

Career News

News and General Information

 Canada/Saskatchewan <u>Student Loans and Grants Applications</u> are now open. Apply online and apply early.

FOR CWEX, CAREER ED., FIN. LIT., PAA TEACHERS, CAREER COUNSELLORS: NEW STUFF

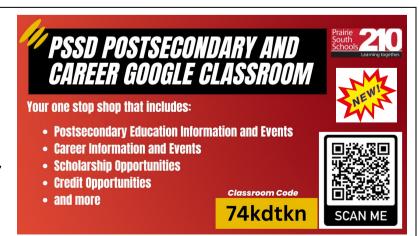
- Sask. Polytechnic Counsellor Update
 - Tuesday, September 23 (Saskatoon/North)
 - o Thursday, September 25 (Regina/South)
- Sask. Poly Open House
 - Wednesday, October 8 (Saskatoon)
 - Thursday, October 9 (Prince Albert)
 - Wednesday, October 15 (Moose Jaw)
 - Thursday, October 16 (Regina)
- Do you teach CWEX or career Ed 6-9? Are you a career or guidance counsellor? If you have anything to do with anything career-related, you should join SCWEA, the Saskatchewan Career and Work Education Association. It is one of the Professional Growth Networks (PGN) of the STF. Contact Kerrie Binetruy or Amanda Ross to register. You can also join in to the SCWEA Career Connection Conversations on the first Tuesday each month at 4:00 pm, via Teams. This allows you to learn about numerous career-related topics. These are done for the school year, but be on the lookout for new ones in the fall.

RDIEC: NEW STUFF

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FOR STUDENTS AND PARENTS:

Stay up to date daily with all career-related information, join the Prairie South Career Google Classroom. This is for students, parents, teachers, or anyone who wants up to the minute info about all things career. Get all kinds of information from post-secondary institutions, open houses, how to navigate that new transcript request system, scholarships, webinars, presentations, how to write resumes, apply for jobs, and much more, all sent right to your device. If you have not signed up yet, you are missing out on a whole lot of valuable information. Sign up today.





- Want to take a university class in high school to get it out of the way in your first year of university? If you are in grade 11, and you want to take something in the fall, check out the website. There are two kinds of classes you can take, a straight up university class, and dual credit. Dual credit means high school students can earn credit for a high school credit while also gaining valuable university-level experience by taking a university class in high school. You can take nearly any U of R class you wish while still in high school, provided you meet the criteria.
- Girls Exploring Trades and Technology (GETT) camps at Sask. Poly will get to explore what a career in trades and technology might look like. The fee is \$210. You can find more information and register on our website. Dates for 2025 camps are as follows:
 - o July 14-18 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Moose Jaw campus and Saskatoon campus
 - O July 21-25 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Regina campus
 - o August 11-15 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Prince Albert campus (Technical Building).

ORDERING TRANSCRIPTS:

NEW MyCreds TRANSCRIPT REQUEST PROCESS: is as follows:

- 1. Submit your PERSONAL email (non-school, non-parent) that you will use after grade 12 to your administrator or admin assistant in the office. From there they will submit your email address to MSS and then connect that email you provided with MyCreds. This may take a day or two.
- 2. Go to this website: High School or Adult 12 Transcripts
- 3. Once you have clicked the button you will be taken to a screen that will require you to fill out your information. This will also include a section where you will need to provide a picture of your photo ID, as well as a picture (selfie) of you with your photo ID included (right next to your face). After submitting all the information you should receive an email within a few days letting you know that you're setup to access MyCreds and begin sharing your transcripts with post-secondary institutions.
- 4. Each share of your transcripts will cost \$15.00 per institution.

More information in links below:

- a. MyCreds Homepage
- b. MyCreds How-To Videos
- c. MyCreds FAQs

This document <u>How-to-share-a-document-to-a-registered-organization</u> will explain how to share your transcript with a post-secondary institution.

FOR STUDENTS AND PARENTS FROM PREVIOUS ISSUES: OLD STUFF

- The Saskatchewan Government is adding over 550 seats in 18 different health care training programs. Have a look at this document for more information: <u>Health care information in</u> <u>Saskatchewan</u>.
- MN-S Kaashkitamaashoohk (Graduation Sash) Program | Métis Nation Saskatchewan Graduation is a pivotal time in any student's life. The Métis Nation—Saskatchewan (MN—S) Kaashkitamaashoohk (Graduation Sash) Program wants to celebrate academic success by gifting special, commemorative sashes to our citizens graduating in 2025. The goal of the program is to encourage youth to demonstrate their Métis pride by wearing the commemorative sash during 2025 graduation ceremonies. To be eligible for the MN-S Kaashkitamaashoohk (Graduation Sash) Program students must be registered MN-S citizens or in the process of becoming registered citizens.
 - Contact <u>info@mnsregistry.ca</u> for information about the registration process. Graduating students will each receive a Métis sash package that includes:
- Branded Sash, Pin, "How to Tie a Sash" Infographic, Personalized letters from the MN-S President and Regional Representative

- Are you interested in working as an Early Childhood Educator (ECE)? Here is some great financial help for you to consider: Contact: **Wendy Therens** (306-787-6108).
 - Saskatchewan Polytechnic is providing bursaries to Year Two ECE diploma students. Students will receive a \$16,000 bursary, one in October and again upon successful completion of their final practicum. Find out more here and clicking on Ministry of Education Grant.
 - o Collège Mathieu offers the Diplôme d'éducation à la petite enfance program. Qualify for up to \$3,500 in scholarships for each year of study. More information here.
 - SIIT is providing between \$500 and \$1,000 per student in bursaries for completion of ECE Level
 I, II, III, practicums and the Indigenous Early Childhood Education Advanced Certificate. Contact
 SIIT here.
- Tuition-Free Early Childhood Education Dual Credits Courses Available
- Take early ECE dual credits to simultaneously earn high school and post-secondary credits, and qualify to become an (ECE) Level I. Register for free ECE dual credits through <u>Sask Poly</u>, <u>Carlton Trail</u>
 <u>College</u> and <u>Suncrest College</u>. Following completion of the three dual credit courses, students must. apply for Early Childhood Educator Level I certification.
- Are you interested in university, but a little nervous? <u>Bridge To Campus</u> is an organization dedicated to
 help students in rural communities access resources when applying to university and experience a
 seamless transition into university by setting up students with webinars and 1:1 mentoring. Although they
 are based in McGill, they will help all students. Students, parents, and teachers are welcome to contact
 them, and all services are FREE.
- Students 16-18 interested in volunteering in the health care field, consider the Volunteen Program where
 you go into hospitals and health centres to spend time with patients and help health care professionals.
 Contact John Paul Hickie (306-630-7405).
- If you have any type of disability and you plan to attend post-secondary in the fall, contact the
 <u>Saskpolytech Accessibility Services</u> or <u>U of R Accommodations</u> or <u>U of S Access and Equity Services</u>.
 Start the process as early as possible.
- Looking for scholarships? Check out the <u>Scholarship Library from mycampusgps.ca</u>. It's a paid service, but you can acquire great information to be able to be well-prepared in grade 11 to apply for scholarships in grade 12.
- If what you're doing to help you figure out some career possibilities just doesn't seem to be working, you can have a look at a <u>Career Assessment</u> from Ken Coleman. It provides you with some assessments to lead you to understand your talents, passion, mission, and vision, as well as some practical options for potential industries and occupations that could be in your wheelhouse.
- Are you taking training for a trade for your post-secondary or are you entering the workforce in a trade? If so, you have only a short time to complete your <u>Sask. Youth Apprenticeship Challenges</u>. Doing SYA allows you to acquire 300 hours of trade time, free level 1 technical training (potentially saving nearly \$900), free registration (\$250 savings), and a shot at one of the 100 scholarships worth \$1000 across the province.
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- Learn about education lines of credit, scholarships and bursaries, Can/Sask. Student Loans, First Nations and Metis Band Funding, and other post-secondary funding at the <u>RDIEC</u> event: Parents as Career Coaches: Funding your Child's Education.
- Keep up to date on the **RDIEC YouTube Channel** for all the newest virtual spotlights.
- Interested in health sciences? Saskatchewan has agreements with post-secondary institutions in other
 provinces to reserve seats for eligible Saskatchewan residents in specific health training programs not
 offered here. The programs include Respiratory Therapy, Nuclear Medicine, Diagnostic Medical
 Sonography (Ultrasound), Occupational Therapy, Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI), Cardiovascular
 Perfusion, Electroneurophysiology, and Prosthetics and Orthotics are offered in Alberta and BC schools.

- Have a look at the <u>Health Science Fact Sheet</u> for more information on health programs in and outside the province. Check out the expansion of the <u>Health Training Program Opportunities</u>.
- WorkSafe Saskatchewan provides residents of Saskatchewan with free, online health and safety education certification. This is a great opportunity to include in your resume when applying for a job. Courses include Bullying in the Workplace, Hazard Identification, Mental Health, Violence in the Workplace, WHMIS, and many others. Course descriptions are available. Once you go through the registration, and declare yourself as a Saskatchewan resident, your total cost will be zero dollars. You can then begin taking the courses you chose.
- Before someone from a university or technical school comes by your high school, have a look at these <u>tips</u> to prepare for post-secondary representatives.

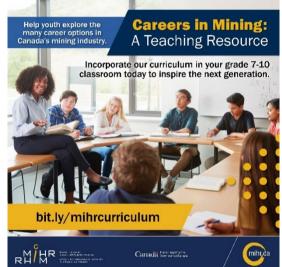
FOR CWEX, CAREER ED., FIN. LIT., SCIENCE, PAA TEACHERS, CAREER COUNSELLORS: NEW STUFF

Are you teaching anything to do with mining? Developing the next generation of workers is
essential for the sustainability and growth of the Canadian mining sector. As such, the Mining
Industry Human Resources Council (MiHR) offers a comprehensive and free educational
curriculum package designed to introduce students in grades 7 to 10 to the exciting world of mining, and a
Career Ambassador program to promote mining careers to youth through speaking engagements by
industry experts. Both programs are based on MiHR's

successful *Mining Needs You* career awareness platform.

Our Curriculum offers:

- Real-World Connections: Students learn how cutting-edge technology and everyday items like phones, tablets, and smoke detectors rely on mined materials, making learning relevant and engaging for students.
- Interactive Lessons: Our curriculum includes 12 unique lesson plans with hands-on activities and interactive themes that bring the mining industry to life.
- Curriculum Alignment: Each lesson is designed to align with provincial curriculum standards, ensuring that your teaching meets educational requirements.
- Focus on Sustainability: Teach students about the mining sector's critical role in the transition to a clean economy, emphasizing safety, environmental consciousness, and cutting-edge technology.



