**Scholarship Information**

1. Automatic Entrance Scholarships – universities

* No application is required
* Universities decide on scholarship eligibility based on marks at time of application (grade 11 marks are used when early offers of admission are made). Scholarships are re-assessed in July after final grade 12 marks are submitted. Scholarship offers can be increased – usually, original offer will not decrease. Students should review conditions of their scholarship
* Each university has their own scholarship criteria – usually the calculation includes ENG4U plus 5 more grade 12 U or M level classes
* Check [www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca](http://www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca) for university scholarship information

1. Major Scholarships – Loran, Queen’s Chancellor’s, U of T National Scholarship, Schulich
   * + Each university has a major scholarship with specific criteria (not all require a school nomination)
     + Generally, these awards require specific criteria including a minimum average, volunteerism and leadership experiences
     + Usually, each application requires a letter of reference from a person who can attest to your leadership/community involvement

**Loran Scholarship** – Offered at 25 partner universities, valued at $100,000 over 4 years. Includes mentorships and summer internships. NEW – no school nomination is required. Students apply online by October 12th. <https://loranscholar.ca/>

**Queen’s Chancellor’s Scholarship** – School can have up to 2 nominations. Students submit a practice application (found on the Queen’s Major Admission Awards page) to Mrs. Cantarutti by November 8. The awards committee reviews the applications. Students who receive the school nomination must then apply to Queen’s by November 20 so that they can access the scholarship application. The application is due online before December 8. <https://queensu.ca/registrar/financial-aid/application-required/future-students/major-award/>

**U of T National Scholarship** – Students can ask school for a National Book Award nomination. Submit a draft National Scholarship application by October 4 to Mrs. Cantarutti. Students can also apply directly without school nomination. Application for the National Scholarship is due online on October 20. <https://future.utoronto.ca/national-scholarship/>

**Schulich Leader Scholarship** – Offered at 20 partner universities. Recognizes STEM disciplines. Schools can nominate 1 student. Students submit a draft application by January 10 to Mrs. Cantarutti. The awards committee will select one applicant and will submit the nomination by January 31. The student application is due on February 21. <https://www.schulichleaders.com/>

**See Mrs. Cantarutti for information regarding the application process for each of these scholarships.**

1. Scholarships and Bursaries – College and Universities

* Applications required
* Each have individual deadline dates
* Volunteerism, leadership, extra-curricular, marks, financial considerations
* Some colleges and universities have a general application and then they assess the appropriate scholarship/bursary based on the criteria you provide
* Some will require a letter of reference from a person in the community or a teacher/coach who can attest to your school or community involvement
* Check the financial link of the college or university you plan on attending for the process and deadline dates.

1. General scholarships and bursaries

* Scholartree.ca, yconic.com, scholarshipscanada.com – these sites ask you to fill in a profile and then they will email you a variety of scholarship information that match your profile
* Check announcements for scholarships that are advertised throughout the year i.e. – TD Bank Community Service Scholarship, Terry Fox Scholarship, etc.
* Check the Guidance page – grade 12 – financial for local scholarships that are available to Kingston and area students.
* Ask your parents/grandparents if they are affiliated with organizations that may offer scholarships. For example, many insurance companies offer scholarships. There are scholarships for families with veterans and military members, and unions often have scholarships as well.