

## Disability-Related Awards Summary

### Specialized Support and Disability Services

Award	Basic Criteria (See award description for full details)	Eligibility (See legend below)	Amount	Deadline
Alberta Assoc. for the Deaf - Rodda Award Selected by SSDS – <a href="#">Click here for application</a>	Hearing loss	All	\$1,500	Sept. 30
Alberta Blue Cross 50 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Bursary Selected by SSDS – <a href="#">Click here for application</a>	All disabilities	E	\$1,250	Sept. 30
Alta. Committee of Citizens with Disabilities (ACCD) Education for Life Award <a href="http://www.accd.net">www.accd.net</a>	All disabilities (incl. only taking one course)	E	\$200-\$500 4 – 5 awards	June 30
AUCC Scholarship Program For Students With Disabilities <a href="http://www.aucc.ca">www.aucc.ca</a>	All disabilities	U	\$5,000	June 15
AG Bell College Scholarship <a href="http://www.agbell.org">www.agbell.org</a>	Hearing loss	All	\$200-2,000	May 30
Bell Canada Peer Scholarship Award <a href="http://canparaplegic.org/national/level2.tpl?var1=category3&amp;var2=Employment%20and%20Education">http://canparaplegic.org/national/level2.tpl?var1=category3&amp;var2=Employment%20and%20Education</a>	Spinal cord injury in specific areas of study	U, G	\$2,500	Aug. 31
Cdn. Hard of Hearing Assoc. Scholarships <a href="http://www.chha.ca/chha/scholarships-index.php">www.chha.ca/chha/scholarships-index.php</a>	Hearing loss	E, U, G	\$1,000	Jan. 31
Candlelighters Bursary 800 363 1062, e-mail: <a href="mailto:staff@candlelighters.ca">staff@candlelighters.ca</a>	Childhood cancer	EHS, E, U, G	~\$1000	June 30
Centennial Flame Research Award <a href="http://cmte.parl.gc.ca/cmte/CommitteePublication.aspx?SourceId=202403">http://cmte.parl.gc.ca/cmte/CommitteePublication.aspx?SourceId=202403</a>	All disabilities	G	\$4,500	May 29
Children's Ability Fund <a href="http://www.childrensabilityfund.ab.ca/">www.childrensabilityfund.ab.ca/</a>	All disabilities	E	Up to \$5,000	Aug. 1
Christian Record Services Scholarship <a href="http://www.wssb.wa.gov/YES%20Scholarship%20CD/HTML/christian.htm">http://www.wssb.wa.gov/YES%20Scholarship%20CD/HTML/christian.htm</a>	Legally blind (10 awards)	EHS, E,U	\$500	April 1
Copnick / Hilliard Scholarship <a href="http://canparaplegic.org/national/level2.tpl?var1=category3&amp;var2=Employment%20and%20Education">http://canparaplegic.org/national/level2.tpl?var1=category3&amp;var2=Employment%20and%20Education</a>	Severe mobility- related disability	E, U, G	\$500	Aug. 31
CODA Scholarship (2 awards) <a href="http://www.codainternational.org/DesktopDefault.aspx?tabid=32">http://www.codainternational.org/DesktopDefault.aspx?tabid=32</a>	Students' whose parents are deaf	EHS, U	\$3,000	May 2
Epilepsy Canada Scholarship (2 awards) <a href="http://www.edmontonepilepsy.org/Scholarship%20Program.html">http://www.edmontonepilepsy.org/Scholarship%20Program.html</a>	Epilepsy	EHS, E, U, G	\$1,000	March 1
Euclid Herie Leadership Awards 800 365 2642 e-mail: <a href="mailto:alberta@cnib.ca">alberta@cnib.ca</a>	Vision loss	All	\$5,000	April 30
Euclid Herie Technical Aid Scholarship 800 365 2642, <a href="mailto:alberta@cnib.ca">alberta@cnib.ca</a> , <a href="http://www.cnib.ca">www.cnib.ca</a>	Vision loss	EHS	\$5,000	May 15
Terry Fox Humanitarian Award <a href="http://www.terryfox.org/english/information.html">www.terryfox.org/english/information.html</a>	All disabilities	E, U	\$7,000	Feb. 1
Global TV Internship Award, 800 387 8001 <a href="http://www.yorku.ca/gcareers/funding_special_needs">http://www.yorku.ca/gcareers/funding_special_needs</a>	Mobility only	E, U	\$15,000	May 26
Wayne and Walter Gretzky Scholarship For the Blind Youth of Canada <a href="http://www.cnib.ca/en/about/awards/scholarships/wgs/Default.aspx">http://www.cnib.ca/en/about/awards/scholarships/wgs/Default.aspx</a>	Vision loss	EHS	\$3,000 - \$5,000	May 31 July 31
IMASCO Scholarship for Disabled Students <a href="http://www.yorku.ca/gcareers/funding_special_needs.htm#Imasco%20Scholarship%20Fund%20for%20Disabled%20Students">http://www.yorku.ca/gcareers/funding_special_needs.htm#Imasco%20Scholarship%20Fund%20for%20Disabled%20Students</a> (10)	All disabilities	E, U	\$5,000	June 1
Martha Ruth Johnson Award Selected by SSDS – <a href="#">Click here for application</a>	All disabilities	E, U, G	\$500	Sept. 30
Doreen Kronick Scholarship, <a href="http://www.ldac-taac.ca">www.ldac-taac.ca</a>	Studies in the field of learning disabilities	G	500	May 15
Leo LeClerc Scholarship Selected by SSDS – <a href="#">Click here for application</a>	All disabilities	U, G	\$1,000	Sept 30
Mattinson Endowment Fund for Disabled Students, (613)563-1236, <a href="http://www.aucc.ca/scholarships/open/mattinson_e.html">www.aucc.ca/scholarships/open/mattinson_e.html</a>	All disabilities	E, U-1 <sup>st</sup> year (see applic.)	\$2,500	June 23
Microsoft Award <a href="http://www.microsoft.com/college/ss_overview.msp">www.microsoft.com/college/ss_overview.msp</a>	All disabilities	U, G	Up to 100% of tuition	Jan 31
Esther Miller Award Selected by SSDS – <a href="#">Click here for application</a>	Mobility only	U	\$1,000	Sept. 30

