

POST SECONDARY 101: TUITION

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

CHECK FOR TUITION CALCULATOR ON YOUR UNIVERSITY WEBSITE

- Cost varies, factors include:
 - › length of program and course load,
 - › type of school (ex. private vs. public etc.), and
 - › type of program.

APPLY ONLINE THROUGH YOUR PROVINCIAL STUDENT AID APPLICATION

- Assessed for both [federal and provincial loans](#).
- Automatically assessed for [grant money](#).
 - › You don't have to pay back grants.

CENTRALIZED APPLICATION

- Create an online account, verify your ID, and submit.
- You will need:
 - › SIN #,
 - › Line 150 from your tax return (if applicable), and
 - › Line 150 from your parent/guardian's tax return (if applicable).

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

- Apply early.
- Often based on academic achievement and/or excellent performance
 - › ex. sports etc.
- Criteria varies.
 - › Consider signing up for a matching site like [Scholarships Canada](#).

CONSIDER IN YOUR APPLICATIONS:

- Your volunteer/community involvement
- Your parent/guardian employers (some have scholarships)
- What makes you unique?
- What barriers have you overcome?

PART TIME OR SUMMER WORK

- Save when and as much as you can.

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