How to Get Started:

- Download the Curriculum: Visit our Educational Curriculum webpage to request your free digital copy of the Careers in Mining: A Teaching Resource.
- 2. **Incorporate into Your Lessons:** Use our ready-made lesson plans to seamlessly integrate mining topics into your existing curriculum.
- 3. **Engage Your Students:** Inspire your students with realworld applications and exciting career opportunities in the mining industry. You may also request a speaking engagement to be arranged with one of our volunteer Career Ambassadors.
- Enhance your Student's Learning Experience with Our Career Ambassador Program. Industry experts are available to speak with young people to highlight mining career opportunities and the sector's commitment to sustainability, social responsibility, and innovation. Our volunteer ambassadors are enthusiastic about raising awareness of the exciting careers in mining.

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Career Ambassador Program

Inspiring Canada's next generation of mining workers.

Request a Career Ambassador to Speak to Your Youth Audience!

Knowledgeable and passionate industry representatives are available to deliver presentatives are available to deliver presentatives in Canada's sustainable, safe, environmentally conscious, and competitive mining sector.

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FOR CWEX, CAREER ED., FIN. LIT., SCIENCE TEACHERS, CAREER COUNSELLORS: OLD STUFF

<u>Register your school</u> for the USask College of Medicine's brand-new student outreach program called PrairieMD. PrairieMD is a student-driven presentation that will allow your high school students in Saskatchewan to hear a medical student's journey into the Doctor of Medicine (MD) program, the process of applying to medical school, and learn about career opportunities working in medicine. If you have any questions, please email medical school.



• If you are a CWEX teacher, Career Counsellor or have anything to do with anything careers, do two things. One, join the STF Professional Growth Network known as SCWEA (Sask. Career and Work Education Association). Please contact scweapgn@gmail.com regarding membership. Two, regardless if you are a member or not, mark your calendar and sign up for the SCWEA Career Connection Conversation held at 4:00 pm on the first Tuesday of each month. Sessions run about an hour. Experts in a variety of areas spend time in a virtual meeting to explain the ins and outs of various topics pertinent to careers. To sign up, click on this link and you will receive a teams invite.

person or virtual presentation today by clicking here or the Career Ambassador Program webpage.

- Sask. Apprenticeship has a new SYA Program Development Specialist, <u>Alora Heinrichs</u> (306-227-7801).
 Contact Alora for information on career fairs and SUTIL inquiries. In the south of the province, contact <u>Mandy Derr</u> (306-527-1730). She is the SYA Program Consultant in the Regina office, and she coordinates SYA presentation requests in the south half of the province, VR presentation requests, and MyATC assistance.
- If you wish to book a presentation from Sask. Apprenticeship, contact the main office (306-787-2444) in the Regina office. Three presentations are available:
 - Saskatchewan Youth Apprenticeship (SYA) (overview of skilled trades, apprenticeship process, and educates students on SYA—45 minutes)
 - Saskatchewan Youth Apprenticeship and Virtual Reality (condensed overview of skilled trades, apprenticeship process, and educates students on SYA, followed by the opportunity for students to try out a trade using VR technology—3 hours)
 - Saskatchewan Youth Apprenticeship and MyATC Registration (overview of skilled trades, apprenticeship process, and educates students on SYA, followed with a student registration walkthrough of MyATC—60 minutes)

• Register for MyATC here. Use this Cheat Sheet to help you register.

There are 2 pathways schools can choose to participate in free training from Sask. Safety Council:

- Career Safety Education Guided Pathway This is a hands-off system that allows students to take 1 course at a time in a specific order to help build their knowledge at each step. They take New Worker Readiness, Mental Health Resiliency, WHMIS, Hearing Protection and lastly, an industry elective. This ensures the learner is building the knowledge at each step that can be used to help understand the next course content. To register for the Career Safety Education, complete the profile request form here.
- Self-Learning Pathway The learner is given access to all the free training, allowing them to pick and choose what courses to take based on what they need. This pathway is recommended for those that already have a foundational knowledge of workplace safety, risks, hazards, and control measures so they can comprehend the material in the courses. It is also the one used if you only want a single course or access to courses in a different sequence than is recommended. For all-access to the programs in the self-learning pathway, complete the profile request found here.

What teachers responsible for young workers need to know:

- Commonly Confused Young Workers Readiness Course & Career Safety Education
- Young Workers' Readiness Course is a single course that is required to work in Saskatchewan for those aged 14 and 15 only.
- Career Safety Education is a series of voluntary training courses designed to prepare new workers at all ages for employment in Saskatchewan.
- Skills Canada Saskatchewan: Trade and Tech Day is an opportunity for students to hear a one-hour presentation from Jayden Leister, a Skills Canada alumnus, who will speak about his involvement with Skills and how it prepared him for a technical career in the Royal Canadian Navy. Following the presentation, there will be two to four Try a Trade and Technology activities for students to receive some hands-on experiences in a variety of industries. If you are interested in a Trade and Tech Day and your school, please contact at Jayden Leister.
- Keep up to date on the RDIEC YouTube Channel for all the newest virtual spotlights.
- Anyone teaching Career and Work Exploration (CWEX) please contact <u>Jeff Feeley</u> for CWEX employer folders, certificate frames, gifts, CWEX binder, or anything else related to CWEX. Or if you are new to teaching CWEX, please contact him to learn more about running the course. CWEX calendars are ready to go on <u>Connect</u>.

APPRENTICESHIP AND TRADES INFO: NEW STUFF

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- What is Apprenticeship Brochure can provide information for those interested in apprenticeship trades.
- <u>Entrance Requirements-for-Apprenticeship Training</u> explains the high school grades and classes required to apprentice in each specific trade.
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- <u>Journey through Apprenticeship</u> explains the process involved in becoming a journeyperson and the difference in getting there via direct apprenticeship versus pre-employment.
- From Sask. Apprenticeship: All SYA Champions and SYA Participants will need to have a MyATC account. New students are registered through MyATC. SYA Champions can approve youth apprentice registrations, and request and access completion certificates. SYA Participants can view levels completed and print their completion certificates and will use MyATC to apply for apprenticeship when they are ready. If you were registered with us as a school before January 10, 2022, you will have a code that you will use to register. Your code will never expire and can be used to set up multiple SYA Champs. If you've lost your code or you are a brand new school please contact us at youthapprenticeship@gov.sk.ca.
- A guide to explain how to get registered for MyATC can be found here. If you have questions, contact Sask. Youth Apprenticeship at you can find MyATC here.

RCMP INFO: OLD STUFF

• Interested in the RCMP? Attending one of their many in person or virtual <u>recruiting events</u> held throughout the year is one the steps towards becoming a member. Options include 15-minute talks to get the chance to talk with an RCMP recruiter, and one-hour virtual career presentations, some with an Indigenous focus, some with a female focus, and some for anyone to see if the RCMP is potentially for you.

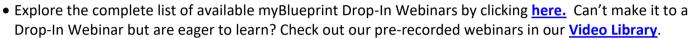


MYBLUEPRINT INFO: NEW STUFF

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- Here are some great resources to start the year.
 - o **Getting Started Guide for Teachers**
 - o Getting Started Guide for Students
 - o **Goal Setting Activity**



- Teachers new to CWEX or Career Education and wish to use myBlueprint should contact <u>Jeff Feeley</u> to get set up. Then, go to the Prairie South website (Students, Career Planning, myBlueprint, ChatterHigh, Career Planning Apps, Student sign up instructions for myBlueprint)
- Sorry we missed you at *Building the Future Workforce: Integrating Durable Skills into K-12 Education*. It was a great discussion with our expert panelists. Good news—you can still catch up! We've got the full webinar recording and resources ready for you.
- Teachers should check out the free myBlueprint Webinars on a wide variety of topics to help you and your students get more out of myBlueprint.
- Or have a look at the slide shows to help you help your students.
 <u>Vision Board Lesson Plan & Slideshow</u> to help students visualize their goals and dreams.
 A Forwards & Backwards Planning Slideshow to guide students in preparing for their future.

CHATTERHIGH INFO: NEW STUFF

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CHATTERHIGH INFO: OLD STUFF

- Stay up to date with competitions through the school year here. Check out all the courses available:
 - <u>Learn About Your Taxes</u> by the Canada Revenue Agency
 - o Money Management Courses by the Financial Consumer Agency of Canada
 - o Mental Health and Wellness
 - o Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion
 - o Insurance Literacy and Me by the Insurance Bureau of Canada
 - Automotive & RV Industry Pathways
 - o Saskatchewan Agriculture Industry Pathways
- <u>Step-by-step Video Guides:</u> A collection of resource videos for students, educators, and more to seamlessly navigate their ChatterHigh experience.
- <u>Daily Quiz Lesson Plan:</u> This PDF helps educators discover how ChatterHigh's Daily Quiz fits into their curriculum.
- One-to-one training and Classroom Presentations: We are available to help you and your classes get started. Email School Support Coordinator, Kelly to book.



CAREER AND WORK EXPLORATION (CWEX) INFO: OLD STUFF

- The <u>Saskatchewan Federation of Labour</u> offers 1 ½ -2-hour virtual presentations of the Ready for Work Program. If you are teaching CWEX and want to set up a presentation, please contact <u>Janelle Gerard</u> (306-924-8301).
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- New to CWEX or Career Education 6-9? Try these resources. Check out the <u>Career Planning</u> section of the Prairie South site for login instructions for both myBlueprint and ChatterHigh
- a. <u>ChatterHigh</u> is a gamified content engagement platform to help students prepare for life after high school.
- b. <u>myBlueprint</u> is a great resource for students and teachers to learn about all things career. <u>myBlueprint</u> <u>Support</u> is a great resource for teachers to access assignments, webinars, videos, and other resources for both teachers and students. Teachers, contact <u>Jeff Feeley</u> to get registered with myBlueprint and access these great resources.
- Financial Literacy, Math, Life Transitions teachers, check out <u>PennyDrops</u>, Canada's largest student-run, non-profit organization dedicated to the advancement of financial literacy. Teachers can sign up their whole class, and have students work through numerous modules.
- Career and Work Exploration (CWEX) Teachers:
 Please contact <u>Jeff Feeley</u> if you require CWEX Employer Folders, a CWEX binder, CWEX gifts and certificate frames or support for first-time CWEX teachers.
 CWEX calendars are ready to go on Connect.

