

## Scholarships for Post Secondary Education

- Speak with your guidance counselor to see what scholarships and bursaries are available.
- Check with disability specific organization for scholarships or bursaries.
- Check with university or college financial aid office (admission scholarships are automatically offered to students who qualify).
- Clubs and community service organizations in their area especially if parents or other relatives belong.
- National Educational Association of Disabled Students [www.neads.ca](http://www.neads.ca) provides list of Awards and Scholarships.

A partial list of Scholarship Programs, Awards, Bursaries, Scholarships, full financial assistance for education; information on line:

- <http://www.studentawards.com>
- <http://www.scholarshipscanada.com>
- <http://www.campusaccess.com>
- <http://www.ucfv.ca/disabilityservices/resources/Scholarships.htm>

### Specific Scholarships and Bursaries

#### **Alexander Graham Bell Association for the Deaf Scholarship Awards for College Students**

Website: <http://www.agbell.org>  
Phone: 202-337-5220

#### **The Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada AUCC**

Website: [http://www.aucc.ca/programs/index\\_e.html](http://www.aucc.ca/programs/index_e.html)  
Phone: 613-563-1236

#### **Canadian Hard of Hearing Association Scholarship Program CHHA**

Website: <http://www.chha.ca/chha/scholarships-index.php>  
Phone: 613-526-1584

#### **The Carol Thompson Memorial Fund Scholarship For Students with Learning Disabilities**

Website: [http://www.ldac-taac.ca/Scholarships/thomson\\_criteria-e.asp](http://www.ldac-taac.ca/Scholarships/thomson_criteria-e.asp)  
Phone: 613-238-5721

**Centennial Flame Research Award for Persons with Disabilities**

Website: <http://lois.justice.gc.ca/en/C-27.5/text.html>

Phone: 613-943-8399

**Christian record Services Scholarship**

Website: <http://www.neads.ca/en/norc/funding/page40.php>

Phone: 402-488-0981

**Copnick/Hilliard Scholarship Fund**

Website: <http://www.neads.ca/en/norc/funding/page21.php>

Phone: 613-723-1033

**Diana Thomson Scholarship Award (Erinoakkids)**

Website: <http://www.erinoakkids.ca/publications.cfm>

Phone: 905-828-3301

**Dr. Bruce Hendrick Scholarship Program**

Website: <http://www.sbhao.on.ca/scholar-hendrick.asp>

Phone: 416-214-1056

**F.J.L. Woodcock/Sir Arthur Pearson Association of War Blinded Scholarship Foundation**

Website: <http://www.cnib.ca/en/about/awards/scholarships/sapa/Default.aspx>

Phone: 613-563-0000

**Global Television Network Broadcasters of the Future: Scholarship Internship for a Canadian with a Physical disability**

Website: <http://www.canada.com/aboutus/scholarships.html>

Phone: 1-800-387-8001

**Goddard – Nardelli Bursary**

Website: <http://grants.wrdsb.on.ca/scholarships/Applications/Candlelighters.PDF>

Phone: 416-489-6440

**Judge Brian Stevenson Scholarship Fund**

Website: [http://www.yorku.ca/gcareers/funding\\_special\\_needs.htm](http://www.yorku.ca/gcareers/funding_special_needs.htm)

Phone: 519-759-0730

**Mattison Endowment Fund Scholarship Fund for Disabled Students**

Website: <http://www.nald.ca/info/awards/national/Mattins.htm>

Phone: (613)563-1236

**National Bank of Canada Bursary and Summer Employment Program**

Website: <http://www.nbc.ca/> then go to [Careers and Job Postings](#) → Student and Recent Graduates

Phone: 514-394-5000 ext. 5488

**National Federation of the Blind Scholarship**

Website: [www.nfb.org/](http://www.nfb.org/) then go to info about vision loss for then click students then go to NFB scholarships

Phone: 604-597-0311

**Candlelighters Childhood Cancer Foundation Canada Bursary**

Website: <http://www.caringtotheend.ca/> then go to resources and select financial services

Phone: 613-228-9800

**Parke-Davis Epilepsy Scholarship Program**

Website: <http://www.neads.ca/en/norc/funding/page38.php>

Phone: 212-827-6547

**Public Service Commission of Canada: Personnel Psychologist Sponsorship Program**

Website: <http://www.ammsa.com/bursary-national3.html>

Phone: 613-563-1236

**Rixon Rafter Scholarship Fund**

Website: <http://www.neads.ca/en/norc/funding/page23.php>

Phone: 519-759-0730

**Spina Bifida Association of Canada Scholarship Program**

Website: <http://www.sbhac.ca/index.php?page=scholarships>

Phone: 1-800-565-9488

**Terry Fox Humanitarian Award Program**

Website: <http://www.terryfox.org/english/index.html>

Phone: 604-291-3057

**Wayne and Walter Gretzky Scholarship Foundation For the Blind Youth of Canada**

Website: <http://www.cnib.ca/eng/awards-scholarships/wgs/wwgs-application.pdf>

Phone: 416-486-2500

**William and Dorothy Ferrell Scholarship**

Website: <http://www.neads.ca/en/norc/funding/page41.php>

Phone: 703-823-9690

## **Bursary for Students with Disabilities**

Students with disabilities in Ontario may be eligible for a Special Opportunity Grant (Canada Study Grant) through the Canada Student Loans Program and the OSAP Bursary for Students with Disabilities. Applications for this bursary are available through disability services offices and student awards offices in the province. Costs covered under the bursary program may include, but are not limited to, items or services such as note takers, tutors, special transportation, technical aids/equipment, computers, special chairs and splints.

### **Funding Available**

A student attending school in the 1999-2000 academic year (for programs starting any time after August 1, 1999) were able to access loans of up to \$9,350 (of which \$7,000 is repayable) in Ontario Student Loans through OSAP.

OSAP is based on financial need, which means that the amount of loan assistance available through OSAP will depend on the individual circumstances of the student and his or her family. Lower-income students will be able to access loans to cover part of their eligible costs of studying at out-of- country post-secondary institutions. Parents of students with moderate and higher incomes will be expected to make a contribution to the costs of their children's education, which will reduce the amount of loan assistance available.

All students regardless of family income will receive a bursary for eligible costs which are in excess of the maximum combined loan entitlement of \$275 per week of study of the Canada Student Loans Program and the Ontario Student Loan Program.

If you have additional questions contact the Student Support Branch, Ministry of Education and Training by e-mail at [tdd@osap.gov.on.ca](mailto:tdd@osap.gov.on.ca), by telephone at (807) 343-7257, or by TTY at 1-800-465-3958.