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Western's National Scholarships recognize all around excellence of the best and the brightest students. Scholarships are awarded on the basis of outstanding academic performance to candidates who demonstrate ability for creative and innovative thought and a passion for the pursuit of learning.

National Scholarships also recognize exceptional leadership in extracurricular activities such as the arts and athletics. A special emphasis is placed on a candidate's commitment to community service through ongoing contributions to school and community life.

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PRESIDENT'S ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS

2 at $93,000 ($27,000 for one year, $22,000 annually for years two to four)

1 at $70,000 ($25,000 for one year, $15,000 annually for years two to four) and;

Up to 15 at $50,000 ($20,000 for year one, $10,000 annually for years two to four)

Neen Hodgins National Entrance Scholarship
1 at $100,000 ($25,000 per academic year for a period of four years)

James Jenkins President's Entrance Scholarships for Black Students
5 at $50,000 ($20,000 for year one, $10,000 annually for years two to four)

Neen Hodgins President's International Entrance Scholarship
1 at up to $100,000 ($25,000 per academic year for a period of four years)

INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT'S ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS

Total value $100,000

3 at $100,000 ($25,000 annually for year one to four)

*Available to International students (not Canadian citizens or permanent residents)

FACULTY ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS

Total value $30,000

Up to 15 at $30,000; payable $12,000 for year one, $6,000 annually for years two to four.

National Scholarship winners are guaranteed a single room in their first choice of residence.

BERYL IVEY CONTINUING ENTRANCE AWARD

Total value: $96,000

ONE at $96,000; payable $24,000 per academic year for a period of four years.

NATIONAL MERIT AWARDS

Those students who are interviewed for a National Scholarship but not offered a scholarship and accepting an offer of full-time admission to Main Campus will receive a one-year National Merit Award valued at $2,000. Recipients will also retain eligibility for an Admission Scholarship.

NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP STUDY ABROAD AWARDS

Up to 46 at $2,500 for up to 4 months (one term), $5,000 for over 4 months (more than one term).

National Scholarship Program Eligibility

With the exception of the International President's Entrance Scholarship, Neen Hodgins President's International Entrance Scholarship and James Jenkins President's Entrance Scholarships for Black Students, National Scholarship applicants must be Canadian Citizens or a Permanent Resident of Canada. All applicants must have obtained a minimum overall academic average of 90% on their Grade 12U/M courses (or equivalent). National Scholarships are available only at Western's main campus and Faculty Entrance Scholarships are available only within the faculty for which the scholarship has been awarded. You must make an admission application to Western University (main campus) to be considered for these scholarships and you must register as a full-time student and obtain a minimum 90 percent final admission average. The Hodgins Entrance Scholarships are reserved for students entering the Faculty of Arts and Humanities. All other scholarships are open to all first entry undergraduate Faculties. International Baccalaureate and CEGEP students are eligible for consideration.

The Beryl Ivey Continuing Entrance Award has a financial need component and a supplemental application in addition to the National Scholarship application is required for students to be considered.

Selection

Candidates who are Canadian citizens or permanent residents will automatically be considered for both the President's and the Faculty Entrance Scholarships. Candidates who are International will be considered for the international entrance scholarship offerings only. A selection committee composed of University faculty will adjudicate the applications and nominate an exclusive group of finalists, who will be invited to Western as guests for an on campus interview. Candidates will be notified during the first week in April if they are to receive an interview. The interviews will be held the following week. Candidates who are to be offered a scholarship will be notified during the first week of May.

Application Deadline is February 14, 2027

The online application, plus all supporting documentation, must be received at Western by the February 14, 2027 deadline. Also, please ensure that you have submitted your application to the Ontario Universities' Application Centre indicating Western's Main Campus as one of your choices.

registrar.uwo.ca/national_scholarships

HOW TO RETAIN YOUR SCHOLARSHIP AFTER FIRST YEAR

Academic progress is reviewed annually and continuation of the scholarship requires maintaining a minimum 80 per cent (A) average, continuous enrolment at Main Campus and a full course load (five courses) or as prescribed by your faculty.



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Virtual Campus Tours

Web: https://welcome.uwo.ca/what-is-western-like/location/visit.html

Spring Open House: April 3, 2027
https://welcome.uwo.ca/what-is-western-like/presentations-events.html

Admission Information

Undergraduate Recruitment and Admissions Office of the Registrar
Western University
Western Student Services Building
London, Ontario N6A 3K7

Web: welcome.uwo.ca
Contact details can be found at: https://welcome.uwo.ca/contact.html

Contact Information for the National Scholarship Program

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