

Scholarship Database

Definitions:

Scholarship - based on academic merit, or some trait or circumstance unique to the applicant (examples: leadership, community service, ethnicity or group membership)

Bursary - financial need is a factor for the applicant

Part A: Scholarships and Bursaries- for E.D.S.S. students only

Accounting - E.D.S.S. - Ronald Earl Lorch Memorial Scholarship -

awarded to a graduating student going on to pursue full time post secondary studies leading to an accounting designation; academic excellence and good school/community citizenship are important; application is available on E.D.S.S. Guidance Website - Guidance Scholarship Tab

Bursary – E.D.S.S. – Caven Hall Bursary – open to women graduating from E.D.S.S. entering year 1 of a degree program in the field of Science (including degree Nursing), Engineering or Business; applicants may apply who are up to 5 years post-graduation from E.D.S.S.; application is available on E.D.S.S. Guidance Website - Guidance Scholarship Tab

Bursary – E.D.S.S. – Elmira and District Ministerial Bursary; financial need; attending a post-secondary program in the fall; see guidance office for an application

Bursary – E.D.S.S. – Kiwanis Canadian Foundation Award; must attend E.D.S.S. and demonstrate good grades, good character, participation in school and/or community events, as well as financial need; see guidance office for an application

Bursary – E.D.S.S. – Reuben Cleghorn Bursary; student must be attending a University and must demonstrate financial need; students may apply four years in a row; applications available in the guidance office or can be downloaded from the E.D.S.S. Guidance Website - Guidance Scholarship Tab

Bursary – E.D.S.S. – Woolwich Community Lions Club Bursary; financial need; satisfactory academic standing and continued involvement in humanitarianism or community service; see guidance office for an application

Bursary for UW St. Jerome’s University (Arts Program) – Legacy Scholarship Program – financial need; community and/or school involvement is very important (up to two E.D.S.S. students may be nominated)

Bursary for Community Service – Legacy Scholarship Program and Jim Lehman Legacy Scholarship – financial need; community and/or school involvement is extremely important (up to two E.D.S.S. students may be nominated)

Bursary for Engineering - Legacy Scholarship Program - Innocente Award - financial need; attending any engineering or science program; community or school involvement is very important (up to two E.D.S.S. students may be nominated)

Engineering – Engineering Lift Systems Bursary – demonstrate community service and financial need; see the guidance office for an application

Horticulture – Elmira and District Horticultural Society– awarded to a student who has shown outstanding effort or ability in the fields of horticulture or agriculture, the recipient is chosen by EDSS teachers; awarded at Commencement; see guidance office or contact Mrs. Gaudet

Landscape – Earthscape Horticulture Scholarship – school nomination required; awarded at Commencement; contact Mrs. Gaudet

Part B: General Scholarships and Bursaries (listed by subject)

Aboriginal - [Husky Oil Education Scholarship](#)

Aboriginal – [James Bartleman Aboriginal Youth Creative Writing Award](#)

Aboriginal – [RBC – Aboriginal Student Awards](#) – program can be related to financial services but not limited to that field

Academics/Essay writing – [Ontario Federation of Women’s Institutes](#)

Activism/Equity – [Lincoln Alexander Award](#) - honours youth who show leadership in eliminating racial discrimination in Ontario

Agriculture: [4-H Youth Education Scholarships](#) - many different scholarships, awards and due dates

Agriculture – [Canadian Agri-Business Education Foundation](#)

Agriculture/Food Science or Culinary – [Monsanto Canada Opportunity Scholarship](#)

[Aircraft Electronics Association Education](#)

Apprenticeship – [OYAP Awards](#) – must be a registered youth apprentice; school can nominate up to 3 award winners; see the head of the E.D.S.S. tech department

[Autism Ontario](#) – 3 scholarships: one for individuals with autism; one for siblings of ASD; one for offspring of ASD

Automotive – [Trillium Automobile Dealers Association \(TADA\)](#) – must be entering into an automotive industry program and demonstrate financial need

Black or Caribbean Heritage – [Chloe Callendar Award](#) –The Congress of Black Women of Canada - academics, community or school involvement, male or female; check also with the [Caribbean Canadian Association of Waterloo Region](#) for an additional scholarship

[Burger King Scholarships](#)

Bursary – [Canadian Legion Bursary Assistance Program](#) – for children of veterans or children/grandchildren of members; must also apply to OSAP; renewable over 4 years

*****next 3 bursaries require nominations - please speak with your guidance counsellor**

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Bursary – [Federation Family Bursary](#) – children of members of teacher federation (OSSTF/FEESO)

Bursary – [Horatio Alger Ontario Scholarship](#) – to support critical financial need; community involvement **Due early in the school year!

