

Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards

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Entering students at the University of Saskatchewan may receive two types of entrance awards:

- automatic scholarships for which they will be considered upon admission, and
- competitive scholarships and bursaries for which separate applications must be submitted.

AWARDS FOR WHICH STUDENTS ARE CONSIDERED AUTOMATICALLY:

Guaranteed Entrance Scholarships

Applicants are automatically considered for a Guaranteed Entrance Scholarship when they apply for admission. These scholarships are awarded based on an applicant's admission average and, if the applicant is eligible, he or she will be notified in the offer of admission.

For students who have already graduated, the scholarship will be based on their final admission average. If students apply for admission during their Grade 12 year, their average will be calculated twice—once at the time of admission and again following graduation. The scholarship amount will be based on the applicant's highest average.

Excellence Awards

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE (IB) DIPLOMA PROGRAMME EXCELLENCE AWARDS

Value:

CANADIAN STUDENTS \$5,000
INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS \$20,000

Consideration is automatic for students completing the IB Diploma Programme who apply for admission by February 15. Selection is based on academic achievement.

INTERNATIONAL EXCELLENCE AWARDS

Value: \$10,000

International students entering the University of Saskatchewan will be considered automatically for an International Excellence Award based on academic achievement. To be considered, you must apply for admission before Feb 15.

CALCULATING A FIVE-SUBJECT AVERAGE

1	Mathematics
1	English
3	Other acceptable Grade 12 (senior-level) subjects from the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">■ Maximum of TWO natural sciences■ Maximum of TWO social sciences or humanities■ Maximum of ONE fine or performing art

ADMISSION AVERAGE	SCHOLARSHIP
95% OR GREATER	\$3,000
93% TO 94.9%	\$2,000
90% TO 92.9%	\$1,000
85% TO 89.9%	\$500



The deadline to apply for admission to be considered for Excellence Awards is **February 15**.

Students must also submit the necessary supporting documents and meet U of S admission requirements (including English language proficiency requirements) by **March 1**.

AWARDS REQUIRING AN APPLICATION:

Best and Brightest Entrance Scholarships

\$ Value: Up to \$40,000

Best and Brightest Entrance Scholarships include uSask's highest valued, renewable entrance scholarships for high achieving students and are awarded based on academics and/or leadership and contributions to school and community life.

These awards, which recognize academic excellence and community engagement, include five known as the **Circle of Honour Awards**, which are designated for Indigenous students.

HOW TO APPLY

- 1 Apply for admission and arrange for transcripts and other admission documents to be submitted by **December 1**.
- 2 Check your email for your PAWS log-in ID and password, which will be sent within 2-3 business days after you apply for admission.
- 3 Log into PAWS and open the *Scholarships and Bursaries* channel to apply for Best and Brightest Entrance Scholarships before **December 15**.
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DEADLINE TO APPLY FOR ADMISSION

December 1

DEADLINE TO APPLY FOR AWARDS

December 15

Competitive Entrance Awards

\$ Value: Up to \$32,000

Competitive Entrance Awards may be awarded based on academic achievement, financial need and/or contributions to school and community life. These awards also recognize particular backgrounds, acknowledge contributions to certain clubs and reward achievement in music and athletics.

Scholarships: awarded based on academic achievement and may consider school/community activities, leadership or other criteria

Bursaries: awarded based on financial need and may consider academic achievement, school/community activities, leadership or other criteria

HOW TO APPLY

- 1 Apply for admission by **February 15**.
- 2 Check your email for your PAWS log-in ID and password, which will be sent within 2-3 business days after you apply for admission.
- 3 Log in to PAWS and open the *Scholarships and Bursaries channel* to apply for Competitive Entrance Scholarships and/or Competitive Entrance Bursaries before **March 1**.
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- 4 Arrange for awards and admissions supporting documents to be submitted by March 1.



DEADLINE TO APPLY FOR ADMISSION

February 15

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March 1

Award Eligibility

Entrance awards are available to:

- students proceeding directly from high school to university; and
- students who have graduated from high school and have less than 18 credit units of post-secondary study transferable to the University of Saskatchewan.

At the University of Saskatchewan, entering students are eligible to receive a Guaranteed Entrance Scholarship in addition to an Excellence Award, Best and Brightest Entrance Scholarship or Competitive Entrance Award.



EXTERNAL AWARDS

In addition to the awards administered by the University of Saskatchewan, students are encouraged to look for awards from other sources, such as clubs, associations, religious organizations or government agencies.

There are numerous websites students can use to research and apply for external awards.

Visit: usask.ca/awards to find some suggestions.



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