Scholarships and Bursaries

Everyone needs assistance with funding for school. After browsing through the scholarships listed below make sure you check out your university’s admissions office and local organizations and businesses to see if they have any funding available to you!

**Acadia Chapter Bursary Fund** - $500.00
Must be visually impaired, blind, hearing impaired, deaf or deaf-blind.
Ph: (902) 487 4147
Bursary fund selection committee
c/o Telephone Pioneers of America
PO Box 880, Maritime Centre
Halifax, NS
B3J 2W3
**Deadline:** May 5

**Alliance for the Equality of Blind Canadian Scholarship Program** - $1500.00 (4)
Must be blind, partially sighted or deaf/blind Canadians pursuing post-secondary education. Must have experienced barriers in life that have contributed to making the applicant the person he or she is today. Past winners are eligible.
Ph: 1-800-561-4774
PO Box 20262, RPO town center
Kelowna, BC
V1Y 9H2
scholarships@blindcanadians.ca
**Deadline:** December 31

**Aliant Pioneers of Nova Scotia** - $2000.00
Must have vision loss (a visual acuity of 20/70 or less with correction) and be 25 years of age or under. Also must be a Canadian citizen and a resident of Nova Scotia or Prince Edward Island. Must be graduating from high school during the time of applying OR be a high school graduate registered in a post-secondary program. Reasonable level of achievement and financial need is required.
Fx: (902) 454-6570
Address: Selection Committee scholarship award of Aliant Pioneer Volunteers c/o Robert Ganong CNIB
6136 Almon St.
Halifax, NS
B3K 1T8
marilyn.bowlby@cnib.ca
**Deadline:** May 15
Arlene Burris Memorial Scholarship
Atlantic Canadian student in any field that will prepare them to work with children who are deaf/hard of hearing or and individual who is deaf/hard of hearing
Ph: 902-424-8500 (voice and TTY)
Fx: 902-424-0543
dhh@apsea.ca
www.apsea.ca
Deadline: May 1

ATEC Special Achievement Bursary
This award goes to an individual who happens to have a learning disability. Positive role model to others experiencing academic difficulty
Fx: (902) 543-1408
Guidance Councilor
Barry Crozien
PO Box 574
Bridgewater, NS
B4V 2X6
Deadline: March 30

AUCC Scholarship for Students with Disabilities - $5000.00 (10)
Canadian citizen who happens to have a permanent disability. Must be entering or currently enrolled in a first year undergraduate degree.
Ph: 613-238-5721
Fx: 613-235-5391
Higher Education Scholarships Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada
350 Calbert St., Suite 600
K1K 6K7
information@ldac-taac.ca
www.ldac-taac.ca
Deadline: June 15

Canada Nova Scotia Student Bursary
This bursary is awarded to all students from Nova Scotia whether they are part-time or full-time. If a student is full-time they receive a $440.00 Canada Nova Scotia Student Bursary on their January tuition statement. Part time students will receive a $220.00 bursary.
For additional information:
Contact the appropriate office at your university.
Or contact student financial assistance office
Ph: (902) 424-8420
Toll Free: 1-800-565-8420
**Capmick/Hillard Scholarship Fund**
For students who suffer severe mobility impairment are a resident of Canada and demonstrate outstanding imitative and academic achievement
Ph: (416) 489-6440
1-800-363-1062
Fx: (416) 489-9812
Administrative Coordinator
The Candlelighters Childhood Career Foundation Canada
1300 Yonge Street, Suite 405
Toronto, Ontario
M4T 1X3
info@childhoodcentre.ca
**Deadline:** August 31

**Carol Thomson Memorial Fund Scholarship** - $1000.00
Diagnosed with a learning disability
Ph: (618) 238-5721
Fx: (613) 235-5391
Learning Disabilities Association Of Canada
250 City Centre, Suite 616
Ottawa, Ontario
K1R 6K7
Information@ldac-taac.ca
www.ldac-taac.ca
**Deadline:** May 15th

**Centenial flame research award for persons with disabilities** - 4500.00
Canadian citizen with a disability to conduct research and to report
Ph: (613) 996-1542
Fx: (613) 947-9670
Office of the Clerk
Standing Committee on Human Resources, Social Development and the Status of Persons with Disabilities
180 Wellington Street. Room 641
House Of Commons
Ottawa, Ontario
K1A 0A6
**Deadline:** Varies each year.
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<td>Ph: 1-902-423-1277 ext. 101</td>
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<td><strong>Doreen Kronick Scholarship</strong> - $500.00</td>
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**Dr. P. Anthony Johnston Entrance Scholarship - $6000.00**

Resident of Nova Scotia who is a student enrolling in their first year Bachelors undergraduate degree. A graduate from a Nova Scotia high school in the present academic year. Interest in multiculturalism and human rights Attending University in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick or Prince Edward Island.

