 25 scholarships at \$100,000 each for Engineering students and 25 scholarships at \$80,000 for students studying Science and Math. You must be nominated by your school and each high school may nominate ONE graduating student each year.	January 27	\$100,000 (Engineering) \$80,000 (Science & Math)
Kin Canada Bursaries	Kin Canada Bursaries is a program of the Hal Rogers Endowment Fund , supported by Kinsmen, Kinette and Kin clubs across the country. Each year, \$1,000 bursaries are awarded to successful Canadian applicants who are pursuing post-secondary education at a recognized university, community college, technical institute and other schools for advanced education.	February 1	\$1,000
Terry Fox Humanitarian Award	Students are eligible to receive the Terry Fox Humanitarian Award until they have received their first university degree (for a maximum of four years), provided they have maintained a certain standard of humanitarian work and personal conduct.	February 1	\$28,000

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CPA Scholarships	CPA Alberta Young Emerging Professional Award (2 scholarships of \$1,500 each): Students submit a letter or video (2 to 3 minutes max.) outlining the qualities he/she believes are most important to become a successful business leader, in addition to recent transcripts and two letters of support. David Bentley FCPA FCA and Janet Bentley High School Excellence Award (one scholarship of \$2,500): one award is granted annually to one (1) student in Grade 12 at any Alberta high school. Preference will be given to applicants/nominees who will need to relocate within Alberta to attend post-secondary.	February 28	\$4,000
Stacey Levitt Memorial Award	The Levitt family awards each year's selected recipient \$2,500 in funding to help a high school student (grades 10-12) in pursuit of an educational endeavour, sports, or a travel experience – all pursuits that would have resonated with Stacey Levitt (1977 – 1995) who was struck and killed by a driver of a motor vehicle while jogging in her Toronto neighbourhood.	March 1	\$2,500
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John Hasselfield Endowment Foundation	Applicants are required to be currently enrolled in an Alberta public school, able to provide a written essay (about 500 words) outlining how and when you will use the funds, what you have contributed towards your goal, what obstacles are impeding achievement of your goals.	March 1	\$400
U of C's Pathways to Medicine Scholarship	This scholarship includes tuition support for your choice of University of Calgary undergraduate program, a relocation allowance if you need it, supports a paid summer internship, and connects you with mentors from the faculty, student body and community.	March 1	\$27,000

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Quest for Excellence	The Quest for Excellence program is a bursary program for grade 12 students in Western Canada. It was established by RE/MAX of Western Canada to recognize the success and ongoing pursuits of Western Canadian students in regards to leadership and community contribution initiatives.	March 13	\$1,000
Calgary Stampede Grade 12 Western art Scholarship	If you love creating western art and are a southern Alberta grade 12 student, you can submit your entry in early March for consideration.	March 17	\$2,000
Ray Joliffe Memorial Scholarship	The scholarship will provide financial support to a student pursuing studies in the field of Theatre Production Design and Management and/or Television Production and Design at a recognized Canadian post-secondary educational institution.	March 31	\$2,000
Northern Alberta Development Council Bursary	Applicants must be residents of Alberta and planning to enroll full-time in a post-secondary program. The NADC Bursary program provides up to \$12,000 over two years and is non-repayable if you agree to live and work in the north. Your return service is one year of full time employment in your field of studies for each year of bursary support received. Students must apply for the bursary for each year they want to be considered. Some careers in high demand now include education, medical and health, engineering and technical fields and social work.	April 30	\$12,000
Keyera Energy – Peter J. Renton Memorial Scholarship	Applicants must be Canadian Citizens or Permanent Residents and current residents of Alberta; planning to enroll full time in an accredited Alberta post-secondary institution, AND entering the first year of a degree or diploma program in studies related to the oil and gas industry.	May 1	\$6,000
Provincial 4-H Scholarships	These scholarships are numerous and varied. In general, you must be a 4-H member and planning to enroll in an agriculture related field, while possessing related leadership skills, demonstrate community involvement and scholastic achievement.	May 6	Variable
Rotary Club Scholarship Rotary Global Grants	Graduating high school and applying to a post-secondary program in a service-oriented field? There may be some grant money for you to do exciting things!	May 12	\$15,000
Trans Canada Energy	TC Energy has three scholarship categories that students can apply to: community leaders, indigenous legacy, and trades. Applicants must be enrolled in a post-secondary institution.	May 15	\$10,000

