

# SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION SESSION

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## FACTS

☐ The average undergraduate student in Canada graduates with \$27,000 worth of debt.

According to Statistics Canada's Youth In Transition Survey, 36% of students who ceased their studies early cited financial reasons.

Source: Statistics Canada

## Costs of Education- York U

Course fees are subject to change. Fees are based on the number of courses in which you are enrolled (except Bachelor of Design). All costs are in Canadian dollars. To convert fees into other currencies, access the Bank of Canada converter.

These are yearly costs based on a full-time student for the fall/winter 2024-2025. For a detailed breakdown for a specific program, visit the <a href="Course and Program Fees webpage">Course and Program Fees webpage</a>. Visit the <a href="Student Financial Services website">Student Financial Services website</a> to determine which tuition fee category is applicable to you.

TUITION AND ANCILLARY FEES						
AVERAGE COSTS BY PROGRAM	DOMESTIC (Ontario)	DOMESTIC (Out of Province)	INTERNATIONAL	BOOKS AND FEES		
Most programs (Arts and Sciences)	\$7,289	\$7,595	\$37,281	\$1,407		
Business	\$11,217	\$11,217	\$40,370	\$2,552		
Commerce	\$11,164	\$11,164	\$40,259	\$1,658		
Computer Science	\$9,818	\$10,251	\$34,835	\$1,620		
Design	\$10,186	\$10,636	\$37,297	\$2,332		
Engineering	\$10,778	\$11,256	\$36,187	\$2,024		

- Fees listed are approximate values based on a full courseload.
- Tuition fees are based on an average for the current academic year and are subject to change. For detailed fees, visit the <u>Course and Program</u>
   <u>Fees</u> page.

## WHERE DO I BEGIN?

- Begin your research early
- Look closely at the colleges and universities that you are applying to for their own Entrance Scholarships
- □ For example, York University offers automatic scholarships and awards, and other's that require an application. For more information go to:

  <a href="http://futurestudents.yorku.ca/funding#cdn-hs">http://futurestudents.yorku.ca/funding#cdn-hs</a>
- General Scholarships
- Community Scholarships
- Hodan Nalayeh Secondary School Graduation Awards



Home » Scholarships

### Scholarships

For specific scholarships, use the Advanced Search options.

Contact the universities directly for more information about their scholarships.

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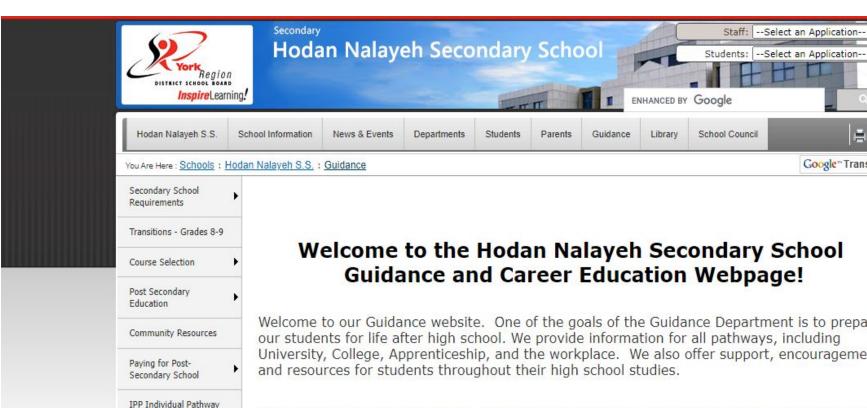


## Hodan Nalayeh SS Guidance Webpage

- Please check the <u>Hodan Nalayeh SS Guidance</u> webpage regularly to see the scholarship opportunities posted.
- ☐ The scholarship name, along with the link to the application and the deadline, will be posted.

## Visit: <u>bit.ly/HodanGuidance</u>

- ► Paying for Postsecondary School
- ► Scholarship Timeline



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Career Studies GLC20

Student Supports and Resources

#### Welcome to the Hodan Nalayeh Secondary School Guidance and Career Education Webpage!

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Welcome to our Guidance website. One of the goals of the Guidance Department is to prepare our students for life after high school. We provide information for all pathways, including University, College, Apprenticeship, and the workplace. We also offer support, encouragement,

Our Guidance Google Classroom, which has all Guidance-related information, can be accessed by using a YRDSB gapps account. Information about community involvement opportunities, scholarships, universities, colleges, apprenticeships, and much more, can be found in our Guidance Google Classroom: wzbgprh

Guidance and Career Education offers students, teachers, parents, and the community a variety of services and programs. The Guidance Department at our school provides support regarding the academic and personal needs of each individual student. Academic counselling may include assistance with course selection, career planning or pathway options.

