

# *Dryden High School*

## *2024*

### *Bursaries & Scholarships*

*If you are a Dryden High School student who is graduating in 2024, you may apply for many scholarships and bursaries, thanks to our very generous sponsors!*



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*To be eligible for awards, you must have been a full-time student for at least half of the current school year  
(ie 3 courses in a semester)*

## **THINGS TO NOTE**

- ***Read the award information carefully.*** Many of the scholarships and bursaries have specific instructions. Read and re-read and follow the instructions to ensure that you keep yourself eligible for selection.
- ***Mind the date!*** Not all application deadlines are the same. Be sure to check the dates for your applications and submit them promptly. ***\*If your application must be mailed, allow ample time for mail delivery so that your application arrives on or before the deadline!***
- ***Use the correct application form.*** Many scholarships and bursaries use the Standard DHS Application but there are several that have custom applications. Make sure you use the right one! The Standard DHS Application is included at the end of this booklet. All other applications are available online or in the Guidance Office. ***\*Each award requires a separate application!***
- ***Transcripts.*** If the award(s) that you are applying for indicate that a transcript is required, an electronic version can be emailed to you (request from [dhsguidance@kpdsb.ca](mailto:dhsguidance@kpdsb.ca)) or one can be printed for you in the Guidance Office. Stop by and see our DHS Guidance Team.
- ***Don't assume you are not eligible.*** Just because you are not going away to College or University this Fall, doesn't mean that there is nothing available to you. Many of the scholarships and bursaries are deferrable for up to one year.
- ***How does it work?*** If you are a successful applicant, you will find out at the Graduation Ceremony. You will also receive all of the information necessary for next steps at that time. If you still have questions, contact the Guidance Office.
- ***Other awards are available.*** There are a few external awards included in this booklet that may be of interest to you. There are also many others that you may be eligible for. Spend some time doing some internet searches - it may be worth your while!
- ***If you don't know, ask!*** If you are unsure about anything in the application process, don't hesitate to ask for help at the Guidance Office.
- ***Info is available online.*** This document is available for download from the DHS Guidance website. As well, all of the application forms are available as fillable pdfs. Visit: <http://guidance.dhseagles.kpdsb.on.ca/scholarships-bursaries/>
- ***Info is available in the Guidance Office.*** Feel free to drop by the Guidance Office to pick up a hard copy of this booklet or any of the applications.

## No Application Necessary

The recipients for the awards listed below will be determined based on the criteria of the individual awards. You do not need to apply for these awards.

**DETAILS ARE PROVIDED HERE FOR YOUR INFORMATION ONLY.**

Award Name	Award Criteria
Dryden High School Counsellors' Award	An award given to a graduating student who has persevered through many difficulties to reach this summit.
Dryden Minor Football	Two \$500 bursaries will be awarded to former Dryden Falcons and Dryden Eagles football players that have displayed outstanding leadership qualities both on the field and in the community. Recipients will be chosen by the Dryden Minor Football executive in partnership with the coaching staff of the DHS Eagles Football Team.
Dryden Rotary Charity Foundation- Youth Ambassador Scholarship	One scholarship of \$1000 is to be awarded to the High School student chosen by the Rotary Club of Dryden to represent the Rotary Club, Dryden and Canada as an International Exchange Student during the upcoming academic year.
Dryden Rotary Charity Foundation Scholarships	A \$1000 prize to be awarded to the female and the male student with the highest average in the Grade 12 graduating class. Courses included in the calculation of average must not be repeats. Students must be proceeding to post-secondary education. Payment will be forwarded upon receipt of confirmation of registration in September.
Governor General's Academic Medal	The Governor General's medal is awarded to the student who achieves the highest average upon graduation from a secondary school. The average includes all grade 11 and 12 courses.
Lieutenant Governor's Award	The Lieutenant Governor's Community Volunteer Award for Students pays tribute to students who not only complete the required number of volunteer hours to graduate, but who go above and beyond.
Dryden High School Technology & Business Awards	Technology & Business Awards are presented to students who have achieved excellence in the areas of Construction, Communication, Manufacturing, Transportation, Cosmetology and Business Entrepreneurship: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Dick Saville Memorial Scholarship (Construction Technology Department Award)</li> <li>- Communication Technology Department Award</li> <li>- Manufacturing Technology Department Award</li> <li>- Transportation Technology Department Award</li> <li>- Cosmetology Department Award</li> <li>- Gould's BrandSource Business Entrepreneurship (Business Department Award)</li> </ul>
Ontario Principals' Council	Principal's Award for Student Leadership

## External Bursaries

Many different organizations and schools offer awards to high school graduates. Below are a few that we are aware of. Search for more online!!!

Award Name	Award Criteria	For More Info, Deadlines, and to Apply
Storwell	Storwell offers an annual bursary of \$2,000 in support of foster children to help them attend post-secondary schools and to offer a hand up as they make their way forward in life.	<a href="https://www.storwell.com/bursary-application">https://www.storwell.com/bursary-application</a>
Allied Van Lines	Allied Van Lines is a large moving company and is looking to provide a scholarship to four students who major in logistics or a similar field. Each scholarship is \$1,000 and is available to current students and to those who are enrolling in college.	<a href="https://www.alliedvanlines.ca/scholarship">https://www.alliedvanlines.ca/scholarship</a>
Manulife Life Lessons Scholarship	Manulife has introduced the first Life Lessons Scholarship Program in Canada, for students who've experienced the death of a parent or guardian with little to no life insurance. The Scholarship Program helps combat the financial burden of paying for post-secondary education during an emotional time and recognizes the perseverance that so many youth show in such adversity.	<a href="https://www.manulife.ca/personal/plan-and-learn/life-events/life-lessons-scholarship.html">https://www.manulife.ca/personal/plan-and-learn/life-events/life-lessons-scholarship.html</a>
Ontario Justice Education Network	Bursaries are available to grade 12 students in Ontario, pursuing post-secondary studies related to the many careers in the justice system at an Ontario University or College.	<a href="https://ojen.ca/en/program/bursaries-for-grade-12-students-pursuing-studies-toward-a-career-in-law">https://ojen.ca/en/program/bursaries-for-grade-12-students-pursuing-studies-toward-a-career-in-law</a>
DCGA STEM Fellowship	Consisting of a unique combination of scholarship and mentorship. The DCGA will be open to graduating Canadian high school and CÉGEP students starting university with a demonstrated record of using digital skills as a means of solving, or bringing awareness to a topic of interest or issue that may be of social importance at the school, local, regional, national, or global level.	<a href="https://stemfellowship.org/digital-citizenship-graduation-award/">https://stemfellowship.org/digital-citizenship-graduation-award/</a>
Confederation College	Confederation College has created the Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM) Award and made it available to students entering directly from high school and who have a SHSM designation on their Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD).	<a href="https://www.confederationcollege.ca/financial-aid/Specialist-High-Skills-Major-Award">https://www.confederationcollege.ca/financial-aid/Specialist-High-Skills-Major-Award</a>
James S. Miller Memorial Scholarship	Available to all students in Northern Ontario who are now in their final year of high school and intend to enter their first year of post-secondary education in natural resources or a related field commencing in the fall following their high school graduation. Students are eligible for the \$1,000 James S. Miller Memorial Scholarship.	<a href="https://forestsontario.ca/en/article/james-s-miller-memorial-scholarship?mc_cid=c459c6cd92&amp;mc_eid=aa29a9c82c">https://forestsontario.ca/en/article/james-s-miller-memorial-scholarship?mc_cid=c459c6cd92&amp;mc_eid=aa29a9c82c</a>