

Scholarship Possibilities in Canada for International Students

- Following is a list of some entrance scholarships, both non-renewable and renewable, for international students in Canada. Non-renewable awards are a one-time payment for the first year only. All amounts are given in Canadian dollars.
- A number of schools which offer non-renewable entrance scholarships will allow international students to compete for awards for continuing students, and some schools on this list will have scholarships that international students can apply for once they are enrolled.
- Awards are for international students (who will need visa authorization to study in Canada), and who will be entering university for the first time in September as degree seeking students, unless otherwise specified. Awards for Canadian citizens and permanent residents are not included.
- This list is as accurate as possible as of the date of publication, but all possible scholarships may not be listed, and it must be supplemented by your own research. Also all information is subject to change – scholarship details must be confirmed by looking on the schools' own websites.

Nominated Scholarships

These scholarships require you to be nominated by your high school – usually one nomination per award is allowed. A single student may normally only win one nomination.

- Please ensure you fill out the Nomination Scholarship form and submit to your counselor. Students may request nomination for more than one scholarship and will be required to rank scholarships in order of preference.
- All require specific applications. Please see the web page for each scholarship for full details.

University of British Columbia (BC)

* International Leader of Tomorrow Award - Based on need, academic excellence, extracurricular achievement, and leadership ability. Award winners receive an award-level commensurate with their financial need as determined by the costs of their tuition, fees and living costs, minus the financial contribution the student and their family can make annually towards these costs.

Three nominees per academic year - two for Vancouver campus and one for Okanagan campus.

U. of Ontario Institute of Technology (ON)

Global Leadership Award – One award, value \$11,480/year, for 4 years. Based on excellent academic record and personal leadership activities.

University of Toronto (ON)

*Lester B. Pearson International Scholarship- Covers tuition, books, incidental fees, and full residence support for four years. The scholarship is tenable only at the University of Toronto. Each year approximately 37 students will be named Lester B. Pearson Scholars.

Western University (ON) NEW!

*International Presidents Entrance Scholarship, Three scholarships of \$10,000/year, renewable, plus \$10,000 for first year living expenses.

York University (ON)

* Global Leader of Tomorrow Award - \$20,000/year for 4 years

*International Entrance Scholarship - \$35,000/ year for 4 years

Applicants (both scholarships) must possess excellent academic records (A average), with demonstrated leadership through community service or have achieved excellence in the arts, sports or other areas or individual accomplishment.

Open Scholarships (do not require nomination)

Acadia University (NS)

*Entrance Scholarships - Limited number of partial fee scholarships. Eligibility 85% or A grade standing; \$1,250 renewable; apply by March 1. No need based aid.

Alberta, University of (AB) NEW!

*Scholastic Distinction for Int'l Students-\$15,000 over 4 years. Submit online award application by Dec 15.

*Int'l Entrance Leadership Award \$5,000, non-renewable, Submit online award application by Dec 15.

Bishop's University (QC)

Outstanding applicants for fall semester admission are invited to apply until March 1, 2015 for a select number of entrance scholarships.

University of British Columbia (BC)

* Entrance Scholarship – Non-renewable award based on academic achievement. Consideration is automatic.

Brock University (ON)

Brock Scholars Award - Value approximately \$1,000 - \$3,500/year for up to 4 years. Open to incoming international students. Consideration is automatic.

University of Calgary (AB)

* Seymour Schulich Scholarship – Value \$11,400 or \$22,800 renewable at 11,400 or 17,000, respectively. For applicants to the engineering school. Based on academic achievement/community service and entrepreneurial accomplishments. Submit High School Award application by Dec 15.

* High School Award - Value \$500 - \$10,000. Applicant must be admitted on basis of grades, and must apply for award after receiving student applicant # from U. Calgary.

* University of Calgary Entrance Scholarship - Value \$500 or \$1,250 depending on grades. Non renewable. Consideration is automatic.

* President's Admission Scholarship – Value \$2,000 to \$2,500 depending on grades. Renewable.

Carleton University (ON)

International undergraduate students are automatically considered for entrance scholarships based on O and A Level results (\$1,000 - \$4,000/yr depending on grades), and subsequently, for those with A grades, for in-course awards and small bursaries (\$400 - \$1,000 depending on program and GPA achieved).

Concordia University (QC)

International students will find a limited number of scholarships, bursaries and awards open to them.