Louise Miller Award Spinal Cord Injury Treatment Centre Society (preferably with a spinal cord / back injury) Selected by SSDS – <a href="#">Click here for application</a>	Mobility-related Disabilities	U, G	\$500	Sept 30
MuchMoreMusic AccessAbility Scholarship <a href="http://canparaplegic.org/national/level2.tpl?var1=category3&amp;var2=Employment%20and%20Education">http://canparaplegic.org/national/level2.tpl?var1=category3&amp;var2=Employment%20and%20Education</a>	All disabilities	U	\$3,000	Nov. 1
National Federation of the Blind: Advocates for Equality Scholarship <a href="http://www.blindcanadians.ca/programs/">www.blindcanadians.ca/programs/</a>	Legally blind	U, G	\$1,500	Oct. 15
Ross C. Purse Doctoral Fellowship <a href="http://www.cnib.ca/eng/awards/index.htm">www.cnib.ca/eng/awards/index.htm</a>	Research in the field of blindness	G	\$12,500	April 1
NEADS Equity Through Education Awards <a href="http://www.neads.ca">www.neads.ca</a>	Various	Various	Various	Dec. 17
Siobhan Isabella Reid Memorial Scholarship 780 448 0360, e-mail: <a href="mailto:info@ldaa.ca">info@ldaa.ca</a>	Interest: field of learning disabilities	U, G	\$800	May 30
Rixon Rafter Bursary Application available from CNIB or SSDS	Vision loss	E, U, G	\$300-\$500	Sept. 30
Rollans Family Award (1 - 2 awards) Selected by SSDS – <a href="#">Click here for application</a>	Learning disability	EHS, E, U	\$1,000 minimum	Sept 30
Royal Canadian Legion Scholarships <a href="http://www.rdc.ab.ca/funding_and_awards/scholarships/awardDetails.html?RDC_A_D=MjQ=">http://www.rdc.ab.ca/funding_and_awards/scholarships/awardDetails.html?RDC_A_D=MjQ=</a>	Vision loss	E, or U	\$1,000	Mar. 31 May 31
Royal Canadian Legion Scholarships <a href="http://www.rdc.ab.ca/funding_and_awards/scholarships/awardDetails.html?RDC_A_D=MjQ=">http://www.rdc.ab.ca/funding_and_awards/scholarships/awardDetails.html?RDC_A_D=MjQ=</a>	Vision loss	E, or U	\$100-\$500	Mar. 31 May 31
Sertoma Scholarship <a href="http://www.sertoma.org">www.sertoma.org</a>	Hearing loss	E, U, G	\$1,000	May 1
Spina Bifida & Hydrocephalus Association of Canada Scholarship (2), <a href="http://www.sbhac.ca">www.sbhac.ca</a>	Spina Bifida or Hydrocephalus	E, U, G	\$1,000	May 15
Sun Life Financial Peer Support Scholarship <a href="http://canparaplegic.org/national/level2.tpl?var1=category3&amp;var2=Employment%20and%20Education">http://canparaplegic.org/national/level2.tpl?var1=category3&amp;var2=Employment%20and%20Education</a>	Physical disability	U	\$2,500	Spring TBA
Robert Tegler Special Awards (3 awards) Selected by SSDS – <a href="#">Click here for application</a>	Physical disability	E, U	\$2,000	Sept. 30
Carol Thompson Memorial Scholarship <a href="http://www.ldac-taac.ca">www.ldac-taac.ca</a>	Learning disability	U	\$1,000	May 15
UCBeyond Rheumatoid Arthritis Scholarship (7 awards) <a href="http://www.chromecommunications.ca">http://www.chromecommunications.ca</a>	Rheumatoid Arthritis	All	\$5000	June 30
Dr. Wall Graduate Student Research Award 800 771 0663, e-mail: <a href="mailto:info@ala.ca">info@ala.ca</a>	Research on disability and physical activity	G	Forum sponsor	Feb. 1
Hilda Wilson Memorial Scholarship Selected by SSDS – <a href="#">Click here for application</a>	All disabilities	U, G	\$250	Sep 30
F.J.L. Woodcock/Sir Arthur Pearson Assoc. of War Blinded Scholarship Foundation <a href="http://www.cnib.ca/eng/awards/index.htm">www.cnib.ca/eng/awards/index.htm</a>	Vision loss	All	~\$200-300	April 29
Dr. Henry R. Ziel Memorial Award Selected by SSDS – <a href="#">Click here for application</a>	Wheelchair user	EHS, U	\$1,500	Sept. 30
Zajac Foundation Scholarship 604 451 5511, e-mail: <a href="mailto:home@centreforability.bc.ca">home@centreforability.bc.ca</a> <a href="http://www.bcit.ca/files/finaid/pdf/awardsdisablestdt.pdf">www.bcit.ca/files/finaid/pdf/awardsdisablestdt.pdf</a>	Mobility-related Disabilities	EHS, U, G	\$400	Sept. 1