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Livingstone Range School Division scholarships	If you have the good fortune of being a Livingstone Range School division (grade 12) student, you have the opportunity to receive funds from the following scholarships. Information for each of these awards is provided annually and will be posted on your school website. Please ask your Career Practitioner for more information! In summary, the awards are generally provided as follows: Dr. Lloyd Cavers Student Leadership (\$1000 to the winner, \$200 to school nominees), Livingstone Macleod Association Bursary (\$2000 for a student pursuing education in a trades program at selected Alberta institutions), Enmax Environmental Scholarship (\$1000 to a student entering a diploma or degree program in Environmental Studies at a Canadian post-secondary institution.	May 15	\$2000 (LM) \$1000 (LC) \$1000 (EE)
Learning Matters, Canadian Scholarship Trust Plan	Applicants must demonstrate financial need, community involvement, academic excellence, and have a career objective that will make a positive contribution in Canadian society. The charity's Awards Selection Committee reviews all eligible applications and awards up to six \$2,500 bursaries annually.	May 30	\$2,500
South Country Co-op	The applicant's family must be a member in good standing of the South Country Co-op Ltd. and have purchases no less than \$3,500 in the current fiscal year. Applicants must provide verification of graduation from a high school within South Country Co-op's trading area and be accepted to a recognized post-secondary institution.	May 31	\$1,000
CAPSLE	The applicant must have been accepted to a Canadian university program in a recognized Faculty of Education and/or Faculty of Law for the upcoming academic year. Priority will be given to applicants who identify as a member of a group that is under-represented in Education and/or Law.	May 31	\$1,000
MADD Youth Bursary Program	MADD Canada's Bursary Program is open to Canadian citizens 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.	May 31	\$8,000
4-H Canada	4-H offers six different scholarships for students that range from celebrating outstanding leadership, to supporting members applying to postsecondary and trades schools in Canada. Applicants must be a member of 4-H.	May 31	\$500 - \$20,000

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MindFuel Science Alberta	Scholarships are available to students who have graduated from an Alberta high school and who are entering first year in an undergraduate applied science or science education program at an Alberta - based post-secondary institution. In honour of the exemplary people who have helped MindFuel grow into the world-class organization it is today, scholarships in the names of James (Jim) Gray, Anne Tingle, and Dr. Arlene Ponting have been created.	May 31	5,000
Nelson Civic Leadership	Nelson Education recognizes students who are committed to continued civic engagement and leadership. Complete the online application form including a 500 -750 word essay, include evidence of your minimum 80% average in grade 12 and a reference letter from a high school teacher.	May 31	\$5,000
Bayer Fund Opportunity Scholarship	This scholarship is available to Canadian high school students who are enrolled in their final year of high school and eligible to graduate. Those eligible for a scholarship must be planning to enroll at a Canadian post-secondary institution (degree or diploma) in a first-year agriculture, food science or culinary program.	May 31	\$1,500
Stuck at Prom	This unique scholarship requires you to create and wear your grad outfits using Duck brand duct tape and/or crafting tape. Two \$10,000 prizes awarded to best tux and dress. Eight \$500 prizes are awarded to runners up in each category.	June 1	\$10,000
Advancing Futures	The Advancing Futures Bursary Program provides up to \$40,000 in education funding for youth aged 18 – 24 who have been in government care (i.e. foster care) at some point in their lives. An Advancing Futures Bursary Program Coordinator can also assist case workers and youth with the education portion of a transition plan.	June 1	\$40,000

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Premier's Citizenship Award	The Government of Alberta offers three awards to recognize students who have contributed to their communities through public service and volunteer work. The three awards are: the Premier's Citizenship Award (Letter of Commendation), the Queen's Golden Jubilee Citizenship Medal (\$5000 + medal) and Alberta Centennial Awards (\$2,005). Each high school in Alberta is permitted to nominate ONE student each year for the Premier's Citizenship Award. You must be nominated for this initial award in order to be considered for an Alberta Centennial Award or a Queen's Golden Jubilee Citizenship Award. Please see your Career Practitioner and school Administration for more information.	June 1	\$7,005
Tiessen Foundation Broadcast Scholarship	Applicants must have completed Grade 12 in Alberta, and pursuing post-secondary studies in Canada in the field of broadcasting. Application must include a 750 word essay outlining their interest and pursuit in the field of broadcasting. The essay can also include any work and/or volunteer experience in the field of broadcasting. In addition, a letter of support from a teacher is also required.	June 1	\$750
Learn and Earn Scholarship Program	This 11-month matched savings program helps youth learn how to save, plan for their future career, and get enrolled in post-secondary education or trades programs. The scholarship program is open to students entering their grade 12 year in the fall. Each branch of Chinook Financial will select one scholarship recipient to work with through the school year. Priority is placed on students who are motivated, but may face financial barriers to achieving their career or education goals.	June 1	\$1,100 matched savings
Fraser Institute Essay Contest	Showcase your ideas on public policy and the role of markets by entering this essay competition.	Mid June	\$1,500
RAP/CTS scholarships	To recognize the accomplishments of Alberta high school students participating in the Registered Apprenticeship Program (RAP) or who have completed a Career and Technologies Studies (CTS) apprenticeship pathway and to encourage students to continue their apprenticeship training after completing high school.	June 30	\$1,000
Grade 11 Award of Merit - University of Lethbridge	This application is to be completed by students currently in Grade 11 and who plan to attend the University of Lethbridge in the fall immediately after high school graduation. Students with a 75% average and above are encouraged to apply. The online application for this award takes less than 2 minutes (we timed it!) to complete and requires the student to record their Alberta Student number along with their contact information.	June 30	\$800