Each student is unique and has individual needs that are important to them. At our school, counsellors offer individual appointments to facilitate each student's needs. We believe in guiding and challenging our students to become independent, healthy learners that consistently work at their full potential.

Students can book an appointment with their alpha counsellor below. Please see the counsellor list and booking instructions below. To reach our Guidance Secretary, please call: (905) 660-1397 ext. 112.



## Paying for Postsecondary: A Student's Guide to Securing Financial Aid

#### Scholarship Fact Sheet

#### **Bank Loans/Student Line of Credit**

A student line of credit or loan provides students with funds as they need it, up to a "credit limit" that is established by the bank. Scotia Bank, TD Canada Trust, CIBC, Royal Bank and The Bank or Montreal all provide student lines of credit and loans.

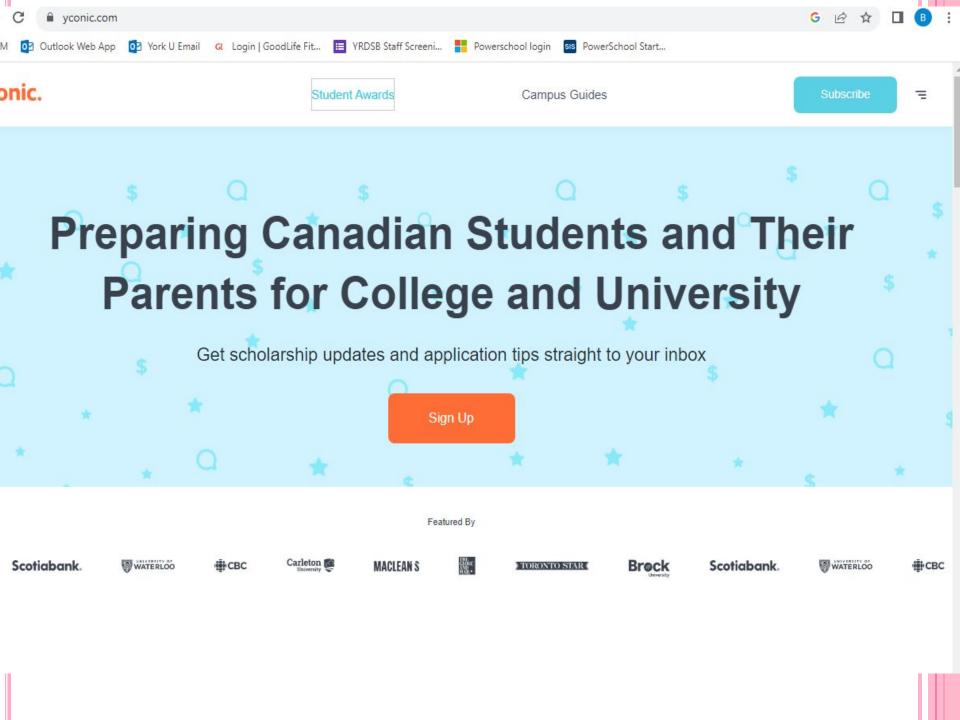
#### **Scholarships**

## Hodan Nalayeh Scholarship Submission Form

- For some scholarships, students must be nominated by the school. When looking at the monthly Scholarship Timeline, individual scholarships will specify whether or not you need to upload an application to our <a href="Hodan Nalayeh Scholarship Submission Google form">Hodan Nalayeh Scholarship Submission Google form</a>.
- The link for the form will always be hyperlinked when it is needed for a particular scholarship for example: University of Toronto Book Award, Queen's Chancellor, etc.
- For school-nominated scholarships, please always use Brian Weinstock as the School Contact.

## How Do I Find Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards?

- www.yconic.com: get matched with money for school
- www.scholarshipscanada.com
- www.scholartree.ca
- http://www.ouinfo.ca/
- https://www.unigo.com/scholarships outside of Canada
- https://tools.canlearn.ca/cslgs-scpse/cln-cln/index/ indexId-eng.do: CanLearn provides interactive planning tools to help you make important decisions about saving for, selecting and financing your post secondary education
- College/University Financial Aid Office Websites



