

****Paul this is from last year. For you to reference for this year if you like and want to pursue these to see if they are being offered again. A lot of them will be. I post them on Google Classroom. Again, I used PVEC's Student Services Matters for this.

Greetings grade 12 students and parents!

All information regarding graduation, important dates, university information, links for scholarships and bursaries will be found on this google document. Please check here on a weekly basis for updates and opportunities! If you have any questions, please feel free to come see me and parents please feel free to call the school or email me. My email is ashleybuckle@gnspes.ca

Scholarships/Bursaries

South Shore Health Bursary: valued at \$7500

Criteria: Graduate pursuing health-related careers. Successful bursary recipients will be required to enter into a Return-of-Service Agreement, post-graduation, with the Nova Scotia Health Authority, and be required to work in the South Shore geographical area. The successful recipient will agree to be employed by the Nova Scotia Health Authority for no fewer than the same number of years that the recipient was provided support by the Bursary Program. Successful recipients, who are not willing to accept full-time employment with the Nova Scotia Health Authority, within the South Shore geographical area, in their field of training, will be required to reimburse the Bursary Program in full. A penalty will be applied to a recipient faulting on their Return-for-Service Agreement. The penalty would be 100% of the amount borrowed plus the applicable interest rate. More information available at <http://www.nshealth.ca/bursaries-and-scholarships>

Application: Download [here](#)

Deadline: May 12, 2023

Robbie and Jean Shaw Scholarship: up to \$2000

Criteria: Graduate who is a former or current IWK patient, entering first year of post secondary studies, 75%+ average.

Application: Apply online [here](#)

Deadline: Must be received by April 8, 2024,. Can be emailed to foundation@iwk.nshealth.ca

Angad Hundal Society Emerge Award: valued at \$2500

Criteria: Nova Scotian graduate pursuing post-secondary education who has faced challenging circumstances in life and emerged victorious. For more information visit [here](#)

Application: Apply online [here](#)

Deadline: May 31st

Angad Hundal Memorial Award: valued at \$5000

Criteria: Nova Scotian graduate between the ages of 16-19 years old at time of graduation; must be pursuing post-secondary education in the fall; essay and letters of recommendation required. For more information visit [here](#)

Application: Apply online [here](#)

Deadline: May 31 of each year

Assumption Scholarship: valued at \$1500 (7 successful applicants per year)

Criteria: Graduating students who have an average of 70%+ and who have financial need; the applicant needs to be enrolled as a full-time student at university or college in the fall of 2021.

Application: Apply online only [here](#)

Deadline: April 30 of each year

Autism Nova Scotia/Craig Foundation: Amy Farnell Education Award(s): up to \$3,000/year (renewable up to 4 years)

Criteria:

- Be a resident of Nova Scotia.
- Identify as being on the autism spectrum.
- Have been accepted to, or currently enrolled in, any post-secondary institution.
- Be registered to a course load that qualifies them as a full-time student.
- Be more likely to pursue post-secondary education with this extra financial support.

More information and application process <http://www.autismnovascotia.ca/amy-farnell-education-award>

Application: Download [here](#)

Deadline: April 21, 2024

Autism Nova Scotia, South Shore Chapter Student Bursary: valued at \$500

Criteria: Graduate that has been impacted by autism and is continuing their studies at the post-secondary level.

Application: Download [here](#)

Deadline: May 17, 2024

Canadian Volunteer Fire Services Association: valued at \$1500 (2 recipients)

Criteria: Don McKee Memorial Scholarship and Jim Hayter Memorial Scholarship - Graduate who is a CVFSA member or dependent child under the age of 25 who is going on to an accredited university/college to pursue a course of study that will lead to a recognized degree, academic standing and involvement in school and community.

Application: Download [here](#)

Deadline: Last Friday in April of each year

Cooperative Housing Federation Diversity Scholarship: valued at \$5000 over 4 years **

Criteria: Graduate must be living in a CHF Canada member housing co-op in Nova Scotia; planning to attend a publicly funded Canadian University/College or apprenticeship training program full time; have used their knowledge and understanding of diversity to make a positive contribution to their school and/or local community, financial need.

Application: Apply online [here](#)

Deadline: April 30, 2023 at 5pm

Dr. P Anthony Johnstone Scholarship: valued at \$6000

Criteria: Graduate of Nova Scotia high school entering first year university who has demonstrated an interest in multiculturalism and human rights.

Application: Download [here](#)

Deadline: March 31 of each year

Epilepsy Association of the Maritimes Bursaries/Scholarship: valued at \$750-\$1000 **

Criteria: Graduate who has epilepsy, going on to post secondary education; financial need is considered in some cases (see application form for exact criteria).