SAFETY INFO: OLD STUFF

• Check the <u>Events Calendar</u> of the Safety Council for upcoming safety training sessions on a variety topics including skid steer operator, power machine operator, fall protection, forklift, aerial work platform, and hazard recognition. There are also courses for personal interests and activities such as motorcycle rider training, defensive driving, ATV safety.



- The Saskatchewan Safety Council offers a variety of <u>free online training programs</u> for students ages 14-21. These include Hearing Protection, Fall Protection, and Respiratory Protection. Students who have <u>Career Safety Education</u> training can click the <u>Login button on this page</u> and enter the email address they used for SCE in the User Name field, then click "Forgot your password?" Once they have a new password, they can login with it and take the training. Anyone else can follow the directions on that page. If your students would benefit from some other type of safety training, contact the <u>Safety Council</u> and let them know what you would like to see them offer.
- Attention grade 9 teachers. RDIEC has organized a video safety series which Grade 9 students and teachers can access by clicking <u>Grade 9 Safety Fair Videos</u>. This series will include videos from the Safety Councils below, totalling approximately 2 hours of viewing time. Teachers can access videos individually so they can incorporate each message into lessons according to their timeline.

Work Safe Saskatchewan Sask. Safety Association
Motor Safety Association SGI – Young Drivers

Service Hospitality Sask. Construction Safety Association

Energy Safety Canada

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION: OLD STUFF

Have a look at the great information from the <u>Saskatchewan Mining Association</u>, including <u>career posters</u> in the mining industry. As well, check out the reference materials (also available in French), potash kits, lesson plans, career videos about a variety of career possibilities and other great information about the mining industry in Saskatchewan and across the country.



- If you are interested in a presentation for students from Service Canada for things like Social Insurance Number clinics, Student Loans, Apprenticeship Loans and Grants, financial literacy, and career planning in general, contact Melanie Friesen (639-382-3100).
- VR 4 Careers in SK Virtual Reality is led by the Regina Work Prep Centre. These people were at the
 Career Fair in Assiniboia doing the virtual reality activities. If you wish to have them come to your school
 to present and have students try out the virtual reality options including mining machine, electrician,
 welder, heavy equipment operator, HVAC tech, robotics tech, mining engineer, and process engineer.
 Contact Eric Milos to book them for your school.
- Teachers and Career Counsellors, try out <u>Wayfinder</u>, a collection of over 300 reflective practice resources to enhance career development with experiential learning.

Post- Secondary Information

OLDS COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND TECHNOLOGY: NEW STUFF

We are excited to share info about our <u>Transitional Employment Program</u>, created to support students with developmental disabilities as they gain valuable work experience. <u>This is an overview</u> from our Instructional Coaches, including details on eligibility, supports and how to apply. If you know a student who might be a good fit, or work with someone who does, please feel free to pass it along.

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Turfgrass Management Diploma During this two-year program, you will collaborate with
faculty experts while you study renovation, construction, irrigation, design and water
management. Develop your skills through hands-on learning creating bunker and irrigation
construction on our unique campus that acts as a living lab, complete with computercontrolled greenhouses and a 12,000 square foot Landscape Pavilion.



- As part of the Turfgrass Management diploma program, you will complete three Field Schools (six months in total) and three paid internships (six months in total), where you will have the opportunity to put your skills and knowledge in practice, while gaining valuable hands-on work experience in the turfgrass industry.
- Check out one of their Friday Tours where you personalized tours, the chance to explore classrooms labs, residences, and hands-on spaces like the Smart Farm, interactive sessions from current students and instructors, free on-site applications, free coffee and a hoodie. Register here.
- Did you know you can take a four-year <u>Bachelor of Digital Agriculture Degree</u>?
- Counsellors, book your classroom presentations now! Virtual and in-person options are available for our "Programs & Student Life" and "Careers in Agriculture" presentations. <u>Click here</u> to book.
- Check out the <u>Future Students page</u> to learn more about the many great programs that Olds has to offer.
- There is a new agreement between Olds College and <u>St. Matthew's University</u> in the Cayman Islands where students can take their Vet. Tech. Diploma and transfer to the Vet. Medicine program. Check out this and other <u>articulation agreements here.</u> Vet. Med. Reception grads may also transfer to the Vet. Tech program.

- There is also still space left in the Bachelor of Digital Agriculture, Heavy Equipment Operator, Vet. Med. Receptionist, and Open Studies programs.
- Teachers, principals, or counsellors who wish to **Book a Presentation** can book now.
- <u>Future Student Webinars</u> take place the second Wednesday of each month. Learn more about Olds College.
- Residence webinars are also available to learn about living on campus.
- Future student advising sessions are available as well. Book now.
- Take a Virtual Campus Tour here.
- The New Program Sneak Peek Webinar is available for those counsellors who missed out on it earlier.
- If you wish to book a campus tour, <u>click here</u> and complete the form.

UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN: NEW STUFF

 Sign-up period for <u>Indigenous Student Achievement Pathways (ISAP)</u> Learning Communities (LCs) in the College of Arts and Science until mid-August.



- June 8 is the deadline to sign up for the following Learning Communities (LCs):
 - o Agriculture and Bioresources LCs
 - Arts and Science First-Year Learning Experience (FLEX) LCs
 - Edwards School of Business LCs
 - Kinesiology LCs
- June 5-Starting at 1 pm CST Saskatchewan, class registration opens for students signed up for Learning Communities or admitted to the <u>University of Saskatchewan Transition Entrance Program (USTEP)</u>
- June 9-Starting at 1 pm CST Saskatchewan, class registration opens for Huskie athletes
- June 14:
 - o Class registration opens for new, first-year students
 - Starting at 9 am CST Saskatchewan, class registration opens for new, first-year students entering the College of Arts and Science and College of Education*
 - Starting at 1 pm CST Saskatchewan, class registration opens for new, first-year students entering the Colleges of Agriculture and Bioresources, Engineering and Kinesiology and the Edwards School of Business
- *First-year Education students and students entering the Kinesiology/Education Combined Program must register for <u>Education Learning Communities</u> as part of their program requirements along with their other classes.
- Important: Students must have <u>accepted their offer of admission</u> electronically through their USask admissions account before they will be able to sign up for Learning Communities, including ISAP, or register for classes.
- Students are encouraged to explore <u>flexible learning opportunities</u> at USask such as Prince Albert or various regional colleges in the province. New students planning to enroll this year can <u>search for</u> <u>classes</u> with a flexible component.
- Students who have already applied for admission for the 2025 Fall Term have until June 25 to request to change their start term to summer. Taking summer classes is a great way for new students to get ahead in their program or complete a prerequisite for a future math or science class. Check out some sample classes popular with first-year students.

- Do you know a current or former student aged 21 or younger whose high school grades do not represent their academic potential? USTEP offers an alternative admission pathway and supportive learning community environment that connects them with upper-year peer mentors, dedicated academic advisors and specialized academic coaching. For students who have already been offered a seat in USTEP, the intake process prior to class registration begins in May. For students still planning to apply, intake for the 2025 Fall Term is available until August 1. Learn about USTEP and how to apply.
- One of the best ways students can prepare for class registration is by signing up for <u>U-Start pre-orientation activities</u>, including: <u>College activities</u> in June. U-Start also includes these unique Zoom webinar opportunities: <u>How to register in your LC course block</u> Zoom June 5 and 9, <u>Residence info session</u> Zoom Wednesday, June 11
- <u>USask announced tuition rates for 2025-2026</u> in April, and official information about tuition at USask is available on the <u>tuition and fees page on students.usask.ca</u>. Tuition for most undergraduate directentry programs at USask is calculated by adding up the cost of each individual class students are registered in. Future students can find <u>tuition and student fees estimates</u> based on a typical course offering within each program on our prospective students website.
- Students can also use the new <u>financial planning estimator tool</u> to estimate the cost of the first year of their program at USask—including tuition and required student fees, housing and transportation—and plan how to use savings, income, loans, awards or other sources of funding to cover expenses. After registering for classes, students can view their assessed tuition in the **Tuition and Fees channel in PAWS** within one day after they have registered for classes.
- With course registration just around the corner, now is the perfect time to start preparing for fall! Share these key resources to help students start strong at USask:
 - ArtSci Class of 2029 Canvas space: an online hub designed for first-years with modules on how to register for classes, FAQs and an opportunity to connect with peers
 - Course registration workshop Tues. June 10, 5-6 pm CST Saskatchewan: live virtual session to walk students through program requirements and the course registration portal
 - o ArtSci Learning Communities: FLEX course offerings are now available. Sign up closes June 8.
 - <u>Chat with an ArtSci student</u>: opportunities to connect with upper year students and get advice on first year experience, residence, life in Saskatoon and more
- Students interested in applying to Nursing in the future can apply to the <u>Nursing Preparation program</u> in the College of Arts and Science until August 15. However, because class registration opens in June, please encourage students who have not yet applied to do so as soon as possible to ensure they can register for classes on time. Many of the pre-professional courses required to be eligible to apply to the Nursing program (Year 2) fill quickly.
- Students going into Grade 12 next fall can get a head start on their degree by taking <u>COMM 101</u>, an online business course offered by Edwards School of Business. This is an especially great option for students in high schools that are not able to offer any business education courses. With <u>COMM 101</u>, students can find out whether commerce is right for them, discover what major they're interested in meet like-minded students from across the province, possibly earn a scholarship for future degree, and earn a high school credit. Apply on <u>Edwards' COMM 101 Online page</u> by <u>June 30</u> to start in September 2025.

- Saskatchewan's first occupational therapy and speech-language pathology programs have received full academic approval from USask and are set to launch in fall 2026, with applications opening in fall 2025.
 - Practitioners who earn a <u>Master of Occupational Therapy</u> improve life participation through rehabilitation, adaptation, equipment acquisition, and health promotion.
 - The <u>Master of Speech-Language Pathology</u> leads to a dynamic profession focused on the identification, diagnosis and treatment of communication and swallowing disorders among individuals across their lifespans.
 - To be eligible to apply to these graduate-level programs, students will need to have completed a four-year undergraduate degree in any field of study and the required prerequisite courses. Interested students are invited to learn more online and at upcoming student recruitment events this fall.
- <u>USask's Open House</u> is on Friday, September 19, 2025. This is the university's annual event for future students to explore all USask has to offer. We will be sending information about <u>Open House</u> after the summer break. To check that we have the correct information for your school or organization, or to let us know of any changes, please contact us at <u>admissions@usask.ca</u>.
- Counsellors and teachers: <u>In-person counsellor information sessions</u> will be: Thursday, October 2
 Counsellor Day USask main campus in Saskatoon and Friday, October 3 Counsellor Day USask Prince Albert Campus.

