



Where good things grow

Canfor High School Scholarship Program Guidelines

As a global leader in manufacturing of high value low-carbon forest products, Canfor is committed to investing in the people and the communities in which we are fortunate to operate.

To support our future foresters, business and wood products manufacturing leaders, and skilled tradespersons, our **High School Scholarship Program** provides financial support to high school graduates in our operating communities entering eligible areas of post-secondary study.

AREAS OF STUDY

- Forestry / Forest Ecology & Management
- Wood Products Manufacturing
- Process, Mechanical or Chemical Engineering
- Certified Trades:
 - Millwright
 - Electrician
 - Heavy-duty Mechanic
 - Instrumentation Mechanic
 - Saw filer/Benchman
 - Pipefitter
 - Welder
 - Power Engineer
 - Carpenter
- Business Programs:
 - Business Administration
 - Business Technology
 - Accounting
 - Finance
 - Supply Chain Management
 - Marketing
 - Human Resources

SCHOLARSHIP VALUE AND NUMBER OF AWARDS

Up to a maximum of four (4) \$1,000 awards are available per school based on the size of the graduating class and annual scholarship program allocations.

# of Students in Graduating Class	# of Scholarships Available
< 50	1
50 - 100	2
100 -150	3
>150	4

ELIGIBILITY

- The student must be a Canadian or U.S. citizen or permanent resident graduating from a high school in one of our operating areas.
- Enroll in an eligible post-secondary program that could support a sustainable forest industry (see examples under Areas of Study).

CONDITIONS & RESTRICTIONS

- Where there are multiple qualified applicants, students related to a Canfor employee shall have priority, with remaining scholarships awarded based on strength of the application.
- Students of Canfor employees who are winners of a 2024 Bentley-Prentice Award (a Canfor-internal awards program) will not also be eligible to receive a Canfor High School Scholarship. Students are encouraged to apply to both awards programs and will be awarded the higher value scholarship of which they are eligible.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Eligible students must complete the fillable PDF Application Form and submit it to their school counsellor/Awards contact who reviews the application for eligibility and completeness.

Student Application Form can be downloaded [here](#).

NOMINATING STUDENTS

We rely on the high school to review student eligibility and recommend individuals by nominating students for Canfor's approval. Nominations are made by completing this Online Nomination Form and attaching the student's completed application form. **A separate nomination form is required for each student being nominating.**

All nominations must be received by **Friday, April 12, 2024 (U.S.A.) / Friday, May 3, 2024 (Canada).**

HOW STUDENTS RECEIVE SCHOLARSHIP PAYMENT

Successful applicants will receive confirmation by email from Canfor (copied to school contact) before the end of the school year (U.S.A. by April 30th and Canada by May 24th).

Students will directly receive their scholarship payment upon providing to Canfor:

- A copy of the student's registration in their eligible post-secondary program;
- Confirmation of student's Social Insurance Number (SIN), which is a Canada Revenue Agency requirement for tax receipts. (*For Canadian scholarship recipients only.*)

Students must submit the above documentations by **September 30, 2024** to receive their scholarship cheque.

DEFERRALS & WAITLIST

Scholarship winners will be required to provide proof of registration in their post-secondary program (along with their social insurance number *for Canadian students only*) by **September 30, 2024**.

Students who decide to defer their education or are waitlisted for their program (up to 18 months), must email donations@canfor.com by September 30, 2024 to make Canfor aware of your deferred entry into their program. Students who do not contact Canfor by the indicated deadline will forfeit their award.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Please contact donations@canfor.com with any questions.

Canfor High School Scholarship Application



Enrolling in post-secondary studies for a rewarding future supporting the forest industry? Canfor wants to help you reach your goals!

We're offering high school graduates up to four \$1,000 scholarships per school in our operating communities to support our future foresters, wood products manufacturing and business leaders, and skilled tradespersons.

Application Process

1. Complete this application form and submit it to your school counsellor, Awards Committee or Administration to be considered.
2. Your school will review your application against Canfor's scholarship requirements and submit it to Canfor with their nomination.
3. Canfor will review all nominations and select scholarship winners before the end of the school year.
4. Successful applicants will be notified by email of their award and the requirement to provide proof of post-secondary program registration before receiving payment of their scholarship.

Nomination Deadline

Submit your completed application to your school counsellor, Awards Committee or Administration ASAP so they can nominate you before:



USA Friday, April 12, 2024	CANADA <u>April 15th, 2024</u> Friday, May 3, 2024
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Student's Personal Information

FULL NAME _____

ADDRESS _____
STREET CITY STATE/PROV ZIP/POSTAL CODE

EMAIL _____ PHONE NUMBER _____

Are you related to a Canfor employee? If yes, please provide:

NAME OF EMPLOYEE _____ RELATION TO EMPLOYEE _____

NAME OR LOCATION OF WORK FACILITY _____



High School Information

NAME OF SCHOOL CURRENTLY ATTENDING _____

CITY OR TOWN _____

NAME OF SCHOOL CONTACT PERSON SUPPORTING YOUR APPLICATION _____

Teacher, Counselor, or Administrator

Post-Secondary Studies Information

NAME OF SCHOOL ATTENDING IN UPCOMING SCHOOL YEAR _____

Trades School, College, or University

CITY OR TOWN _____

PROGRAM OF STUDY _____ PROGRAM LENGTH _____

START DATE _____

About You

We're excited to learn more about you! Tell us what interests you about the wood products/forestry industry or why you've decided to continue your education in your chosen field of study.

Feel free to share anything else about you, like how teachers or peers would describe you, your extra-curricular activities or community involvement or what inspires you to stay motivated and do your best.

MAXIMUM 300 WORDS



Declaration of Applicant

I hereby certify that the information given in the above application are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge, and I authorize the release of this information to Canfor's Scholarship Selection Committee.

APPLICANT NAME

DATE

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED

Scholarship Payment Process

Winners of the Canfor High School Scholarship award will be required to provide proof of registration in your post-secondary program along with your social insurance number (for Canadian students only) by September 30, 2024.

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