Dalhousie University (NS)

* Chancellors Scholarship - Value \$8,000/year, renewable for 4 years.

* Dalhousie Entrance Renewable Scholarship - Value \$5,000/year for 4 yrs.

* Entrance Scholarship – Value \$1,000 - \$3,000 awarded in the first year only.

Emily Carr Institute of Art & Design (BC)

International entrance scholarship - Value \$2,000 - \$5,000. Consideration is automatic.

Guelph, University of (ON)

Entrance scholarships for international students - Value \$500 - \$6,000 non-renewable. Consideration is automatic.

Lakehead University (ON)

International Student Entrance Award - Consideration is automatic.

University of Lethbridge (AB)

International students are eligible for all scholarships and awards: apply after application. Entrance award of \$1,000 specifically for international students.

Manitoba, University of (MB)

Merit entry scholarship - Value \$800 - \$2,000 for undergraduate international students.

Memorial University (NF)

International entrance scholarships valued at \$3,000 or \$4,400 are automatically awarded to the top academic applicants from each region. Consideration is automatic.

McGill University (QC)

* Major Scholarship - Value up to \$10,000/year. Based on academics and leadership. Application requires 2 essays, 2 recommendation letters and early submission of documents.

* Basic Scholarship - Value up to \$5,000/year. Based on academics only.

Mount Allison (NS)

- * Bell Scholarship - Six awards, value \$12,000/year, renewable if GPA above 3.7. Five awards, value \$9,000/year. Application required, deadline March 1.
- * Confederation Scholarship - Two awards, value \$5,000/year
- * Entrance Scholarship \$500 - \$5,000 renewable

Mount St. Vincent, College of (NS)

International students may be eligible for some merit scholarships. Consideration is automatic. Entrance scholarships are based on your high school marks and range from \$1,200 to \$36,000. President's Scholarships, value of \$36,000 over four years. Deadline: March 15

New Brunswick, University of (NB)

International students are eligible for some merit entrance scholarships \$500 - \$1,500. Consideration is automatic.

Nipissing University (ON)

Entrance scholarships of \$2,250 or \$1,250. Consideration is automatic for those who apply by April 1. Schulich Education Scholarship of \$6,000 for those applying to study education.

Northern British Columbia, University of (BC)

President's Scholarship \$5,500/year for four years. Raven Scholarship: \$5,500 one time. UNBC Entrance Award: \$2,500 one time. All awards: must apply for early admission to UNBC, automatic consideration.

Ontario College of Art & Design (ON)

Limited number of admissions scholarships available to incoming full time international students.

Ottawa, University of (ON)

President's Scholarship: One award of \$30,000 (\$7,500/yr for 4 years)
Chancellor's Scholarship: One award of \$26,000 (\$6,500/yr for 4 years)
Faculty of Arts Dean's Merit Scholarship: Ten awards of \$4,000 (\$1,000/yr for 4 years)
Various entrance scholarships ranging between \$2,000 and \$5,000 offered by different faculties.

Prince Edward Island, University of (PE)

Entrance Awards for academic Excellence: \$1,000 - \$3,000.

Queens University (ON)

Entrance Scholarship – Value \$9,000, non-renewable. Ten scholarships, automatic consideration.

Regina, University of (SK)

University of Regina International President's Scholars Award: 2 awards of \$15,000 (over one year). Several small (\$1,000) entrance awards available, no application required. Search in Student Awards Management System, sort by International.

Ryerson University (ON)

International Student Merit Scholarship - Seven awards, value \$5,000, renewable. Consideration is automatic. International students eligible for in-course awards. Entrance Scholarships \$500 - \$4,000 renewable.

Saint Frances Xavier University (NS)

StFX International Scholarships - Value \$6,000/year for 4 years. Merit based on grade 12 December examinations or first semester grade 12 results (they probably mean final year of high school – for us 13th grade, or AII). Apply by March 1.

Saint Mary's University (NS)

- * International students are eligible for merit entrance scholarships – Value \$500 - \$3,500/year, renewable. Automatic consideration if application submitted by March 15.
- * International students are also eligible for Presidential and Santamarian scholarships – Value \$9,000 and \$5,000 per year renewable, respectively. Based on very high academic average, resume of extracurricular activities and an application form. Apply by March 15.

Saint Thomas University (NB)

International students are eligible to apply for entrance scholarships. Scholarship applications due March 15. Applications for renewable scholarships due March 1. Call admissions office for scholarship details.