“Selected by SSDS” awards are selected by a committee of university representatives, appointed by SSDS.

Hardcopy of applications available in the SSDS reception area.  
All other applications to be forwarded to sponsoring organization.

**For your convenience, information regarding the above scholarships and awards is available in the SSDS main reception area, though we cannot guarantee all information is fully up to date or accurate. Most organizations have web sites where you can obtain this information.**

**Note: some awards are processed through SSDS, some must be mailed elsewhere, be sure to consult the deadline information.**

**Legend:**

**E = Entering University** (from any where)

**U = Undergraduate student**

**EHS = Entering University from High School only**

**G = Graduate Student**

**Physical Disability** – includes all those with a mobility-related disability, neurological disorders, hearing loss or vision loss. It does not include students with a learning disability.

- Other resources for bursary information: [www.neads.ca](http://www.neads.ca) or [www.scholarshipscanada.com](http://www.scholarshipscanada.com)
- Be sure to check out the “black binders” in **Student Financial Aid and Information 1 – 80 SUB**
- Also consider applying for general undergraduate awards (more than six million dollars worth of awards) and general graduate awards. Detailed listings and application forms at [www.registrar.ualberta.ca/awards](http://www.registrar.ualberta.ca/awards)
- Students are encouraged to apply every year for awards.
- Award recipients are eligible to re-apply for awards they have won in previous years.
- Please note that there is also an award for Canadian students studying in the United States (Stanley E. Jackson/Infinitec Scholarship Awards; consult website: [yesican.sped.org/scholarship/index.html#1](http://yesican.sped.org/scholarship/index.html#1))