Applications:

The Di Setchell Memorial Bursary (\$1,000 x 2) download [here](#)

The James Russell Kline Memorial Bursary (\$750) download [here](#)

EAM Memorial Scholarship (\$1,000) download [here](#)

Deadline: June 10, 2022

Freeman Lumber Bursary: valued at \$2000 and potentially renewable ***

Criteria: Graduate going into a skilled trade program at NSCC, 75%+ average, financial need, leadership, service to community, extra-curricular involvement (written essay & 1 reference letter required).

Note: Successful applicant(s) will have a 16-week summer work term and co-op placement in your final year, and a potential permanent offer of employment.

Application: Download [here](#)

Deadline: April 23rd

Friends of Sable Island Society Scholarship: valued at 1st place \$1500, 2nd place \$500***

Criteria: Graduate must be pursuing post-secondary education in the fall, transcript showing 75+ average and resume required; create an accessible timeline of 5-7 key events in Sable Island's human history prior to the Humane Establishment, maximum 250 word reflective statement.

Application: Download [here](#)

Deadline: April 24, 2023 by 11:59pm

Gordon J. Hubley Citizenship Award

For Students who reside in Mill village, Charleston, Danesville, Port Medway and East Port Medway.

Applicants must be accepted into a post secondary institution. Must submit an essay expressing their chosen path of post secondary study, why they see it as an opportunity for future employment and how their current community and extracurricular involvement plays a role in this decision.

Requires current transcripts, proof of acceptance, awards or accolades.

\$1000 award.

Must be mailed to:

GJH Citizenship Award Selection Committee

P.O.Box 91

Port Medway, NS

B0J 2T0

Deadline: **June 30** of each year

Graham Pinsent Memorial Bursary Lesbian, Gay and Bi Sexual Youth Project: valued at \$500**

Criteria: Lesbian, gay, bisexual or transgendered graduate under 25 years of age, accepted into a Canadian post-secondary institution who has financial need.

Application: Download [here](#)

Deadline: May 1st of each year

Hockey Nova Scotia Awards: valued at \$1000 **

Criteria: Graduate involved in hockey through HNS (must be a minor hockey team, not high school team). For more information visit [here](#).

Application: Download [here](#)

Deadline: April 17, 2023

Horatio Alger Vocational and Technical Education Scholarship: valued at \$3000 **

Criteria: Canadian Graduate who plans to enroll in a 3 year or less career/technical degree/certificate in September that will lead to employment, demonstrated critical financial need, and demonstrated perseverance in overcoming adversity.

Application: Application process will open on March 15, 2023. Apply online [here](#)

Deadline: June 15, 2023 (check deadline when application opens)

IWK Health Research Scholarship: valued at \$2500 **

Criteria: Graduate must be pursuing post-secondary studies at a Maritime institution (college or university) in a field that will enhance research and/or innovation in health care; students submitting an application must include a cover letter, essay, letters of recommendation, and transcripts. More information can be found at

www.iwk.nshealth.ca/research/scholarship.

Application: Apply online [here](#)

Deadline: March 1, 2023

John Abbass Senior Memorial Scholarship: valued at \$3000

Criteria: Graduate must be a resident of Nova Scotia (may be attending a post-secondary institution outside of Nova Scotia), in the process of taking their first post-secondary educational pursuit in a degree related to business or to their family business, achieved an average of 80%+, preferably have a family business background, interest in becoming involved in their family business or pursuing their own business interests. Candidates must be applying for the first time – only one submission per applicant permitted.

Application: Download [here](#)

Deadline: 5pm ATL, March 31 of each year

Johnsons Scholarship: valued at \$1000 ***

Criteria: To apply, graduate must be:

- a resident of a province or territory of Canada;
- completing high school in 2020; and
- enrolled in an undergraduate program on a full-time basis for the 2020-2021 academic year at a recognized publicly funded Canadian post-secondary institution or Cegep (if living in the province of Quebec).

Graduate must also fall into at least one of the following categories:

- have a home or car policy through Johnson;
- be a member/employee of a Johnson recognized group±;
- have a parent/guardian or grandparent who has a home or car policy through Johnson;
- have a parent/guardian or grandparent who is a member/employee of a Johnson recognized group±, and has a home or car policy or group benefit plan through Johnson;
- have a parent/guardian or grandparent who is a member/employee of a Johnson recognized group±, but does not have a home or car policy or group benefit plan through Johnson; or
- be a child/grandchild of a Johnson employee.