Saskatchewan, University of (SK) Canada's science city-good for human, animal, plant science.

International Student Renewable Entrance Scholarships – 2 awards, value \$15,000 in Year 1, renewable at \$10,000 for years 2-4). Based on academic achievement, demonstrated leadership, and contributions to school and community life. Scholarship application due Feb 15.

Simon Fraser University (BC)

*International Academic Excellence Scholarship - \$5,000 over two terms. All high school students with an average of 95% or better will be considered. No application required. Consideration is automatic.

*International Summit Scholarships - \$3,500 over two terms. All high school students with an average of 91% or better will be considered automatically.

*Mitsubishi Corporation International Scholarship – Two awards, value \$5,000. No application required. Given annually on the basis of high academic performance to graduating high school students from a developing country worldwide.

* **NEW!** -International Deans Excellence Entrance Scholarship- \$12,000 over 4 terms. Application required: deadline Feb 28.

Trent University (ON)

* Trent International Full Scholarship – One to three awards granted, value approximately \$32,000/ academic year (covers international tuition and fees, health insurance and living fees). Based on academic achievement, community/international service, extra-curricular activities, leadership and need. Depending on need, may also cover miscellaneous expenses. Deadline March 1, application required.

* Justin Chiu Global Citizen Scholarship - One award every 4 years, value \$32,000/academic year. Covers int'l tuition and fees, health insurance and living fees. Depending on need, may also cover miscellaneous expenses. Based on academic achievement, community/international service, leadership and need. Open to students from Asia. Deadline March 1, app. required.

* Trent International Tuition Scholarship – Four to seven awards of \$20,000/year. Covers int'l tuition and fees. Based on academic achievement, community/international service, activities and leadership. Open to students from Asia. Deadline March 1, application required.

* Trent International Levy Tuition Scholarship -One award, value \$11,800/year. Covers intl. tuition and fees. Based on academic achievement, community/international service, activities and leadership. Open to students from developing countries. Deadline March 1, app required.

* Trent International Award – Value \$2,000 - \$7,000/year. Based on academic achievement and activities. Given to top students in the scholarship competitions. Deadline March 1, application required.

* Entrance scholarships – Value \$1,000 – \$3,000. Consideration is automatic.

Toronto University of, (ON)

All applicants are automatically considered for admission scholarships valued at \$5,000.

Vancouver Island University (BC)

International student entrance scholarships – 20 awards, value \$1,000. Consideration is automatic.

University of Victoria (BC)

International Entrance Scholarships – 20 scholarships valued at \$10,000 non renewable. Apply by Feb 28.

Waterloo University (ON)

* Scholarships for the Faculties of Engineering and Mathematics – Value \$3,000 - \$6,000/year, renewable

* Scholarship for the Faculty of Arts – Value \$16,000 over 4 years.

Wilfred Laurier University (ON)

* Scotiabank International Entrance Scholarships - Four awards, value \$5,000. Preference to Latin Americans. Consideration is automatic if application is complete by March 20.

* Merit entrance scholarships - Value \$750 and \$1,000. Consideration is automatic.

*Many department awards.

Windsor, University of (ON)

International students are eligible for entrance scholarships – Value \$500 - \$1,500. Consideration is automatic.

Winnipeg, University of (MB)

International students are eligible for some merit entrance scholarships. Consideration is automatic for those who apply by March 1.

York University (ON)

Entrance Scholarships

Scholarship/aid specifically for entering international students not found.

- If citizenship required for eligibility is not mentioned, a requirement for Canadian citizenship/permanent residency is assumed.
- Some schools allow international students to apply for in-course awards for the second and subsequent years.
- Contact schools of interest to confirm.

Alberta College of Art & Design (AB)

Athabasca University (an open online university)

Brandon University (MB)

Cape Breton University (NS)

Fraser Valley, University College of (BC)

King's College, U of (AB)

Kwantlen Polytechnic University (BC)

Laurentian University (ON)

McMaster University (ON)

Nova Scotia College Art & Design (NS)

Royal Roads University (BC)

Thompson Rivers, University of (BC)

Province Codes on this list – East to West

NS – Nova Scotia

PE – Prince Edward Island

NB – New Brunswick

QC - Quebec

ON - Ontario

MB – Manitoba

SK - Saskatchewan

AB - Alberta

BC – British Columbia