

## Scholarship Application Project Asn't – Fillable Version

Due: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Course:** Financial Literacy / Career Education

**Value:** 20 marks (+ up to 3 bonus marks)

**Purpose:** To help you research, evaluate, and **actually apply** for post-secondary scholarships available in Canada for the 2026–27 school year.

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## Instructions for Students

Copy this material into your own google document, complete, and submit on the due date

Evidence of applications should be uploaded or attached as indicated.

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## Part A: Scholarship Selection (6 marks)

Answer in **one sentence each**.

- List **two to five scholarships** you selected and their deadlines:
  - Scholarship 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Deadline: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Scholarship 2: \_\_\_\_\_ Deadline: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Scholarship 3: \_\_\_\_\_ Deadline: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Scholarship 4: \_\_\_\_\_ Deadline: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Scholarship 5: \_\_\_\_\_ Deadline: \_\_\_\_\_
- Explain **why you are eligible** for at least two of these scholarships:

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- Identify the **largest scholarship** you selected and explain why it is worth the effort:

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## Part B: Understanding the Process (5 marks)

For this 'fill in the blank' section, use each word **once**. Two words will **not** be used.

**Word Bank:** deadline, transcript, reference, eligibility, essay, bursary, automatic

1. Scholarship \_\_\_\_\_ criteria determine who can apply.
  2. Missing a scholarship \_\_\_\_\_ usually means you cannot apply.
  3. Many scholarships require a written \_\_\_\_\_ explaining your goals.
  4. Some scholarships require a \_\_\_\_\_ from a teacher or community member.
  5. An official school \_\_\_\_\_ may be required for proof of grades.
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## Part C: Multiple Choice (6 marks)

Record the letter of the **best answer in the blank provided**.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Which scholarship usually requires the **most effort** to apply for?  
A. Automatic entrance scholarship  
B. Needs-based bursary  
C. Scholarship with an essay and reference  
D. Random prize draw
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Why should students apply for multiple scholarships?  
A. It increases stress  
B. Deadlines disappear  
C. One application covers all costs  
D. It increases the chance of receiving money
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Which action best improves a scholarship application?  
A. Applying at the last minute  
B. Using generic answers  
C. Asking for references early  
D. Ignoring eligibility rules
4. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the main difference between a scholarship and a bursary?  
A. Scholarships are repaid later  
B. Bursaries are based mainly on financial need  
C. Scholarships are only for athletes  
D. Bursaries require higher grades

5. \_\_\_\_\_ Which document is **most likely** required for major entrance scholarships?
- A. Birth certificate
  - B. Resume only
  - C. Phone number
  - D. Transcript
6. \_\_\_\_\_ What is the **best long-term benefit** of applying for scholarships?
- A. Free school supplies
  - B. Less student debt after graduation
  - C. Guaranteed admission
  - D. Shorter classes
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## **Part D: Proof of Application and Reflection (3 marks)**

Provide **evidence** for **at least two** scholarships\* (up to five):

1. Screenshot of submission confirmation submitted on EDSBY,  
  
    **or** Completed application drafts (essay, answers, reference request email) submitted on EDSBY
2. Reflect on what you learned about paying for post-secondary education.

*\*Marks are based on completion and effort, not whether you win the scholarship.*

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## **Bonus: Creative Option (+ up to 3 marks)**

Choose **one**:

- Draw a visual showing how scholarships reduce student debt
- Write a short poem, rap, or song about applying for scholarships
- Create and describe fully a metaphor comparing scholarships to something in real life (e.g., ladders, keys, safety nets)