Bursary [Kinsmen Canada Bursaries](#) – financial need; qualities of citizenship; Woolwich Kin Club has an additional local bursary; see the guidance office for details

Bursary/Sports – [Kitchener Sports Association Scholarship](#) – financial need; commitment to sport and academics; resident of KW, Woolwich, Wellesley, or Wilmot

Bursary/Sports - [OFSAA Athletic Scholarships](#)

Bursary/Community Service – [Learning Matters Bursary](#) – financial need; community service

Bursary/Ontario Parks/Environment – [Ontario Parks Association Foundation Bursaries and Scholarship](#)

Business – [DECA Scholarships](#)

Business/Finance – [Dennis Daub Scholarship](#) – Education Credit Union
Canada Child Welfare System (Youth in Care) – [Ken Dryden Scholarship and Bursaries](#)

Community Service – France-Anne Sweeny “Making a Difference” Grade 11 Award – winner receives an award and name is put forward in graduation year with a chance to win money towards post-secondary education; see guidance office for application

Community Service - France-Anne Sweeny Graduate Award – must have been the E.D.S.S. grade 11 winner; see guidance office for application

Community Service – [Johnson Insurance Scholarship](#) – for clients of this insurance company

Community Service/Leadership - [Libro Credit Union Student Awards](#)

Community Service/Leadership – [LORAN Scholars Foundation](#) – character, service, leadership; up to \$100,000 over 4 years; apply directly or sponsored by the school

Community Service/Leadership – [Terry Fox Humanitarian Award](#) – involved in voluntary humanitarian work

Community Service/Public Affairs/Women - [Zonta Club of KW](#) – Young Women in Public Affairs Award; women 19 or under

Disabilities – [Disability Awards](#) – use this site to search under any category of disability; search by province and school of choice as well;

Disabilities – [Easter Seals](#) – many scholarships and bursaries available

Disability (Physical) – [The W. Frank Scott Memorial Bursary](#) – Mocha Shriners offers a bursary to a physically handicapped student pursuing post-secondary education

Disability (Lifelong) – [Carol Shantz Bursary Award](#) – client or alumnus of KidsAbility

Disability (Learning) – [Carol Thomson Memorial Fund Scholarship](#)

Disability (Learning) – [Minds in Motion – Justin Eves Foundation](#)

Disability (Low Vision or Blind) – CNIB and [Gretzky Scholarship Foundation for the Blind Youth of Canada](#) – for blind or visually impaired students

Environment and Outdoor Programs – [Bill Mason Memorial Scholarship Fund](#)

Environment and Conservation – [Canadian Wildlife Federation Scholarship](#)

Environment, Biology or Ecology – [NRSI](#) – sponsored by Natural Resource Solutions Inc.

Environment and Conservation – Grand River Conservation Foundation (Marcel Pequegnat Scholarship) – see E.D.S.S. Head of Science Department – essay is submitted to Ian Mann (Education Centre-Learning Services Department); information in the guidance office

Environment – [Grand River Conservation Authority](#)

Environment – [Ontario Parks Association Foundation Scholarship](#)

Engineering – [Canadian Engineering Memorial Foundation Scholarship](#) – women entering engineering

Engineering – [Ontario Power Generation \(OPG\)](#) – university and college engineering student awards

Engineering – [ORBA Civil Engineering Scholarships](#) – college and university scholarships available

[Epilepsy Ontario](#) – student living with Epilepsy

Essay Writing – [Sleeklens Academic Scholarship Program](#) – write an essay on the topic assigned for current year

Food/Hospitality – [The Canadian Hospitality Foundation](#)