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<u>ISAP Learning Communities</u> welcome First Nations, Inuit and Métis students to the College
of Arts and Science with priority access to first year academic and co-curricula programming,
providing a strong start to diverse degree and certificate pathways while boosting academic
confidence and celebrating student potential.



- Now that students have started to receive their acceptance letters, we'd like to share some resources to help them get excited and ready for the fall:
 - Three Superpowers I Discovered At the Rocky Mountain Business Seminar 2023
 - o <u>Improving your Mental Health in University</u>
 - o Majoring in Business When You're Queer Why?
 - o <u>Living On Campus</u>
 - o <u>Explore Edwards Learning Communities</u>
 - Think about studying abroad in Sweden, Spain, France, Chile, among others
- The <u>Indigenous Summer Institute</u> (ISI) is a free program hosted by USask for Indigenous high school students aged 15 to 18. Designed to offer participants the experiences and aspects of campus life as a USask student, the program runs August 10 to 16, 2025. Participants can expect to sleep in dorms, eat at the University cafeteria, and engage in fun hands-on activities with various colleges and units. <u>Read about last year's ISI experience</u>.
- If students are interested in <u>studying abroad</u>, there are several ways to choose their own adventure with Edwards School of Business, whether it be for a semester, a few weeks in the summer, or through the <u>International Business Minor</u>. Students who study abroad are exposed to new ways of thinking, develop friendships with students from around the world, and truly internationalize their degree program.
- <u>Application for Residence</u> opened in early Nov. You must apply for university before applying for residence. <u>Sign in Here</u> to begin the application process. First year students are <u>guaranteed a spot</u> in Voyageur Place if they apply by Jan. 31, 2025.
- For more upcoming live-streamed events, follow the **USask Future Students Instagram.**
- Early admission seats are available across Saskatchewan at all campuses and distributed sites. Early admission will use the same eligibility and selection criteria as regular admission to the BSN program,

spots will be competitive, and students must apply to USask College of Nursing by December 15, 2024. If a student chooses not to apply for early admission, the regular admission deadline of March 31, 2025 still applies.

- Learn how to become a registered nurse at USask. Join us on the third Wednesday of every month at 3 pm CST-Saskatchewan for an **online information session**.
- Three programs at USask with competitive ranking-based admission offer early admission based on a minimum average. These include:
- Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology
- Bachelor of Education
- New for 2025: <u>Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology/Bachelor of Education Combined Program</u>
- Saskatchewan learners should familiarize themselves with the <u>process to request official high school</u> <u>transcripts</u> from the Ministry of Education using MyCreds.
- Physics 30 is now required to apply for the Bachelor of Science Biomedical Science.
- Students applying to the College of Arts and Science can now indicate their major of interest on the application for admission. Students can select 'Nursing Prep' if they are planning to apply to the Bachelor of Science in Nursing program in the future.
- Interested in business? Consider <u>studying abroad</u> to give you an international experience while in university.
- <u>The After (Business) School Special</u> is a podcast about what business professionals, industry leaders, entrepreneurs, and more have learned since finishing their business degree. Each episode welcomes an Edwards alumnus to discuss the stories, key learnings, and insights they've gained throughout their professional career.
- <u>Chat with USask</u> are 20-minute appointments with university representatives from 6:00-8:00 on Wednesdays and 1:00-3:00 on Fridays. Ask questions about admission requirements, scholarships, residence, or anything else university related.
- The <u>College of Agriculture and Bioresources</u> is excited to announce a new admission pathway for the <u>Indigenous Lands Governance</u> and <u>Indigenous Resource Management</u> diplomas.
 Students can now enter the diplomas in the Kanawayihetaytan Askiy program directly from high school. Previously, the two diplomas required completion of the <u>Kanawayihetaytan Askiy Certificate</u> for admission. Both diplomas prepare students for leadership roles in local, provincial and national settings. More info is available in this <u>article</u> and <u>video</u>. There is also a <u>downloadable display screen</u> you can use with your schools. Questions? Contact <u>agbio.studentservices@usask.ca</u>.
- Teachers and counsellors who wish to book a tour for your class, may do so by contacting **Admissions**.
- <u>Campus tours</u> are on. <u>Click here</u> to book 90 minute in-person tours conducted by current students who can tell you what life is like at the U of S. You can also book group or guided online tours. There are also tours of residences and colleges.
- Interested in the Edwards School of Business?
- Take a virtual tour for a good look at where you may attend school.
- Have a chat with an advisor, current student, or alum.
- Counsellors, contact <u>Brayden Glynn</u> for a classroom presentation to learn of the opportunities available at Edwards.
- <u>Counsellors and Agents' Hub</u> provides information for teachers and counsellors about admissions, upcoming events, promotional materials, advising guide, resources for students, sign up to receive emails and updates, and much more.
- <u>Drop-in Q and A Wednesdays</u> are held for students interested in applying to undergraduate programs in Ag. And Bioresources, Arts and Science, Education, Engineering, and Business.
- The U of S<u>Calendar of upcoming events</u> includes all the events in which the university will be participating in the upcoming months.

MOUNT ROYAL UNIVERSITY: NEW STUFF

- The recording and the transcript of the spring counsellor update can be accessed <u>through this</u> link.
- Those who have accepted an offer of admission:
 - Applicants should <u>register for courses now</u> and can connect with <u>academic advisors</u> for course planning information.
 - o Applicants should ensure final admission requirements are met (summer school courses can NOT be used to meet admission requirements).
 - All coursework must be completed by June 30, 2025, and final transcripts are due by August 1, 2025, for Fall 2025 admission.
- Those who have not yet received an offer of admission:
 - Applicants who have not yet received an offer of admission should <u>connect with our Admission &</u>
 <u>Recruitment Specialists</u> to explore backup programs for the upcoming fall semester.
 - We will continue to extend offers throughout the summer, but a <u>backup program</u> might result in an earlier offer of admission, so they can begin their post-secondary journey.
- Those who have not yet applied for admission:
 - O Don't delay! Applications are open for a number of programs and we will continue to extend offers throughout the summer.
- Students can sign-up for one of our alternate pathways/back-up program information sessions on our events page.
- New Student Orientation is a great way for students to get connected to MRU before the start of the school year in September. New students begin with online modules over the summer.
- Counsellor resources
 - Meet the team here you will find your Admission & Recruitment Specialist and how to connect with them.
 - o Important Dates & Deadlines for new students starting Fall 2025
 - Admissions information an overview of Group A, B, C courses and the calculation of competitive averages
 - Admission resources all the links to key websites for admissions are updated annually

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- Our Future Student Portal allows prospective students to: track their admission status and required documents and review conditions of their offer and tuition deposit deadline.
- Register for virtual events, including general information sessions, academic accommodation sessions and one-on-one admission planning meetings.
- Students are encouraged to apply for more than one program at no extra cost. They strongly recommend adding a backup program, such as an alternative entrance option.
- <u>Guidance Counsellors & Educators</u> can schedule admissions and recruitment specialist services. Book sessions where students can learn about the programs best suited to them and their personality, as well as learn about admission requirements and application process.



COLLEGE MATHIEU: OLD STUFF

• Interested in a bilingual or fully French education? College Mathieu offers several programs in Gravelbourg, Saskatoon, Regina, and online, including business, specialized educational assistant, early childhood education, welding, occupational therapy assistant, physiotherapy assistant, continuing care assistant, practical nursing, and event planning. Click here for a link to the programs.



UNIVERSITY OF REGINA: NEW STUFF

 Just a reminder to register for our Spring Guidance Counsellor Update. We are also offering a virtual option. Join us online through Zoom from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm. <u>Guidance Counsellor</u> <u>Events</u>



- The <u>Summer Bridge Program</u> provides students with a chance to earn 3 credit hours by completing English 100, while also building key university success skills before their first official semester. This oncampus experience is tailored specifically for incoming high school graduates.
 - Earn 3 credit hours that count toward any U of R program
 - Strengthen academic writing, note-taking, exam prep, and time management skills
 - Gain insight into university expectations, policies, and available resources
 - Access tutoring during homework sessions and personalized one-on-one appointments

Starting university can be challenging, but Summer Bridge eases this transition by helping students:

- Build confidence in their academic skills
- Connect with fellow incoming students
- Get familiar with campus resources
- Reduce first-semester stress with credits already in hand
- For more details, contact student.success@uregina.ca

This program takes place on the Main Regina campus and is specifically tailored for students entering in Fall 2025. Deadline for the <u>Summer Bridge Program</u> is June 17.

- What is HSXL? The High School Accelerated (HSXL) Program allows students in grades 11 and 12 to take
 university courses while still in high school. This opportunity helps students jump-start their university
 studies, gain valuable academic experience, and earn optional dual credit applicable to both high school
 and university education.
- Tuition Reimbursement Award: Students planning to pursue their undergraduate degree at the University of Regina may be eligible for the Tuition Reimbursement Award, which covers the tuition for HSXL courses once they enroll at the U of R after high school graduation. There is no limit on the number of HSXL courses a student can be reimbursed for taking. International students attending a Canadian high school on a student visa will only need to pay the domestic tuition portion—the University of Regina will cover the difference. To view the eligibility criteria, please click here.

UPCOMING HSXL COURSES:

Fall 2025, September 15th – December 12th:

- English 100 Online. (Dual Credit: English B30)
- Business 100 Hybrid. (Dual Credit: Entrepreneurship 30)

Winter 2026, February 2nd – May 8th:

- English 100 Hybrid. (Dual Credit: ELA B30) and English 100 Online. (Dual Credit: ELA B30)
- Math 102 Remote. (Currently exploring dual credit option) and French 100 Online. (Dual Credit: French 30)

We are currently finalizing our course schedule, and once it is complete, it will added it to our website.

- HSXL Winter 2025 applications open on May 1st at 8:15 AM. Students can apply via our new <u>application</u> system. A step-by-step application guide is available <u>here</u> to assist with the process.
- We are finalizing the course schedule and application deadlines, and we encourage you to check our website for the latest updates. Visit www.uofrearlystart.ca, or go to the U of R homepage, select "Programs" from the top navigation bar, and choose "Early Start" from the dropdown menu.