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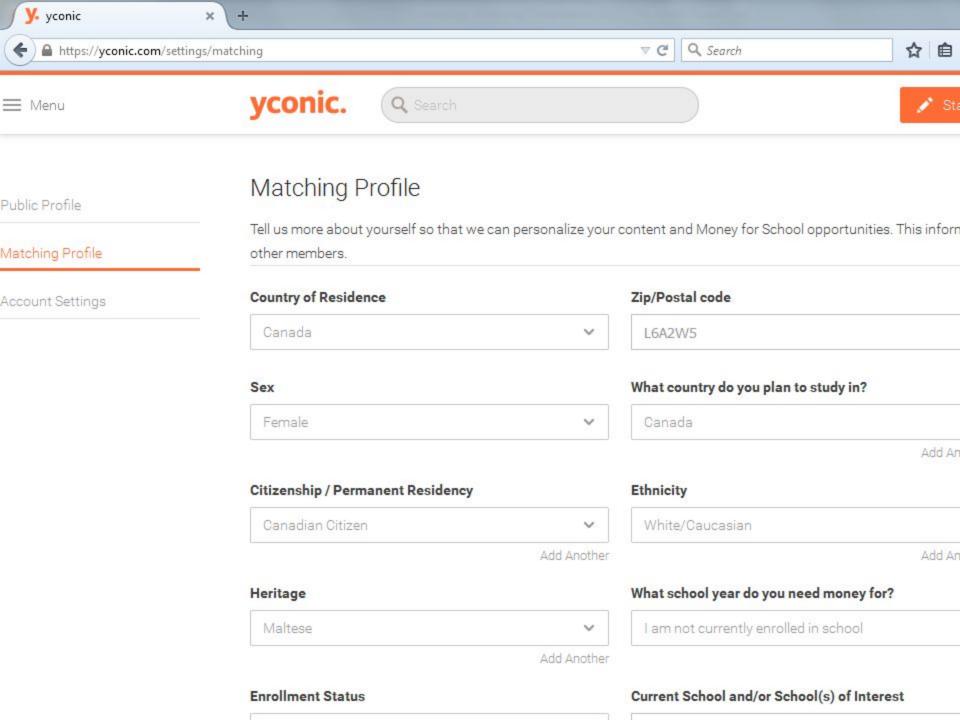
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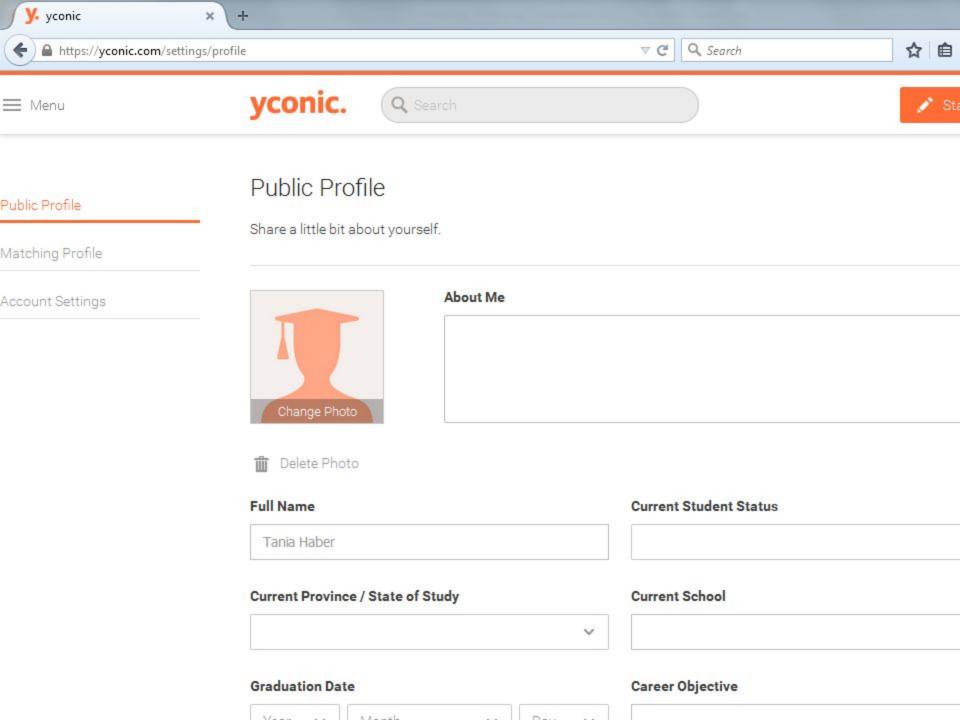
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#### International Student Refer a Friend Program

Refer an international student to apply for a Student GIC and get a \$150 bonus. Plus, they will get \$50.\*

Get rewarded

\*Conditions apply.