Jordans Principle Scholarship: valued at \$5000 ***

Criteria: Graduates who are First Nations students studying children's health or children's disabilities at a Canadian post-secondary institution; demonstrated commitment to Indigenous children's health and community service; demonstrated academic commitment and achievement; financial need will be taken into consideration. More information can be found [here](#).

Application: Apply online [here](#)

Deadline: April 30, 2023 11:45am EST

Lutz/Lutes Family Scholarship: valued at \$1000

Criteria: Graduate going on to an accredited post-secondary education institution in Atlantic Canada, high academic achievement and financial need.

Application: Download [here](#)

Deadline: March 31st/2024

Manulife Life Lessons Scholarship: valued at \$10,000***

Criteria: Graduate, 17-24 years old who is a permanent resident of Canada, currently enrolled or accepted to post-secondary education in Canada, and who has experienced the death of a parent or legal guardian who had little or no life insurance coverage. More information and application available

<https://www.manulife.ca/personal/plan-and-learn/life-events/life-lessons-scholarship.html>.

Application: Application will open Feb 1, 2023

Deadline: March 31, 2023

Ministers Award for Creative Excellence in the Arts: valued at \$1000 and \$500

Criteria: Graduate going on to study an arts-related program at a post-secondary institution

- Art Gallery of Nova Scotia Award for Excellence in Visual Arts (includes ceramics, computer-generated art, drawing, mixed media, painting, photography, printmaking and sculpture)
- Award for Excellence in Performing Arts (includes performance art forms such as circus, dance, improv, music, spoken word and theatre)
- Award for Excellence in Digital Multimedia (includes digital multimedia such as animation, video and intermedia)
- Charlie A'Court Scholarship for Excellence in Music (CASEM)

Application: Download [here](#)

Deadline: April 13, 2024

New Canadian Education Award

Criteria: This fund is for new immigrants and their children. This award was established by Marta Mihoff and her husband, Derek Broughton, in honour of Marta's grandfather, Leo Mihoff, who immigrated to Canada from Bulgaria around 1920. It was important to Leo that his eldest child, a daughter, go to university, and told her the only thing which cannot be taken from you is education.

Applicants will need the following:

- Proof of immigration - yours or your parent(s)
- Two reference letters
- Proof of enrollment at a post-secondary institution or in an accreditation program
- An explanation of why you are eligible for this award
- A story about an experience in your life that was important to you
- An explanation of financial need
- A clearly-defined learning plan

Application: Apply online [here](#)

Deadline: April 30

Nova Scotia Dept of Education Scholarship for African Nova Scotian Students: valued at \$1000 to \$7000 ***

Criteria: Five different awards. Information go to <https://www.ednet.ns.ca/acs/scholarships-grants>

1. Community College/Trade School Award \$1,800

2. Performing Arts Award \$1,000
3. Post-Secondary Award \$2,500
4. Science Profession Scholarship Up to \$7,000
5. Teacher Education Scholarship Up to \$5,000
5. University Entrance Scholarship \$4,500

Application: Download [here](#)

Deadline: July 28, 2023 except University Entrance Scholarship deadline is May 31, 2023

Nova Scotia Power Scholarships

Criteria: Five different awards. For more information go to <https://www.nspower.ca/community/scholarship>.

Some common criteria for all five awards: Canadian citizen/resident of NS graduate entering any year of full-time post-secondary study at a Canadian university or college in Power Engineering, Power Line Technician, Instrumentation Tech, Engineering, Technology, Business, Marketing & Communications, Environmental Sciences or Law, minimum 75% average, financial need, leadership, service to community, extra-curricular involvement and written essay.

1. Emerging Leaders Scholarships \$2,500 x 4
2. Women in Trades, Engineering & Technology Scholarship \$2,500 x 6 (must be female)
3. African Nova Scotian Scholarships \$2,500 x4 (Must be African Nova Scotian)
4. Nova Scotia Power Family Scholarship - \$1,000 x 10 (Must be a dependent of NSP employee/retiree)
5. Mi'kmaq Bursary \$1,000 x 4 (Must be Mi'kmaq)

Application: Must apply online [here](#)

Deadline: April 19, 2024

NSGEU Dependant Scholarship: valued at \$1500 and \$1000 ***

#1 Criteria: Graduate who is a dependent of an NSGEU member, minimum 85% average, going on to post-secondary education. More information available [here](#).

Application: Download [here](#)

Deadline: March 15, 2023 by 5pm

#2 Criteria: Graduate who is a dependent of an NSGEU member; enrolled in post-secondary education.