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- Engineering Conversations is a podcast from a U of R Engineering prof. Listen to podcasts about questions from a grade 12 student, how co-op education works, advice from a 4th year engineering student, what engineers do, and more.
- If you wish to pursue a professional program at another university, consider taking pre-professional
 courses at the U of R. Take one to four years of university before applying to a professional program in
 agriculture and bioresources, chiropractic medicine, dentistry, law, nutrition, occupational therapy,
 optometry, pharmacy, physical therapy, radiation therapy, or veterinary medicine. Check out Preprofessional Studies and meet with an academic advisor to plan your first year.
- <u>Journalism is back at the U of R</u>. If you are interested the new undergraduate degree—Bachelor of Arts in Journalism, News Media, and Communication, click <u>here</u> for more information.
- Ever heard of a Federated College? Situated on the main U of R campus, <u>Luther College</u>, <u>First Nations University of Canada</u>, and <u>Campion College</u> provide students with a unique and supportive community. Choosing to enrol through a Federated College not only grants students all the advantages of being a U of R student but also provides access to extra benefits, including additional support services, personalized one-on-one academic advising, smaller class sizes, and opportunities to apply for additional scholarships and bursaries.
- If you are a parent or guardian of a potential U of R student, sign up for the **Parent Newsletter** here.
- Take the New and Improved Virtual Campus Tour.
- The U of R has a bunch of materials for viewing and/or printing here. From admission and parent info to stuff for counsellors and specific one- or two-page documents that explain programs within each faculty, there is a wealth of good info available.
- Check out the <u>Centre for Experiential and Service Learning</u>. It allows you the opportunity for handson learning in and out of the classroom, credit for hands-on learning as part of your program,
 potentially paid co-op work terms, student-run volunteer centre to help you find more service
 opportunities in the community, training before you volunteer to provide confidence, goal setting and
 self assessments, career guidance, and resume writing and job interview skill building.
- If you are a career counsellor, teacher, or administrator interested in having an in person visit from U of R admissions, the contact person for Prairie South is <u>Sydney Lorenz</u> to book. 306-585-5274.
- The <u>OMA Program</u> is designed to provide first-year Indigenous students with a supportive learning environment. Contact the <u>ta-tawâw Student Centre</u> for more information.
- Check out the new engineering program, <u>Energy Systems Engineering</u>. It is closely related to Petroleum, Sustainable Energy, and Energy Transportation and Storage Engineering.
- Prospective students can use this <u>Application Guide</u> to assist in providing information about the application process, admission requirements and application deadlines for each program.
- Students can take many courses in their own communities or from their homes through the <u>Flexible</u> <u>Learning Division fall courses.</u>

SOUTHEAST COLLEGE: NEW STUFF

SOUTHEAST COLLEGE: OLD STUFF

- With campuses in Weyburn, Estevan, Whitewood and Moosomin, Southeast College can offer a variety of programs including Business Admin. Assistant, Electrician, Early Childhood Education, Welding, Food Services Cook, Hairstylist, Health Care Cook, Heavy Equipment Truck and Transport Tech., Practical Nursing, Industrial Mechanic, Plumbing and Pipefitting, and Continuing Care Assistant. The benefits include small class sizes living closer to home, lower application fee and seat deposit than other places, modern facilities and equipment, lower tuition, and great scholarships. You can also take a general first year of classes from the University of Regina (English, Biology, Sociology, Psychology among others).
- We have brought back the <u>Power Engineering Technician</u> program to our Estevan Campus starting this September. This 8-month certificate program prepares students to challenge the interprovincial Fourth-Class examinations. The curriculum includes practical training in boiler operations, maintenance techniques, and tool use, along with industry work experience This program was added to meet the needs of the local job market and provide students with valuable skills.
- <u>Heavy Equipment Operator</u> program is back and will run from July 7 to September 26, 2025. This 12-week course combines in-class theory with hands-on field experience, using state-of-the-art simulation equipment. Students will train on various heavy machinery, including backhoes, graders, and excavators.
- Mental Health and Addictions Counseling Southeast College continues to offer its Mental Health and Addictions Counseling diploma, providing students with the skills needed to support individuals facing mental health and addiction challenges. This 2-year program starting this fall is designed to meet the growing demand for qualified counselors in the local community and southeastern region.
- Pre-Nursing and Bachelor of Science in Nursing at Weyburn Campus Southeast College partnered with
 University of Saskatchewan's College of Nursing to offer the pre-professional nursing year 1 and the full
 Bachelor of Science in Nursing Degree through University of Saskatchewan at our Weyburn Campus.
 Students apply to the College of Nursing at University of Saskatchewan and opt for Weyburn as the
 location.
- How to Apply to Southeast College: Visit the Southeast College website, complete the new and improved
 <u>online application form</u> submit your transcripts, pay the application fee, and follow the instructions in
 your Offer Letter.
 - Students can book <u>Advising Sessions</u> with Southeast College advisors to get personalized guidance on their academic and career paths. Additionally, virtual tours and webinars are available to help students learn more about the campus and specific programs.
- Southeast College is available to book presentations, sessions, tours, and spend a day in current
 programs (virtual or in person) for students to learn more about the college's programs, contact <u>Jaycee</u>
 <u>Mantei</u>.

SASKATCHEWAN POLYTECHNIC: NEW STUFF

Girls Exploring Trades and Technology (GETT) camps will get to explore what a career in trades and technology might look like. The fee is \$210. You can find more information and register on our website. Dates for 2025 camps are as follows:



- o July 14-18 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Moose Jaw campus and Saskatoon campus
- o July 21-25 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Regina campus
- o August 11-15 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Prince Albert campus (Technical Building).
- Competitive entry program letters should be arriving shortly to you. These will be available in the Applicant Hub, under the Application Communications section of the application checklist. If you have any questions, contact the Saskatchewan Polytechnic Recruitment team.

- Saskatchewan Polytechnic is launching a new <u>Respiratory Therapy Diploma</u> program at its Regina campus, with 20 seats available starting in October 2025 for a Fall 2026 intake. This intensive three-year program aims to address the growing need for respiratory therapists in Saskatchewan by training students to diagnose, treat, and manage cardio-respiratory patients.
- New Digital Marketing Diploma Students entering Year 1 of our Business Diploma program in Fall 2025 will have the option to choose a specialty in the Business Diploma program or transfer to the new Digital Marketing diploma program for 2026-27. Students will get a hands-on education developing digital marketing plans that integrate marketing, advertising, sales and logistics across physical and digital channels, using social media, website design and analytics. A co-operative education work term is also an option with this specialty.
- There are many FQFA programs that have seats available for fall 2025. Check out this list.

SASKATCHEWAN POLYTECHNIC: OLD STUFF

 Are you passionate about cooking and eager to turn your culinary dreams into reality? Look no further than the Culinary Arts program at Saskatchewan Polytechnic. Length is 64 Weeks in Saskatoon, Regina, Moose Jaw and Prince Albert, and seats are available for September 2025 intake.



- Are you ready to apply to Sask. Polytech? We can host an Application Workshop at your school.
 Workshops can be held in a group setting or one-on-one, depending on preference. With the competitive application deadline approaching, we're here to assist students in navigating the new Applicant Hub.
 Additionally, we can stop by to replenish resources, such as Viewbooks. For more information, please reach out to an advisor or email askaquestion@saskpolytech.ca.
- We are excited to offer your students the opportunity to visit a program area at Sask Polytech and spend
 a day or part of a day shadowing and learning more about their field of interest. This hands-on
 experience provides valuable insights into the programs and helps students make informed decisions
 about their future. If any of your students are interested, please don't hesitate to contact us for more
 information and to arrange a visit by emailing <u>askaquestion@saskpolytech.ca</u>.
- Request a 1-on-1 advising session on campus or Zoom or phone Saskatoon 306-659-4012, Regina 306-775-7395, Prince Albert 306-765-1611, Moose Jaw 306-691-8429.
- If you are interested in Early Childhood Education, you can take three Sask. Polytech classes and get credit for those as well as three high school classes at the same time. Click on the link to learn more: <u>Early</u> Childhood Education Level 1.
- Check out this <u>Civil Engineering Video</u> to learn a little more about this area of engineering.
- <u>Book a Campus Tour</u> to learn more about a potential place you'd like to attend. Many openings exist at all four campuses for in-person campus tours and advising sessions.
- Join a <u>drop-in advising session</u> on Tuesdays and Thursdays to be able to ask questions and talk to people in the know about Sask. Polytech programs.
- Undecided about what to do at Sask. Polytech? Check out the <u>Program Explorer</u>. It takes 10 minutes to complete and provides a list of programs for students to investigate based on answers to questions about their interests, skills, natural talents and values. The results page provides a summary of programs which may be a good fit and lets you print, share, or get in touch with advisors for further assistance.
- <u>Supports for Success</u> are available to students to assist in ensuring they do well at Sask. Poly. There are welcome week events, support for new students, and numerous resources for students who may need help including wellness, how to be successful in school, career counselling, budgeting, and more.
- If you are interested in acquiring specific skills, check out <u>Surge Micro-credentials</u> offered by Sask. Polytechnic. These short courses offer certification in a specific job or skill such as small business taxes, Indigenous leadership, business, education, technology, entrepreneurship, and artificial intelligence.
- Interested in taking some classes part-time? Sign up for Flexible Learning Courses.
- Want to have a look at where you might be going to school? Check out the virtual tours here.

UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA: NEW STUFF

- Counsellor Update Early Bird Registration
- Attend a Counsellor Update this fall to stay informed on the 2025-2026 admission cycle. Be entered to win an early bird prize when you register by: June 28 for <u>Regina</u> Friday, October 9, 9 - 10:30 a.m.



• Save the date. Join us on October 18 for the biggest event of the year. Registration will open in September.

• Bridge2ENGG

Know a student entering the Faculty of Engineering this fall? Bridge2ENGG is a flexible, university preparatory program that allows incoming students to review key academic concepts, connect with current engineering students and meet their peers before their first day of classes.

• Student Loans 101

If you know a student with questions about student loans, encourage them to attend an in-person or virtual Student Loans 101 workshop this July and August. Our expert staff will walk attendees through the loans process and help them complete their application. Please note that these workshops are for Alberta residents only. Registration will be available early June.

• Registration 101

Course registration is now live for incoming undergraduate students who have accepted their offer and paid their tuition deposit. To make registering in their courses as easy as possible, we have a suite of self-guided modules, tip sheets and registration workshop videos.

Select Program Applications Extended

Are you still interested in applying to the U of A even though the deadline has passed for the Fall 2025 intake? Good news - select programs have extended their application deadline.

• Indigenous Student Support

The Indigenous Recruitment Office is available to answer questions for Indigenous students and counsellors. Their team can advise on application preparation, program selection, student financing and sponsorship and identity documentation. They also host on-campus events and Indigenous campus tours. Questions can be directed to indigenous@ualberta.ca.

