



Entrance Scholarship & Award 2025/2026

Student Application

GENERAL INFORMATION

The Douglas College Entrance Scholarship and Award program recognizes students who are transitioning to Douglas College from secondary school or another post-secondary institution. The purpose of this program is to recognize students who excel in their studies and contribute to their community. Contributions to the community include promotion of social justice and Indigenous truth and reconciliation.

The Entrance Scholarship and Award program offers a variety of one-time awards of up to \$3,500, and renewable awards of up to \$20,000, payable over four years.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- **Entrance Scholarships:** Students must have a minimum admission GPA of 3.5 and significant contributions to their school or community.
- **Entrance Awards:** Students must have a minimum admission GPA of 3.0 and significant contributions to their school or community.

INSTRUCTIONS

Please read the instructions carefully before beginning:

- Using the forms included below, you must clearly illustrate (with examples) your contributions to your school and/or community, as well as the promotion of social justice and the promotion of Indigenous Truth and Reconciliation within your school and/or community
- Please include two letters of reference from members of your school or community
- If applicable, please outline your personal and/or family financial circumstances and why you feel you should be considered for awards that include a financial need component

TIMELINE

The application period is from **October 1st, 2024** through **March 31st, 2025**.

All Completed applications must be received by Douglas College by **March 31st, 2025** by 11:59PM.

Scholarship and Award Winners will be notified of Douglas College's decision by **mid-May**.



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STUDENT INFORMATION		
Douglas College Student Number (if known):		Student Name:
Mailing Address		
City:	Province:	Postal Code:
Phone Number:		Email Address:
High School Attending (if applicable):		Citizenship:
Post-Secondary Institution You are Transferring From (if applicable):		
Program you have applied to enter at Douglas College:		
<p>Aboriginal Identity: The term Aboriginal person refers to First Nations, Métis and Inuit peoples of Canada. Do you identify yourself as an Aboriginal person of Canada? (Optional)</p> <p>Yes No Not specified</p>		
<p>Visible Minority: A person in a visible minority group in Canada is someone (other than an Aboriginal person as defined above) who is non-Caucasian in race or non-white in colour, regardless of place of birth. Are you a member of a visible minority group? (Optional)</p> <p>Yes No Not Specified</p>		
APPLICATION CHECKLIST		
<p>Only complete applications will be reviewed. The following must be included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Completed and signed application form (Page 1) Question 1-3 complete. (Pages 2-4) Apply to Douglas College and submit an official high school transcript or an official post-secondary transcript to Admissions (if you are currently in Grade 12, you can request that the Ministry of Education submit your transcript directly to Douglas College) Two letters of reference providing evidence of participation in school and/or community activities Personal Financial Statement (if applicable) (Page 5) 		



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Question 1:

Describe your contributions to your school or community.

Be sure to include examples and evidence of your contributions and a reflection on the impact.

(max 300 words)



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Question 2:

Describe your contribution to the promotion of social justice within your school or community. Be sure to include examples and evidence of your contributions, and a reflection on the impact (max 300 words).



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Question 3:

Describe your contributions to the promotion of Indigenous Truth and Reconciliation within your school or community.

Be sure to include examples and evidence of your contributions, and a reflection on the impact (max 300 words).



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Question 4:

Personal Financial Statement (if applicable).

Outline your personal or family financial circumstances, and why you should be considered for awards that include a financial need component.

DECLARATION

I hereby declare that the information given on this application is correct and complete.

If awarded a scholarship or award, I authorize Douglas College to release the following information to the scholarship or award donor: address, telephone number, program of study, academic average and the information relative to special requirements of scholarships or awards and background information from this application. I understand that my name may be published in news releases or lists of scholarship or award winners printed by the College or by award donors.

Signature of Applicant:

Date (DD/MM/YY):

Send your complete application and supporting documentation to:

Entrance Scholarship Selection Committee
c/o Enrolment Services
Douglas College
P.O. Box 2503
New Westminster, BC V3L 5B2

OR Email: studentawards@douglascollege.ca

Collection Notice:

Your personal information is collected by Douglas College under the authority of Section 27 (2) of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FIPPA). This information will be used to process your Entrance Scholarship & Award form. Questions about the collection of this information may be directed to the Associate Registrar, Curriculum, Graduation & Student Success at 604-527-5011 or email at studentawards@douglascollege.ca.