More information available [here](#)

Application: Must apply in the fall after graduating from high school. Download [here](#)

Deadline: October 15, 2023

National Union of Public and General Employees (NUPGE): Valued at \$2500

Criteria: Eight different awards. Essay required. Common criteria for each award: Must be child/grandchild/ foster child/grandchild of members or retirees of NUPGE and its affiliates, entering 1st year of full-time post-secondary study at a Canadian public institution For more details go to <https://scholarships.nupge.ca/>.

1. Brian Fudge Memorial Scholarship - Entering policing, criminal justice/community/health services
2. Scholarship for Black Students
3. Scholarship for Indigenous Canadians
4. Scholarship for LGBTQI2S Students
5. Scholarship for Students of Colour
6. Terry Fox Memorial Scholarship - For disabled graduates
7. Tommy Douglas Scholarship
8. Young Worker Scholarship

Application: Download [here](#)

Deadline: June 30, 2024

Partnership for Access Awareness Scholarship (PAANS): valued at \$1500 and \$2000 **

Criteria: Graduate who has a permanent disability, permanent resident of Nova Scotia, planning to attend an undergraduate program at a recognized Canadian post-secondary institution, not related to a member of the selection committee. Other factors that are considered include: community involvement, extra-curricular activities, approach to overcoming barriers, academic performance and educational goals and direction.

Application: Download [here](#)

Deadline: April 28, 2023 by 4:30pm

QEII Foundation Diversity in Health Care Bursaries: valued at \$1500 ***

Criteria: Community involvement, financial need, educational goals and field of study in health care and

- Be a Canadian Citizen or permanent resident, with a permanent mailing address in Nova Scotia
- Identify as
 - African Nova Scotian/Black
 - Indigenous
 - Racialized
 - Immigrant
 - 2SLGBTQIA+
 - Experiencing physical, cognitive or learning limitations that impact daily living activities
- Be enrolled for full or part-time studies for the 2023-2024 academic year
 - with a declared major in a health-related field at a Canadian post-secondary institution that is recognized by Universities Canada;
 - in a health-related program at Nova Scotia Community College; or
 - at a recognized healthcare technology institution.

Application: Apply online [here](#)

Deadline: March 20, 2023 by 11:59pm

Royal Canadian Legion NS/Nunavut Command Scholarships

1. Elsie Jean Lambert Memorial Scholarship - \$1,000

Criteria: Graduate who is a resident of Nova Scotia or Nunavut going on to full-time post-secondary education, financial need, special consideration is given to children of Veterans.

Application: Download [here](#)

2. Wales Scholarship for Disabled Nova Scotians - \$1,500

Criteria: Disabled Nova Scotian graduate continuing their post-secondary education at a recognized institution

Application: Download [here](#)

Deadline: Must be received by April 15 at 12 noon (no exceptions - postmarks do not count)

The Remax 2023 Quest for Excellence Scholarship: valued at \$1000

To be eligible to apply, you must be graduating in June 2023 and active in your community with ideas on how to make your community a better place to call “home”. You must submit an essay, up to 1250 words, on one of the following questions:

1. What does a bright future look like for you?
2. How have you demonstrated leadership or charity within your community to make it a better place?
3. How can we ensure fair and affordable housing for all Canadians?

Submissions accepted from September 12, 2022 to March 13, 2023. Go to blog.remax.ca/quest-for-excellence.

Contact questforexcellence@remax.ca if you have questions.

Check out the grade 12 bulletin board in the foyer area

University Information

Dalhousie University Key Dates and Deadlines

March 1: Entrance award application deadline

May 15: Admission deposit due; deadline to accept entrance award offers

Visit dal.ca/deadlines for a full list of important application deadlines.

Truro Start: Students can now begin a Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Applied Computer Science and Bachelor of Computer Science programs on the Agricultural Campus in Truro. For more information visit dal.ca/truro-start.

Campus Tours: In person campus tours are back, please visit dal.ca/campustours.

Residence: Students will be guaranteed a room in residence if they're new, direct-from-high-school domestic or international students and have a complete application on file by May 15. Priority access will be given to students with one or more of the following identities:

- Indigenous students, especially Mi'kmaq;
- African/Black students, especially Historical African Nova Scotian;
- Students with (dis)abilities or ongoing medical conditions that significantly impact housing needs

GRADUATION 2024 - WHAT YOU ARE MOST EXCITED ABOUT!!

There will be updates coming very soon regarding graduation events and dates. Stay tuned!