- Students who applied to live in residence before April 30 will receive a room offer by the end of May. Students who missed the deadline for guaranteed housing can still apply and offers will be made as space becomes available.
- After a student accepts their online room offer and pays the non-refundable \$500 deposit, it's time to start preparing to move in.
 - O Augustana Residence move-in will begin at the Augustana Hoyme Complex on Aug. 23. Questions can be directed to aughouse@ualberta.ca.
 - North Campus Residence move-in will begin at the David Tuckey Gym in Lister Residence and Résidence Saint-Jean move-in will begin at Résidence Saint-Jean, both on Aug. 25. Questions can be directed to housing@ualberta.ca.

UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA: OLD STUFF

- One of the first steps in a student's post-secondary journey is registering in classes, which is why we have
 resources to make course registration a breeze. Registration for faculty-specific registration 101
 workshops is now available. At these sessions, students will learn how to navigate course selection and
 registration and get advice on which courses to take. We also have self-guided modules for students who
 prefer to move at their own pace. Use Registration 101 to help you.
- Are your students still interested in applying to the U of A even though the deadline has passed for the Fall 2025 intake? Select programs have extended their application deadline! Visit our How to Apply web page to learn more.
- In accordance with the university's Discrimination, Harassment and Duty to Accommodate Policy, the U of A provides reasonable accommodations to eligible students who encounter medical or non-medical restrictions to their ability to perform the daily activities necessary to pursue post-secondary studies. New students should register for accommodations as soon as they have an offer of admission. More information can be found on our Register for Accommodations web page or by contacting arrec@ualberta.ca.
- Are you students interested in pursuing a career in Education? We have a place for them here! Contact
 us at <a href="mailto:education-education
- <u>Transition Year Program (TYP)</u>: First Nations, Métis and Inuit students who may not be prepared to enter a faculty through the regular admissions route can apply for this university access program. This is not an upgrading program, but a full-time program in Open Studies.
- Indigenous Recruitment Office: Their team of coordinators can advise on application preparation, program selection, student financing and sponsorship and identity documentation. They also host on-campus events and Indigenous campus tours. Questions can be directed to indigenous@ualberta.ca.



- Study Science at Augustana
- Did you know Augustana offers Bachelor of Science programs ranging from biology to computing science to physical education? The smaller campus community allows students to participate in research as early as their first year. Students will also have access to state-of-the-art technology, like the Hesie
 Observatory, the newest and strongest telescope at the U of A. Augustana's experiential format will leave students with skills in their chosen subject as well as transferable skills like writing and critical thinking.
- For students interested in applying to the Faculty of Nursing or Faculty of Education, most will be
 required to complete the Acuity Insights Casper Assessment. Prospective nursing students should visit
 this web page or contact nursing.recruiting@ualberta.ca. Prospective education students should visit this
 web page or contact edrec@ualberta.ca. Sign up for the Casper Test.
- Apply for <u>Entrance Scholarships here</u>.
- Check out all the other counsellor events throughout the year right here.
- Throughout the year, there are many events and activities that are important to students. Check out the events page for all you need to know.
- <u>Campus Tours</u> are often the best way for students to picture themselves here is to visit campus. Take a
 campus and/or residence tour at any of our three campuses and get an inside look at our vibrant spaces
 and U of A community.
- The Faculty of Engineering is piloting a flexible admissions pathway to expand access to engineering for students who may not have all the five required high school courses for admission. Visit the Engineering Admissions web page or contact engginfo@ualberta.ca.

- The Indigenous Recruitment Office is available to answer questions for Indigenous students and
 counsellors. Their team of coordinators can advise on application preparation, program selection,
 student financing, sponsorship and identity documentation. They also host on-campus events and
 Indigenous campus tours. Questions can be directed to <u>Trevor Phillips</u>, Assistant Registrar, Indigenous
 Enrolment Management.
- International students currently studying in Canada on a study permit may require additional support with their application. Whether they have questions about transcripts, English Language Proficiency requirements or scholarship opportunities, we can help at mapleleaf@ualberta.ca.
- The School of Dentistry is now offering a direct-entry 10-month Dental Assistant Certificate where students will participate in both internal clinical assisting components in the School of Dentistry Oral Health Clinic and an external practicum in a dental office. This is a great opportunity to receive hands-on experience and learn alongside future Dentists and Dental Hygienists. More information can be found here.
- Parents and students interested in more information about the University of Alberta can <u>click here</u> to order resources, viewbooks, and more.
- Request school visits by clicking <u>here</u>.
- Check out counsellor webpage for recently updated resources and helpful info to begin the school year.
- Book campus tours <u>here</u>.
- Click on the link to register for a **Prospective Student Advising** session to have questions answered.
- The <u>Digital Viewbook</u> features a dozen videos, direct links to helpful webpages, and current student profiles.
- There are several update workshops for counsellors, teachers, or administrators. Register here. Or sign up to receive email newsletters.

GREAT PLAINS COLLEGE: NEW STUFF

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GREAT PLAINS COLLEGE: OLD STUFF

- Mackenzie Veason is the new Recruitment Co-ordinator for GPC. Email or call (306) 778-5480 to book presentations or sessions for your students to learn more about the great programs at GPC.
- NEW! Pre-nursing and Bachelor of Science in Nursing Swift Current Campus Students can complete the 10 pre-professional courses they need to apply to the University of Saskatchewan (USask) College of Nursing and Great Plains College Swift Current Campus. Once a student has completed their Pre-Professional courses, they can apply to the USask College of Nursing and further select GPC as their campus of choice to take the remainder of their studies. It is good to contact and advisor, as the admission process is a little complicated. Contact maryjaneb@greatplainscollege.ca or 306-778-5497.
- Several new courses are available including Practical Nursing in Kindersley and Productions Line
 Welding in Swift Current. Just <u>click here</u> to learn more.
- If you'd like to book a presentation (virtual or in-person) for your school or an individual class, please email behere@greatplainscollege.ca or call Keely at (306) 741-1049.
- The presentation includes information on programs, courses, application process, awards, and scholarship opportunities at GPC. There are opportunities for students to ask questions and win prizes.
- There are many new Cybersecurity Programs, all available online and at all levels of experience.
- Students can make an appointment for an Advising Session with a GPC student advisor.
- <u>Take a Virtual Tour or Webinar</u> to learn more about the campus or specific programs at GPC. There are numerous archived webinars on a wide variety of topics.

UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY: NEW STUFF

- On April 12, we hosted our largest-ever **You at UCalgary** event for newly admitted students (recordings are now available).
- Our <u>Annual Counsellor Survey</u> is now open. Your feedback helps us better support you and your students — and by completing it by June 13, you'll be entered to win one of five UCalgary Counsellor Swag Packs (valued at \$50 each)!
- If you have any questions, reach us on our Counsellor Hotline (1.403.220.6921), or connect with us on our WhatsApp Group or LinkedIn Page.
- Most students have already confirmed their admission ahead of the initial May 1 commitment
 deadline. These offers will be finalized when winter term grades are received. Curious about the final
 admission averages? You can view the required averages students must maintain to keep their
 offers. This is available to all admitted students in their Student Centre.
- As an update from the Student Financial Support Team: all eligible candidates have been contacted for our Prestige Awards and High School Entrance Awards. Some re-selections may occur over the next couple months as students accept/decline their awards.
- For answers to common questions, <u>click here</u> for our latest Admission Blog.
- We have streamlined our <u>Counsellor Form</u> so you have all UCalgary resources in one place! Fill out our form for the following: updated contact information or new contacts for your school, order 2025-26 viewbooks to be mailed or delivered to your school in August, request a visit or let us know of an upcoming event you'd like your <u>dedicated recruiter</u> to attend.
- The University of Calgary is excited to offer Neurodiversity Immersive Campus Experience (NICE) days, free for first-year undergraduate neurodivergent students at UCalgary. This program connects students with peers, campus resources, and key university information. This experience provides a supportive environment in their transition from high school to university. If interested, students can fill out the online application form found on the NICE Days webpage.
- Help support your students with disabilities in the transition to UCalgary by connecting them with Student Accessibility Services. We highly encourage contacting our office before the end of the school year (May and June) to ensure they can access the required documentation to register (medical or psycho-educational assessments). Registering with SAS early help ensure they are equipped for their first semester. Click here for more information.
- We are pleased to share the following dates to support your planning for next fall:
 - October 7, 2025: Virtual High School Counsellor Update for out-of-town counsellors
 - October 8, 2025: <u>In-Person High School Counsellor Update</u>
 - October 25, 2025: Open House (in-person, counsellor only registration)

UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY: OLD STUFF

• If you couldn't attend the counsellor update in January, you can access the recording here, where we covered important updates on the admission process for our main campus Bachelor of Science in Nursing program for the Fall 2026 intake. The undergraduate application is now open for all applicants. To help support students, here are some resources:



- Applying as a Saskatchewan Applicant for the fall 2025 intake
- Admissions 101 Podcast
- Counsellors, check out the new info from the U of C:

- 2025 Counsellor Resource Guides:
 <u>Counsellor Resource Page</u>, <u>UCalgary Counsellor Corner</u> (WhatsApp), <u>UCalgary Recruitment and</u>
 Admissions Counsellor Corner (LinkedIn), 10 Minute Admissions and Recruitment Presentation
- Webpages:
 - **Choosing a major and customize your degree, Transfer student resources**
- Missed a session from the counsellor updates? View the recordings here:
 <u>First Timers Session</u>, <u>International Specific Session</u>, <u>Indigenous Specific Session</u>, <u>Counsellor</u>
 Update Main Session, Student Financial Deep Dive Session
- Check out the campus by booking a Campus Tour.
- There are two new majors: Bachelor of Science in <u>Data Science</u> and a Bachelor of Science in <u>Physics</u> <u>Engineering</u>.
- <u>Discover UCalgary</u> is the new official app for prospective undergraduate students at the University of Calgary. Access our guide for Open House or explore the UCalgary campus with our self-guided walking tour. The app can be used on campus or remotely to explore from your home. Within the app, you will also find important resources and discounts to enhance the in-person experience for those students who wish to explore with us at an upcoming event or campus tour.
- Career counsellors and teachers who wish to learn more about the U of C can <u>click here</u> to sign up and get more information for students.
- Check out their <u>Future students tours and events</u> to learn more about the university.
- If you are interested in the U of C, have a look at their video for Saskatchewan students .
- Counsellors, teachers, administrators can book a recruiter to come to your school.

ST. PETER'S COLLEGE: OLD STUFF

 Did you know you can take all U of S first-year programs at St. Peter's at Muenster, near Humboldt? Instead of being in a first-year class with 300-500 students in Saskatoon, how about a class of 15-20? As well, you can stack your U of S scholarships on top of potentially some of the over \$100, 000 available just to St. Peter's students. Consider St. Peter's College. Counsellors, teachers, and principals can book a tour or request information.