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ASAA Scholarship - Alberta Milk	This award is for grade 12 students registered in an ASSA member school who meet ASAA eligibility criteria. The scholarship is designed to reward those “Who Milk Every Moment”, achieving a balance in school, home and community life. ASAA member schools may submit a nomination for one male and one female only. The application form must be signed by the school principal/assistant principal. Ask your coach or teacher to nominate YOU!	June 30	1,000
ASAA Scholarship – Pay It Forward	This award is for student athletes who contribute their time as either a coach or an official in either the school or community. This scholarship is meant to recognize and reward those students who ‘give back’ to their school/community.	June 30	\$500
ASAA Scholarship – Unified Sports Leader in Inclusion	Four scholarships will be awarded to students who participate in Unified Sports and demonstrate leadership in creating an inclusive environment in their school.	June 30	\$1,000
National Union of Public and General Employees	Each year, the National Union of Public and General Employees (NUPGE) offers four scholarships that reflect its pursuit of equal opportunity for all workers. They are open to the children of the National Union’s 340,000 members who are starting a post-secondary education.	Early July	\$1,500
Lethbridge College Awards	One application form puts your name in the running for all <i>Lethbridge College</i> awards that you are eligible for.	July 1	Varies
Anna & John Kolesar Memorial Scholarship	A Canadian Citizen or Permanent Resident and an Alberta resident, pursuing a degree in Education. Applicants must be from a family where neither parent obtained a university degree.	July 1	\$1,500
IODE Coronation Bursary	To be eligible, you need to be an Alberta high school student entering any degree granting program in Alberta, and have resided in Alberta for at least 3 years prior to the application. The award is based on financial need.	July 15	\$1,000

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Royal Canadian Legion Scholarships	These scholarships are intended to assist students in the advancement of their education. The funds are intended to support the children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of Ex-Service personnel in the pursuit of post-secondary studies. Students must provide proof of acceptance at a further education facility. Applications for these bursaries may be submitted in the year a student graduates, or in any succeeding year during the course of their studies at a University or a College.	August 15	\$1,000
Ladies' Auxiliary Bursary	These awards are intended to assist a child, grandchild, great-grandchild, niece, nephew, or great niece/nephew of Veterans' personnel; a child/grandchild of current RCMP members; Reserve Personnel and Fire-fighters (paid or volunteer) who have served a minimum of one year; child and grandchild of Auxiliary or Branch member.	August 31	\$500

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OPEN/VARYING APPLICATION DEADLINES

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Alexander Rutherford Scholarships	A Canadian Citizen or Permanent Resident and an Alberta resident, entering any post-secondary study or apprenticeship program in Canada. If you decide to take a 'gap year', apply for the scholarship just prior to the year you will be attending post-secondary studies. Even if you aren't sure how much you might receive, apply anyway! The online application process is quick and easy.	No deadline! Apply after July 1 for fall studies.	\$2,500
Dr. Ernest and Minnie Mehl Scholarships	A Canadian Citizen or Permanent Resident and an Alberta resident, entering an educational program from a degree granting post-secondary institution in Canada. Recipients are selected from applications received for the Alexander Rutherford Scholarship.	Apply for Rutherford Scholarship to be eligible!	\$3,500
Duke of Edinburgh's Award	The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award is a global program with the goal of challenging, empowering and recognizing young people between the ages of 14 and 24. From coast to coast to coast since 1963, this award program has helped motivate young Canadians to set goals and challenge themselves to take control of their lives and futures.	Apply anytime to start the process!	This is not a financial award, but has many positive benefits!
Mildred Rowe Weston	Canadian Citizen or Permanent Resident of Canada and be an Alberta resident, have completed at least three courses through the Alberta Distance Learning Centre as shown on an Alberta Education transcript with school code 0099, and be enrolled full-time at a designated post-secondary institution. Selection: Recipients will be selected based on their average in Grade 12. Students will automatically be considered for this award when they apply for the Alexander Rutherford Scholarship.	Apply for Rutherford Scholarship to be eligible!	\$1,000
Ayn Rand Essay contests	Have you read one of Ayn Rand's thought-provoking novels? Now's the time! Enter an Ayn Rand Institute essay contest for your chance to win thousands of dollars in cash prizes (top prize is \$25,000). ARI (Ayn Rand Institute) has held worldwide essay contests for students on Ayn Rand's fiction for over thirty years. There are separate contests for students right from grade 8 up to graduate university students, with specific novels and deadlines applied to each contest.		