www.ednet.ns.ca

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**EANS Memorial Scholarship Bursary (The James Russell Kline Memorial Bursary) - $500.00**

Under the care of a physician for the treatment of Epilepsy. Must be 18 years of age by August 1\(^{st}\) of the application year. Resident of Nova Scotia for at least 12 months

**Ph:** 902-429-2663  
**Fx:** 902-425-0821

The Epilepsy Association of Nova Scotia  
The medical arts building, suite 306  
Halifax, NS  
B3H 1Y1

**Deadline:** May 15

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**FJL Woodcock/Sir Arthur Pearson Association of War Blinded Scholarship**

Have no more than 20/70 vision after correction. Enrolled in a vocational or academic education at post-secondary level

**Ph:** 613-563-0000 ext. 156  
**Fx:** 613-232-9070

Selection Committee

F.J.L. Woodcock/Sir Arthur Pearson Association of War Blinded Scholarship Foundation  
1101 Prince of Wales Drive, Suite 130  
Ottawa, ON  
K2C 3W7

sapa@magma.ca  
www.cnib.ca

**Deadline:** April

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**Global Television Network Broadcasters of the Future Scholarship - internship**

Award is for a Canadian youth with a physical disability

**Ph:** 1-800-387-8001  
**Fx:** 416-446-5544

Broadcasters of the Future Awards Global Television  
81 Barber Greene Rd.  
Don Mills, Ontario  
M3C 2A2

futurebroadcasters@globaltv.com

**Deadline:** May 31
**Imperial Tobacco Canada Limited Scholarship Fund for Disabled Students** - $5000.00
Must be a Canadian student who happens to have a disability
**Ph:** 613-563-1236  
**Fx:** 613-563-9745  
www.aucc.ca  
**Deadline:** June 1

**Inter-provincial School Development Association Scholarships/Awards/Grants**
Student from Atlantic Canada who is deaf or hard of hearing.
**Ph:** (902) 424-8500 (voice and TTY)  
**Fx:** (902) 424-0543  
Interprovincial School Development Association  
Atlantic Provinces Special Education Authority (APSEA)  
5490 South St.  
Halifax, NS  
B3H 1S6  
dhh@apsea.ca  
**Deadline:** May 1

**Joanna Townsend Applied Art Scholarship** - $1000.00  
Canadian student with a learning disability who demonstrates an interest in perusing education and or career in any of the various applied arts programs.  
**Ph:** (613) 258-5721  
**Fx:** (613) 235-5391  
Learning Disabilities Association Of Canada  
250 City Centre, Suite 616  
Ottawa, Ontario  
K1R 6K7  
information@ldac-taac.ca  
www.ldac-taac.ca  
**Deadline:** May 15

**Judge Brian Stevenson Scholarship** - $300-500  
This award is offered to legally blind Canadians pursuing post secondary education.  
**Ph:** (519) 759-0730  
**Fx:** (519) 759-4741  
Judge Brian Stevenson Scholarship Committee  
The W. Ross MacDonald School  
350 Brant Avenue  
Brantford, Ontario  
N3T 3J9  
**Deadline:** September 30
**Mattinson Scholarship Program** - $2500.00
Canadian citizen that is enrolled in or entering a first undergraduate degree program
Ph: 613-563-1236
Fx: 613-563-9745
Higher education scholarships
Program Development Branch
Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada
350 Albert St., Suite 600
Ottawa, Ontario
K1R 1B1
www.aucc.ca
**Deadline:** June 1

**Muchmore Music Accessibility Scholarship** - $5000.00
Required to be a Canadian citizen with a permanent disability
Ph: 613-526-8008 (Voice and TTY)
Fx: 613-520-3704
MuchMoreMusic AccessAbility Scholarship Committee
c/o Frank Smith, National Coordinator
Rm. 426 Unicentre
1125 Colenel By Drive
Carleton University
Ottawa, Ontario
K1S 5B6
info@neads.ca
www.neads.ca
**Deadline:** November 1

**National federation of the blind – Advocates for Equality** - 1500.00 (4)
Must be legally blind
Ph: (809) 597-0775
Fx: (250) 862-3966
National federation for the blind: Advocates for Equality Scholarship Committee
#6-1638 Pond osy st.
Kelownd, BC
info@nfbae.ca
www.nfbae.ca
**Deadline:** Oct 15
**Nova Scotia Employment Equity Scholarship** - $1500.00 (4)
Visible minority, Person with a disability, Aboriginal person
Must have graduated from a Nova Scotia high school and be a Canadian citizen
Ph: (902) 428-6230
www.nspower.ca
**Deadline:** May 31