KING'S UNIVERSITY

• Any students looking at attending King's University (Edmonton) for the **Winter 2026 semester, intake** applications are now open.

SOUTHERN ALBERTA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (SAIT): OLD STUFF

For information about the programs available to students, attend the numerous <u>Information Sessions (sait.ca)</u> being held in the upcoming weeks and months. Also have a look at the many <u>On Demand</u> information sessions archived on the site to allow you to make informed decisions about the program that's right for you.



MEDICINE HAT COLLEGE: NEW STUFF

The Built Environment Engineering Technology (BEET) program offers an exciting for students to explore careers as Engineering Technicians. Whether it's designing infrastructure like roads and buildings or working on machines and robotics, students in the BEET program gain hands-on experience in mechanical, civil, and building design technologies. This comprehensive education prepares them for rewarding careers that will shape the world around us.

APPLY FOR BEET FOR FREE! - MHC is pleased to offer a no-cost application to the BEET program for Fall 2025. Click here to or visit the program page on our website and complete the fillable application form. For more information, contact info@mhc.ab.ca.

Are you attending MHC this fall? Class registration will open on May 1st. We recommend students
register as early as possible to secure a seat in their desired classes before they fill up. If students need
assistance with registration, please have them book an appointment with their program advisor.
Appointments can be booked by calling the advising desk at 403-529-3819 or through our Online
Booking Page.

MEDICINE HAT COLLEGE: OLD STUFF

 Applications for Fall 2025 are open. Go to <u>Apply Alberta</u>. If students need assistance with finding the right program, they can book an appointment with one of our recruiters by calling the advising desk at 403-529-3819 or through our <u>Online Booking Page</u>.



- Counsellors, if you have questions related to admissions, contact student recruiter <u>Justine</u> **Panchuk** (403.529.3823), or call the admissions hotline at 403-529-3827.
- If you have questions, we have the answers. MHC is introducing a Counsellor Hotline to give our counsellors direct access to admission information. If you have questions directly related to program admission, please call our admissions hotline at 403-529-3827 for assistance.

UNIVERSITY OF LETHBRIDGE: NEW STUFF

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UNIVERSITY OF LETHBRIDGE: OLD STUFF

- <u>ULethbridge Counsellor Resource Guide</u> is updated and available online.
- Take a <u>University of Lethbridge Virtual Tour</u> to learn more about the main campus, Calgary campus, and on-campus housing.



GAP YEAR INFORMATION:

- Unsure of what you wish to do after grade 12? Consider <u>Discover Year</u>, an innovative one-year life skills program that helps young adults better understand what they want and build the skills they need to go out and get it. Students learn a variety of skills and have experiences that prepare them for life after their gap year, whether that be the workforce or a post-secondary program. They travel, plan and do community service projects, do teamwork activities, learn financial literacy skills, and more. Application deadline for Discover Year is Aug 15 yearly. <u>Apply here</u>.
- Or check out <u>The Canadian Gap Year Association</u> for different options for a gap year after grade 12.
 Instead of an in-person year of activities, this organization has <u>several specific programs</u>.
- <u>Stepabroad</u> is another option for a gap year. It's advertised as a working holiday. Destinations include Australia, Japan, New Zealand, United Kingdom, Spain, South Korea, and France, and the duration is anywhere from one month to three years, depending on the location. They assist students with acquiring work visas and all the red tape. This program is in conjunction with the Federal Government's Internation Experience Canada (IEC) Program. Other countries also offer the option of a working holiday. See the full list here.

SASKATCHEWAN REGIONAL AND CAREER/VOCATIONAL COLLEGES: OLD STUFF

OTHER POST-SECONDARY INSTITUTIONS IN SASKATCHEWAN

CAREER COLLEGES

• <u>Career Colleges</u> also known as private vocational schools, offer over 160 vocational training programs in Saskatchewan to prepare students for employment in a specific occupation such as business, health services, fashion, esthetics, hairstyling, and more. These school are privately owned and operated but must be registered with the Ministry of Advanced Education and have approval of the programs they offer.

SASKATCHEWAN REGIONAL COLLEGES

- There are six regional colleges across the province. They offer numerous post-secondary opportunities
 including trades (the same program offered by Sask. Polytechnic) and university classes (from the
 University of Saskatchewan and University of Regina), in addition to personal interest programs and
 courses. Often, these programs are not filled as quickly as Sask. Polytechnic programs. The regional
 colleges and head offices include:
 - Carlton Trail College--Humboldt
 - Northlands College--La Ronge/Air Ronge
 - Great Plains College--Swift Current
 - Suncrest College—(Yorkton and Melfort--merger of former Parkland and Cumberland College)
 - North West College--The Battlefords
 - Southeast College--Weyburn

Upcoming Events

June 5	U of R Guidance Counsellor Update Zoom from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm.		
June 5	Class registration opens for <u>University of Saskatchewan Transition Entrance Program (USTEP)</u>		
June 5, 9	U of S <u>How to register in your LC course block</u> - Zoom		
June 8	Deadling to sign up for II of S Learning Communities: Agriculture and Pieroscurses ICs		
Julie 6	Deadline to sign up for U of S Learning Communities: <u>Agriculture and Bioresources LCs</u> Arts and Science First-Year Learning Experience (FLEX) LCs, Kinesiology LCs,		
	Edwards School of Business LCs		
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June 8	Deadline to sign up for U of S ArtSci Learning Communities		
June 9	Class registration opens for U of S Huskie athletes		
June 10	U of S <u>Course registration workshop</u>		
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June 11	U of S <u>Residence info session</u> - Zoom		
June 13	Deadline for U of C Annual Counsellor Survey		
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June 14	Class reg. opens for 1st year U of S students in Arts and Science, and Education (9:00 am) and 1st year U of S students in Ag/Bio, Engineering, Kinesiology, Business (1:00 pm)			
June 17	Deadline for U of R Summer Bridge Program			
June 25	Deadline to <u>request to change their start term to summer</u> . (U of S)			
June 30	Deadline to sign up for U of S <u>COMM 101</u> (online Business class taken while in gr. 12)			
July 14-18	Sask. Poly Girls Exploring Trades and Technology Camp. (Moose Jaw and Saskatoon)			
July 21-25	Sask. Poly Girls Exploring Trades and Technology Camp. (Regina)			
Aug. 11-15	Sask. Poly Girls Exploring Trades and Technology Camp. (Prince Albert)			
Aug. 10-16	U of S <u>Indigenous Summer Institute</u>			
Aug. 10-16	U of S <u>Indigenous Summer Institute</u>			
Aug. 15	Deadline to apply to U of S <u>Nursing Preparation program</u>			
Sept. 19	<u>USask's Open House</u>			
Sept. 23	Sask. Poly Counsellor UpdateSaskatoon			
Sept. 25	Sask. Poly Counsellor UpdateRegina			
Oct. 2	U of S <u>In-person counsellor information sessions</u> Saskatoon			
Oct. 3	<u>In-person counsellor information sessions</u> Prince Albert			
Oct. 7	U of C <u>Virtual High School Counsellor Update</u> for out-of-town counsellors			
Oct. 8	Sask. Poly Open House Saskatoon			
Oct. 9	Sask. Poly Open House Prince Albert			
Oct. 9	U of A early bird registration for Counsellor Update in for Regina 9 - 10:30 a.m.			
Oct. 15	Sask. Poly Open House Moose Jaw			
Oct. 16	Sask. Poly Open House Regina			
Oct. 25	U of C <u>Open House</u>			

Scholarships, Loans, and Financial Planning

Did you know that \$10 million in scholarships goes unclaimed each year in Canada?

Sign up with scholarship aggregators such as <u>Scholar Tree</u>, <u>Student Awards</u>, <u>Scholarships Canada</u>, <u>Scholarships.com</u>, <u>StudentScholarships.org</u> and <u>Atila</u>. <u>99 Scholarships</u> allows you to apply for scholarships based on your passions rather than on marks. Register with the organization to access many different scholarships and receive emails about upcoming scholarships.

<u>mycampusGPS</u> is a resource to assist students with numerous issues related to scholarships, post-secondary planning, how to be successful after grade 12, and more. Some of these resources are free and some require payment.

<u>Canada Student Grants and Loans – What student grants and loans offer</u> will provide information on applying for student loans. Saskatchewan residents will want to look at our <u>Saskatchewan section</u> when looking to apply. The <u>Government of Canada Scholarships</u> website has a lot of great information and scholarships. Please contact <u>studentservices@gov.sk.ca</u> or call 1-800-597-8278 for more information.

The newest edition of <u>Relevance Magazine</u> is available as a digital download. In the middle of the magazine, you will find many scholarships. Links to these scholarships are available for easy access.

The <u>Scholarships and Loans</u> section of the PSSD website has some documents to assist you in your scholarship search such as scholarship cover letter examples, a downloadable organizer, and financial/scholarship information including:

- Post-Secondary Finances
- Scholarship Search Engines
- Post-Secondary Institution Scholarship Links

If you are Metis, you may be able to access significant scholarship opportunities. The <u>Gabriel Dumont Institute</u> offers numerous scholarships for those who are registered with the Metis Nation of Saskatchewan or have an application in progress. To begin the process of registration for Metis Nation-Saskatchewan citizenship, <u>click here.</u> You can also contact the <u>New Southern Plains Metis Local #160</u> in Moose Jaw where you can have inperson help to acquire Metis Nation Citizenship. Or you can call Darrell at 306-631-6058 or Lorna at 306-631-7438.

The <u>Education Planning and Student Aid</u> page from the Federal Government provides useful tools for students and parents to access regarding planning for an education, saving, budget, and exploring student aid and career options.