Two \$30,000 prizes to be won, 1 prize for domestic students and 1 prize for international students. Enter between August 1, 2024 to January 31, 2025.

See full contest rules for other ways to enter.

## Government of Canada Student Financial Assistance (Student Aid)

HTTPS://www.canada.ca/en/services/benefits/edu CATION/STUDENT-AID.HTML



#### Student grants and loans

- 1. Apply for student grants and loans
  - Apply for student grants and loans, including grants for special circumstances.
- 2. Manage your loan at the NSLSC
  - Access and update your loan account, and keep your loan payment-free.
- 3. Repay your student loan

How and when to start repaying your loan, get repayment assistance and what to do if you cannot repay your loan.

#### Most requested

- Check your loan balance (login to NSLSC)
- Get repayment assistance
- <u>Tax credit on student loan</u> <u>payments</u>

#### Contributors

• <u>Employment and Social</u> <u>Development Canada</u>

#### Other student aid

#### Apprentice loans and grants

Earn while you learn with additional aid to start and complete an apprenticeship.

#### Aid for reservists

Apply to keep your loan payment-free while you serve.

#### **Scholarships**

Scholarships for undergraduate, graduate and postdoctoral studies.

#### Aid for protected persons

Apply for the same loans and grants as a Canadian citizen.

#### Indigenous learning

Scholarships, bursaries, education programs and schools for Indigenous peoples.

#### Aid for athletes

Support for high-performance Canadian athletes who are preparing for and participating in international

## SCHOLARSHIPS CANADA FACTS

- Of the 49,823 individual scholarships listed in the 2023 ScholarshipsCanada.com Entrance Awards directory there are:
- □ 17 that require some kind of agricultural involvement;
- 262 that require athletic involvement;
- □ 1631 that require some sort of extracurricular activity
- □ 1615 that require school or community service
- 80 that require the student to have a general disability
- And there are many more qualifications beyond just grades

Source: ScholarshipsCanada.com

## MYTH:

## SCHOLARSHIPS ARE JUST FOR "BRAINIACS"

## All students DO win real money

There are thousands of scholarships and awards that reward students for non-academic attributes:

- Being creative
- Being nice
- Volunteering
- Playing hockey, soccer etc.
- Where you live
- Your heritage or what languages you speak
- Entering a contest, responding to a survey

Source: yconic.com

## WHAT TYPE OF STUDENTS ARE SCHOLARSHIP PROVIDERS LOOKING TO REWARD?

In addition to academic success and financial need, scholarship providers look for annie i scholarship providers look for applications who can demonstrate:



- Originality and Passion what makes you stand out from all the other applicants?
- □ Volunteering & Community Service do you give back to the community? Have you volunteered beyond the 40 hour requirement? What is the quality of your hours?
- Leadership & Initiative are you a founding member or have you taken an active role in a club or organization?
- **Talent** Do you have a vision? Scholarships reward fresh thinking and new ideas
- **Special targeted areas** specific heritage or cultural background, gender, special needs, geography and more

Source: yconic.com

## STUDENT LOANS

- OSAP (Ontario Student Assistance Program)
- You can apply for OSAP once you accept a program (mid to late June)
- OSAP is only meant to supplement one's educational costs, not pay entirely
- □ Payments happen in two installments 60% in the Fall, 40% in the Winter

York University OSAP Presentation



## SCHOLARSHIP TIMELINES

- The Guidance Department will post and announce scholarships on a regular basis from September to June.
- All of this information can also be found at <u>bit.ly/HodanGuidance</u>
- Additional information related to Scholarships will be posted on the "HNSS Graduating Class of 2024-2025" Google Classroom as it becomes available
- Students applying for scholarships are reminded it is your responsibility to meet all deadlines.
- There are an abundance of scholarship opportunities available; we encourage you to go on these sites, see what is out there, and apply to as many as possible.

## SCHOLARSHIP TIMELINES

- Make an appointment with your Guidance counsellor to ask questions about the process or get help with up-coming applications
- Organize your documents early (transcript requests, letters of references)
- Don't wait until the last minute start your
   work well ahead of deadlines



# HODAN NALAYEH SECONDARY COMMENCEMENT AWARDS

- There will be several awards that you will be able to apply for to receive at the Hodan Nalayeh Commencement Ceremony in June.
- Please look at the <u>Hodan Nalayeh Secondary</u> <u>School Graduation Awards</u> webpage for more information on Commencement Scholarships.