

Scholarships

Funding for your Post-Secondary Education

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BENEFITS OF APPLYING

- Less money to pay back
- Looks great on a resume
- Many scholarships available
- Prestige
- Industry mentorship
- Happier parents 😊



Current Estimated Costs for University at Mount Royal and University of Calgary

Tuition, books and fees per year:

MRU \$10,645.00

U of C \$9183.00

Living on Campus + Tuition Costs per year:

MRU \$18,877.00 – 22,077.00

U of C \$18,362.00

This does not include entertainment, clothes, technology, cell phone plan, etc.



Various Criteria for Scholarships:

1. Academic achievement
2. Volunteer hours
3. Financial need
4. Community involvement
5. Athletics
6. Post-secondary specific program awards



Getting Started

Get involved

- Volunteering, clubs, sports
- In the school and in your own community
- Keep a brag sheet – hours, supervisor signature and contact information – grade 10 to 12
- The more diverse the better

Start with research and collecting data

- What scholarships do I want, what do they require of me, what is the DEADLINE??
- Google searches – even Burger King has a scholarship
- Never too early to start writing out your personal responses or essays





Upcoming Scholarships

1. All universities have an application process for scholarships they offer. Deadlines are earlier than others – so apply early!

2. Loran Scholars – up to \$100,000.00

<http://loranscholar.ca>

Deadline: October 15, 2024





Upcoming Scholarships

3. TD Canada Trust Scholarships for Community Leadership: up to \$70 000

www.tdcanadatrust.com/scholarship -

Deadline: November 13, 2024

4. Schulich Leader Scholarships – up to \$120 000.00, based on academic excellence and leadership and going into Science, Technology, Engineering, or Math

Deadline: January 16th, 2025 –Applications in Guidance

RUTHERFORD SCHOLARSHIPS

- Based on academic achievement
- Maximum \$2500 (\$400 – Grade 10, \$800 Grade 11, \$1300 Grade 12)
- Minimum combined 80% average on selected courses each year (specifics available in Guidance)
- \$1500 for average 75.0%-79.9% grade 10 - through 12.
- Application typically opens in August after graduation. Apply once you have an accepted seat in university.
- Hundreds of thousands of dollars distributed to Crescent grads every year!
- More information available here:

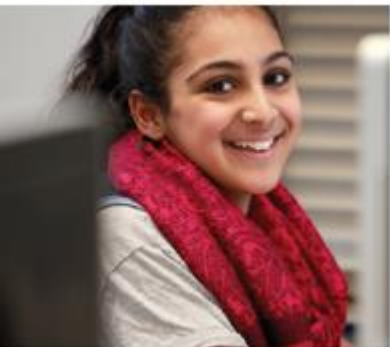
[Alexander Rutherford Scholarship | Alberta Student Aid](#)





Guidelines and Tips

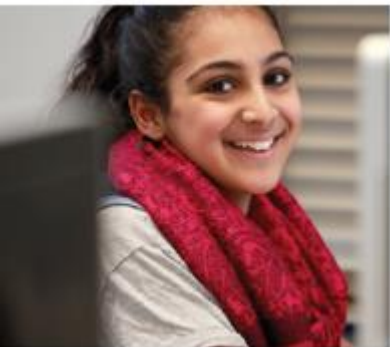
1. Each scholarship is different. Stay organized on requirements needed for each one.
2. Give yourself plenty of time and give your references at least two weeks to get your reference letter.
3. Late/incomplete applications will never be accepted.





Guidelines and Tips

4. Read the scholarship guides thoroughly.
5. Check with your parent's employment for scholarship opportunities, as well as cultural groups, athletics, religious organizations etc.
6. Apply this year, even if you plan to take a gap year.





Useful Links

1. <http://alis.alberta.ca>

2. <https://alis.alberta.ca/explore-education-and-training/pay-for-your-education/scholarships-and-bursaries/>

3. <http://www.studentaid.alberta.ca>

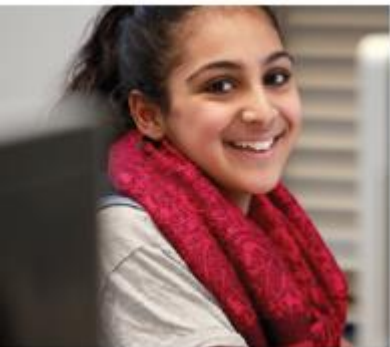
(where Rutherford application can be found and much more!)





Useful Links

1. www.studentaid.alberta.ca
2. www.educationmatters.ca
3. <https://yconic.com/>
4. www.studentawards.com
5. <https://www.scholarshipscanada.com>





Questions?

Email Mr. Dancey at btdancey@cbe.ab.ca or make an appointment by dropping into the guidance office.