Upcoming Scholarships

Dec. 31 (yearly)	Full Ride- Student Life Network	\$35,000	 → Be a member of the Student Life Network. → Open an eligible CIBC student account.
N/A	Unilever Voices for Change Award	\$1000 and \$1000 gift card	→ Complete online form.
Accepting applications all year	RBC Future Launch Scholarship Scholarship for	\$1500 x 500 \$10,000 x 20	 → For ages 15-29 → Wide variety of criteria
Various times all year (Check website for specific dates.)	Indigenous Youth CWB Welding Foundation Awards	Various Amounts Apply early as funds are limited.	 → Must be accepted into a full-time welding program for post-secondary. → Online form, references, transcript → Letter of recommendation relating to welding activities. → 500-word essay
The 20 th day of each month.	LA Tutors 123 Scholarship	\$500 every month	 → Must have 80%+ average. → Must have designed an innovative project that makes a difference in the lives of others and write an essay describing the goal of the project. → Must also include letter of recommendation and photo.
Various	ARI Essay Contest	Various \$500-\$5000	 → Must be in grade 8-12. → Choose a topic about books by Ayn Rand and submit an essay of 600-1200 words.
Various (May, Sept.)	SGI Corporate Scholarships	Various \$1000-2500	 → Proof of full-time enrollment in an undergraduate certificate, diploma, or degree program related to the business needs of SGI. → Demonstrate contributions to community, extracurricular activities or commitments made in balancing work, education, and home responsibilities. → Have a minimum average of 70%.
Nov. 1 Aug. 1 Feb. 1	Indspire Awards: Building Brighter Futures	Various amounts	 → These bursaries and scholarships are for Indigenous students. → Students can apply for various financial awards depending on their area of study.
Feb. 1 Apr. 30	Masterfeeds Scholarships	\$200 X 2 (ages 8-11) \$500 X 2 (ages 12-17) \$1000 X 2 (ages 17-19)	 → See website for \$200 and \$500 prize criteria. → For \$1000 prize, students must be going into ag-related program. → Write essay on future plans in ag. → Display integrity, volunteerism, leadership

Various	Scholarships & Bursaries - Sage Hill Writing	Various	→ Write a letter of intent with your program application materials.
June 5	Fraser Institute Essay Contest	\$1500 x 1 \$1000 x 1 \$500 x 1	 → Must be in high school or university and write an essay on a specific topic. → There are three categories of prizes are for high school, undergraduate, and grad students.
June 5	Gerry McCudden Memorial Scholarship Award	\$2000	 → Students must submit an essay, have leadership roles and have an academic average of 80% or higher. → Must be accepted into a post-secondary program for the following year.
June 11	Valour Canada History and Heritage Scholarship	\$1500 \$750	 → Online form and intro paragraph → Essay → YouTube-compatible video
June 13	Matthewson & Co. Bursary	\$500 X 2	→ Complete an essay and form and live in a community with under 5000 people
June 19	Big Sun Athletics Scholarship	\$500	→ Write an essay answering how participation in sports in high school influenced you, how our participation influenced your career goals, and how your participation influenced how you relate to your family.
June 24	PSAC Scholarship Program	Various \$1000-\$4000	 → Must be a dependent of a member of the Public Service Alliance of Canada → Answer an essay question
June 27	Mary Joyce Booth Memorial Scholarship	\$1500 x 2	 → For French immersion students entering a post-secondary program in the French language. → Write a letter outlining experience in French, work or volunteer experience in French, and post-secondary goals. → Reference letter from a teacher, validating competence in French.
June 28	ScholarTree \$1000 Giveaway Scholarship	\$1000 draw	 → Complete application form and tell them what you think of ScholarTree. → Get more entries for the draw by referring friends, liking them on Facebook, following on Twitter and Instagram.
June 30	The Prairie Healthcare Scholarship	\$1,000 \$20,000 (depending on needs, goals & passion)	 → For students studying in a health-related field (Medicine, Nursing, Physiotherapy, Massage Therapy, Pharmacy, Nutrition, Social Work). → Each application is reviewed on a case-by-case basis to determine their eligibility. → Applicants are required to provide an essay presenting what their study plans are and providing their grade transcripts.
June 30	United Steel Workers Post Secondary Scholarships	\$1500 x 5	 → Must have a family member or be a USW member. → Submit video or short essay on given topic

June 30	Shim Law Scholarship	\$1000	→ Write an essay.
June 30	Canada's Outstanding Young Farmers Memorial Scholarship	\$1000 x 2	 → Must be pursuing post-secondary education leading to a diploma or degree in agriculture. → Essay topic: Why are you passionate about agriculture in Canada?
June 30	Saskatchewan Drama Association	\$1000	→ Students must have a membership in the Sask. Drama Association for a minimum of one year, a 75% average, a letter of interest and two reference letters.
June 30	Russell Alexander Law Scholarship	\$2500	→ Minimum average of 80% and demonstrate a general interest in studying and pursuing a career in the legal field.
June 30	United Steel Workers Post Secondary Scholarships	\$1500 x 5	 → Must have a family member or be a USW member. → Submit video or short essay on given topic
June 30	Canada's Outstanding Young Farmers Memorial Scholarship	\$1000 x 2	 → Must be pursuing post-secondary education leading to a diploma or degree in agriculture. → Essay topic: Why are you passionate about agriculture in Canada?
June 30	Marilyn McCrea Scholarship	\$500 x 2	 → For female students pursuing a career in which women are under-represented. → Awarded to students who live in south- central Saskatchewan.
June 30	Physical and Health Education Saskatchewan	\$700 x 2	 → Must be enrolled in a U of R or U of S Kinesiology, Physical Education, Health, program or a Sask Poly Recreation or Community Development program, or Health Education, Medicine or Nursing. → Must be actively involvement in high school Phys. Ed., extracurriculars, intramurals, and have a min. 70% average, and display strong leadership and sportsmanship.
July 1	Double A Solutions Scholarship	\$1000	→ Write an 800–1000-word essay on a variety of topics.
July 1	Sask Municipal Hail Insurance Scholarships	\$1000 x 5	 → Must attend a post-secondary institute in Saskatchewan. → Must be a dependent of a client, employee, or agent of Municipal Hail.
July 15	NUPGE Scholarships	\$2500 each	 → For children of NUPGE members: • The Tommy Douglas Scholarship: Essay on how Tommy Douglas contributed to making Canada a more just and equitable society. • The Terry Fox Memorial: Essay on the importance of public services in enhancing the quality of life of people with disabilities. • For LGBTQI2S Students: Essay on the importance of trade unions in supporting the LGBTQI2S communities.

July 31	Wizeprep Inc.	Various	 For Indigenous Students: Essay on the importance of public services in enhancing the quality of life of Indigenous Canadians. For Black Students: Essay on contributions of two trailblazers of African descent and how they benefitted you. For Students of Colour: Essay on the importance of public services in enhancing the quality of life of people of colour in Canada. Brian Fudge Memorial: Essay on importance of your field of study in health care, criminal justice, community service or policing. Young Worker Scholarship: Essay on how unions are still important in this contemporary workplace. → Students in grades 9-12
Aug. 8	Confident Writers Scholarship	\$700 \$500 \$300	→ 500-700-word essay on one of three topics
Aug. 28	Jack Moore Memorial Scholarship and Burgess Bursary (Royal Canadian Legion)	\$300 x 10 scholarships \$300 x 10 bursaries	 → Be a child, grandchild, or great-grandchild of a veteran, still-serving military member or of an RCMP member. → Must be going on to at post-secondary program (university, technical school-min. two-year program, or business college) → Complete form and include transcript.
Aug. 31	Saskatchewan School Boards Association Education Scholarships	\$3000 x2 (1 degree; 1 tech/trade scholarship)	 → Recipients are selected based on good character, community leadership, financial need. → Essay on your leadership in school and community activities.
Aug. 31	Saskatchewan Hockey Association	\$1000 x 21	 → Must have been registered for three years with good standing in the SHA and must attend a Saskatchewan based university or college within 4 years of the grant. → For registered members (male and female) of the SHA including coaches and referees.
Aug. 31	Haywood Hunt Annual Scholarship	\$1000	→ Write a 500-1000-word essay
Sept. 15	Our Scholarship Program BluEarth Renewables	\$3000 x 3	 → Letter of recommendation → Transcript
Sept. 30	Friends of Canadian Simmental Foundation Scholarship	\$3000 x 5	→ Essay on your involvement and contribution to community, beef industry, Simmental Breed, and your potential future contributions.

Oct. 1	Corporate Culture Scholarship	\$1000	→ Listen to a podcast and elaborate on your idea of ideal corporate culture from your future employer. Provide your personal background.
Oct. 3	money genius Scholarship	\$2000	 → Must be in second year of post-secondary. → Write essay of at least 500 words about your relationship with money.
Oct. 8	AES Engineering Scholarship	\$500	→ Answer the following in a 500–1000-word essay: When you look back at your life in 30 years, what would it take for you to consider your life successful? What relationships or accomplishments will be important on this journey?
Oct. 31	North Cover Futures Scholarship North Cover	\$5000	 → Essay on why you want to work in your selected industry and the difference you hope to make in one of business, finance, medicine, health care. → Must be 18

Love duct tape and could use a \$10,000 scholarship? We have the scholarship for you. The <u>Stuck at Prom</u> contest simply requires you to create your grad dress or tux completely out of duct tape. Even if you prefer not to strut in a duct tape gown or tux, you'll want to check out the creative <u>past submissions</u>. Contest is open **March 30 to June 8.** See <u>FAQs</u> for more information.





Need some help? Check out the links.

Ever make a duct tape bow tie?

Or how about a wrist corsage?





Hillcrest Ladies Golf League Women "Fore" Women Golf Tournament Supporting Young Women in Sport

Due to the continuing success of the Women "Fore" Women Golf Tournament, the Hillcrest Ladies Golf League is proud to award **up to four \$4,000-\$5000 scholarships** to outstanding local female athletes. All applicants must:

- have a permanent address within the Prairie South/Holy Trinity school districts, and
- be accepted and signed on to a post-secondary institution and team, either at a university,
 college, or technical institute. Proof of acceptance for the upcoming fall term will be required.

Applicants will write a max 500-word essay using Times New Roman font, size 12 and submit as a pdf via email attachment to negraiff.deb@gmail.com, cnctempleton@gmail.com, and mae.farrer@gmail.com by June 9.

Your 500-word essay will be assessed on the following:

- What is the role of sport in your life? How has sport helped you develop as a person? What lessons have you learned through sport that have made you successful?
- How has participation in sport helped you grow as a leader and role model for others, both at school and in the community? What other activities have helped you become a successful, well-rounded individual?
- How have you demonstrated this leadership and support of other young women in their athletic endeavors? How do you plan to "pay it forward?' and encourage other young women in your community?

As well, please provide a one-page Curriculum Vitae. Include information about yourself, athletic teams and successes, academic average, school information, and any other interests. As well, you must provide contact information for two (2) non-related references. Financial hardship is also a consideration; if this is the case, please note that in your essay.

Scholarship winners are strongly encouraged to share their academic and athletic successes in their first year of post-secondary schooling, either through email updates or other correspondence. This information will be shared with our Hillcrest members and the local community sponsors who made your scholarship possible. Please share this information with Deb Nagraiff.

The winner(s) will be contacted by June 20th, and the Scholarship presentation will take place at the Hillcrest during the last week of June.

All applications must be received on or before midnight, June 9.

Deb Negraiff
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