**Nova Scotia Power University Scholarship** - $1500.00 (10)
Must be a Canadian citizen
Ph: (902) 428-5230
www.nspower.ca

**Partnership for Access Awareness (PAANS)** - $1000.00 (8)
A person with a permanent disability, permanent resident of Nova Scotia
Entering or returning to a Canadian post-secondary institution, which is recognized by the association of Universities and Colleges of Canada.
Ph: (902) 455-6942
Fx: (902) 454-4781
Partnership for Access Awareness NS
c/o Nova Scotia League for equal opportunities
Suite 1211, 5251 Duke St.
paans@eastlink.ca
www.accessawareness.nsnet.org

**Rixon Rafter Scholarship Fund**
Legally blind Canadians pursuing post-secondary studies with strong career aspirations
Also based on financial need.
Ph: (519) 759-0730
Fx: (519) 759-4741
Chairman, Rixon Rafter Scholarship Committee
The W. Ross MacDonald School
350 Brant Ave.
Brantford, ON
N3T 3J9
**Deadline:** September 30
**Ross C. Purse Doctoral Fellowship - $12,500.00**
Persons studying at a Canadian University or College or at a foreign university where a commitment to work in the field of blindness in Canada can be demonstrated
Meant for students in theoretical and practical research, and studies in the fields of blindness and visual impairment, other than those already covered by its CNIB Baker grants for medical research and training
Ph: (416) 480-7059
Fx: (416) 480-7059
National Research Department, CNIB
1929 Bayview Ave.
Toronto, Ontario
M4G 3E8
awards@cnib.ca
www.cnib.ca
**Deadline:** April 1

**Spina Bifida and Hydrocephalus Association of Canada Bursary Program**
Student accepted for studies at a university or recognized program at any postsecondary facility and member of the Spina Bifda and Hydrocephalus Association
Ph: 1 800 565 3654
Fx: (204) 295 3654
977-167 Lambard Avenue
Winnipeg Manitoba
B3B 0V3
spinab@mts.net
www sbhac.ca
**Deadline:** May 15

**S.R. Hussey Memorial Fund - $100.00-1000.00**
Resident of Atlantic Canada
Legally blind person in pursuit of studies of training and the purchase of necessary equipment for legally blind persons.
Ph: (902) 424-8500
Fx: (902) 424-0543
S.R. Huseey Memorial Fund
C/o APSEA, 5940 South Street
Halifax, Nova Scotia
B3H 1S6
bvi@apsea.ca
www.apsea.ca
**Deadline:** May 1st
Sunlife Financial Peer Support Scholarship Program $1500.00 (2)
Must be a peer volunteer and or participant with a spinal cord injury or other physical disability
A post secondary student in the disability field
Ph: (613) 723-1033
Fx: (613) 723-1060
Canadian Paraplegic Association
101 Prince of Wales Dr, Suite 230
Ottawa, Ontario
K2C-3W7
peersupport@canadianparaplegic.org
www.canadianparaplegic.org
Deadline: August 31st

Terry Fox Humanitarian Award Program $6000.00
Must be involved in voluntary humanitarian work
Canadian citizen. Undergraduate student studying towards their first degree. Satisfactory academic standing
Ph: (613) 291-3057
Fx: (674) 291-3311
Terry Fox Humanitarian Award Program
Simon Fraser University
8888 University Drive
Burnaby, BC
V5A 1S6
www.terryfox.org
Deadline: February 1

The Royal Canadian Legion Wales Scholarship $6000.00
A Nova Scotia student who happens to have a disability and is unable to receive assistance under EAPD program
The Royal Canadian Nova Scotia Command Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 9075 Station A
Halifax, NS
B3K 5M7
Deadline: June 15
Walter and Wayne Gretzky Scholarship Foundation for the Blind Youth of Canada
$3000.00-$5000.00 (21)
Blind or severely visually impaired
- Graduating from a secondary school and planning to pursue a full-time post-secondary course of study
- Canadian citizens or have held landed immigrant status for one year prior to the date of application
- Expected to have achieved a high academic standing and to have exhibited superior intellectual ability and judgment
Ph: (519) 458-8665
Fx: 519-458-8609
Kim Kholer and Walter Gretzky Scholarship Foundation
RR2 # 955256
Canning Rd.
Paris, ON
N3L-3E2
kim.kohler@cnib
Deadline: May 31

Wales Scholarship $6000.00
Nova Scotia resident with a disability
Unable to receive assistance under EAPP program
The Royal Canadian Legion Nova Scotia Command Scholarship Committee
www.neads.ca

Here are some more scholarship websites to check out! Also check out what the registers office has to offer you at your university of choice!
www.wendys.com
www.studentawards.com
www.fastweb.com
www.studentloans.ednet.ns.ca
www.cfs-fcee.ca
www.scholarshipscanada.com