



VANCOUVER TECHNICAL SECONDARY SCHOOL

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Consideration of School Endorsed Major & National Scholarships Overview

Background: There are a few nation-wide scholarship opportunities each year for Grade 12s that either require or are helped by the endorsement and support of the school where the student attends. These scholarships tend to offer considerable notoriety and, often, financial assistance to winning students. The bar for winning is often exceptionally high, with most high schools not having a winner in them. If you want to be considered, read the brief descriptions below and then complete the form below by Friday, October 2nd at 9 AM.

1. The Loran Scholar

(Up to three students may be selected by school)

Deadline	School endorsed applications in by October 15th. Student submitted applications by October 22 nd .
What's Included	Free tuition to one of 25 Canadian Universities. \$10,000 per year for living stipend. Three summer projects in and outside of Canada with \$10,000. Mentorship with highly successful Canadians. See full details HERE .
Who is the Perfect Candidate?	Students with high levels of grit, integrity, drive, teamwork, intellectual curiosity, service, and resiliency. Students who think outside of the box. Minimum average of 85% in the previous year of schooling.
More Information	Live Webinars coming up soon here: https://loranscholar.ca/webinar-information/ Website address: https://loranscholar.ca/

2. Schulich Leader Scholarships

(One student may be selected by school)

Deadline	School endorsed applications in by January 27 th .
What's Included	100,000 towards tuition in the field of Engineering or 80,000 for Science, Technology, or Mathematics. Usable for any of 20 Canadian selected universities.
Who is the Perfect Candidate?	Students with entrepreneurial talent, vision, and drive in the area of STEM. See their own ideal candidate information HERE .
More Information	Website address: https://www.schulichleaders.com/apply?section=student

3. U of T Book Award

(One winning student selected by school)

Deadline	School nominated application by October 15 th .
What's Included	Recognition at Graduation as the grad class' most prominent scholar. No cash value.
Who is the Perfect Candidate?	The student who has the highest average mixture of three areas: 1. Academic GPA for the last 12 months, original and creative thought (as determined by school staff), and exceptional achievement in a broad context (as determined by school staff).
More Information	Website address: https://future.utoronto.ca/scholarships/national-book-award/

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4. TD Community Leadership*(Up to three students endorsed by Mr Van)*

Deadline	Student application submitted by November 13 th .
What's Included	Up to \$70,000 for tuition and living expenses over a 4-year degree program.
Who is the Perfect Candidate?	Students who have shown exceptional initiative in making a meaningful and lasting difference in their community. Check out what previous winners have done HERE .
Special Notes	* This scholarship can be applied to by more than three students but, Mr Van will only write letters of support for up to three students as selected by the committee. Students may receive letters of reference and support from other staff.
More Information	Website address: https://www.td.com/ca/en/personal-banking/solutions/student-banking/community-leadership-scholarship-for-canadians/

5. Beedie Luminaries*(Up to three students endorsed by Mr Van)*

Deadline	Not yet available. Opens in Fall 2020.
What's Included	\$40,000 for a 4-year degree or \$15,000 for a 2-year college or trade diploma. Access to highly successful mentors. Summer paid-internship opportunities.
Who is the Perfect Candidate?	Face financial adversity and demonstrate how it has affected you. Engagement in your school or community organization. A minimum average of 75% in the most recently completed school year.
Special Notes	* This scholarship can be applied to by more than three students but, Mr Van will only write letters of support for up to three students as selected by the committee. Students may receive letters of reference and support from other staff.
More Information	Website address: https://beedieluminaries.ca/program/

**Interested in being considered for any of these?
If so, fill out the form that goes along with this info sheet.**