

2026 BCSSA Grade 12 Scholarship - \$1,500 Applications **due** April 3rd, 2026 – 4:00 PM

The **British Columbia School Superintendents Association (BCSSA)** is awarding seven regional scholarships to students planning to pursue post-secondary studies.

Students wishing to be considered for a scholarship must be currently enrolled in their final year of studies at a public secondary school in British Columbia and expected to graduate in June 2026 with good academic achievement.

One recipient will be chosen from each of the seven BCSSA provincial chapters:

- **Fraser Valley**
- **Indigenous**
- **Kootenay-Boundary**
- **Metro**
- **Northern**
- **Thompson-Okanagan**
- **Vancouver Island**

Each successful recipient will be awarded a \$1,500 scholarship.

In selecting the recipients for this year's awards, the scholarship committees require:

- Official school transcript of grades (to date)
- Proof of application/entry to post-secondary
- Two letters of reference affirming accomplishments and efforts made to improve the quality of life for young people/others through volunteer work and/or other activities
- Proof of demonstrated leadership:

A one-page description (450 words max) of how their leadership has made a difference in the life or lives of others in their school and/or community – add proof of demonstrated leadership that has made significant impacts to the social, ethical and collaborative fabric of school/community (provide 2 examples of service; and 2 of leadership)

- Completed Online Application (upload documents here) **To apply:** [BCSSA Website](https://www.bcssa.org)

Leadership examples may include, but are not limited to: Arts, trades, physicality, scholastics, social justice, equity, well-being, diversity, advocacy, and cultural responsiveness.

*Only complete applications with required attachments will be considered.

- Recipients will be selected in late spring 2026
- One finalist will be chosen from each of the seven BCSSA provincial chapters by the Membership Chair in each chapter or a designate
- Only successful applicants will be contacted
- Once proof of post-secondary registration has been provided, an Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT) form for payment will be issued to successful applicants