Golf – [Golf Association of Ontario](#)

Golf – [Golf Canada Foundation](#)

Hearing – [SERTOMA](#) – hard of hearing or deaf student scholarship

Heritage – [Black Business and Professional Association Scholarships](#)

– many different scholarships for black Canadian youth

Hockey – [Dan Snyder Memorial Scholarship](#) – involvement in Sugar Kings, Woolwich Minor Hockey or Woolwich athletics
(www.37risingstars.com)

Hockey/Referee – Elmira & District Hockey Referees Association – contact Brent Bloch or the EDHRA for an application form – can be an active ref or hockey player

Horticulture – [Ontario Horticulture Scholarships](#)

Insurance – [Johnson Insurance](#)

Insurance – [OTIP](#) (Ontario Teacher's Insurance Plan)

Law/Justice/Peace – [Association of Justices of the Peace](#) – bursary; entering into a law, justice or police program

Leadership - [Canadian Student Leadership Association](#)

Leadership - [Canadian Association of Principals \(C.A.P.\) Student Leadership Award](#) – outstanding leadership; school nomination required

Leadership/Community Service – [P.E.O. Star Scholarship](#) – Ms.

O'Connor has more information about this organization

Leadership – [RBC Students Leading Change](#)

Leadership - [STEAM Horizon Awards](#) - to supports leaders, innovators and achievers to promote positive change in the community using Science, technology, engineering, arts or math (STEAM)

Leadership – [SCHULICH Leader Scholarship](#) – school can nominate one student; entering a science, technology, engineering or math program at a partnering Canadian university; marks, leadership and/or financial need (must have 2 of the 3 criteria)

Leadership – [TD Scholarships for Community Leadership](#) – outstanding community leadership

Leadership – [Tom Tittel Memorial Award](#) – by the Ontario Guidance Leadership Association

Multiple Sclerosis – [MS Society of Canada](#) - two different scholarships (one is national and one is provincial) for students affected by MS

Music – [Wilf Blum Memorial Youth Music Scholarship](#) – excelled at instrumental music at school; available to Waterloo Region residents; application must be endorsed by music teacher; contact Jim Fraser (VP Scout House Board of Directors) email – apco.can@sympatico.ca)

Portuguese – [Federation of Portuguese Canadian Business & Professionals](#) – for students of Portuguese descent

Running - [Brian Maxwell Memorial Scholarship](#) – middle distance, cross country, OFSAA

Sports/Fair Play – [The Stacey Levitt Memorial Award](#)

Sports/ Financial need – [Kitchener Sports Association Scholarship](#)

Sports/School teams - [OFSAA](#)

Sports - [Kitchener Rangers Scholarship](#) - awarded to a student attending post secondary undergraduate studies; overall marks not the major consideration

Science – [Luke Santi Award](#) – Perimeter Institute; physical science post-secondary program

Technology and Computational Mathematics – [Andrew Rok Foundation Scholarship](#) – demonstrate innovation, leadership and perseverance

Transportation – [Transportation Association of Canada Scholarship](#) – program related to transportation design, infrastructure, construction or maintenance

Trades/Apprenticeships - [Conestoga College and W.Garfield Weston Foundation](#) - for students enrolled at Conestoga College in a trades program or registered apprentices signed up for level 1 in-class training
Trade – [Linda Fabi Bursary](#) – student is pursuing a trade, through college or apprenticeship; student must be nominated by a staff member and demonstrate good character and perseverance; see guidance office for details

Walmart Community Scholarships and Associate Grants – [Walmart](#) – for academic achievement; educational grants are available to employees or offspring of employees

Water – [Water Environment Association of Ontario \(WEAO\)](#) – going into a program related to water quality, watershed or waste water management

Waterloo Region District School Board Scholarships - [WRDSB](#) - this list changes and is updated each year

Waterloo Region RECORD – [James Summers Memorial Carrier Scholarship](#) – must have worked as a newspaper carrier for the Record and show involvement in school, community as well as academic achievement

Women/ Community Service/Public Affairs - [Zonta Club of KW](#) – Young Women in Public Affairs Award; women 19 or under