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Resources to help pay for post-secondary education

- 1 Live at home and go to a nearby post-secondary institution.
- 2 Talk to your family.
- 3 Apply for scholarships either broad based or post-secondary institution specific.
- 4 Apply for bursaries in high school and in post-secondary.
- 5 Use [Scholarshipscanada](#) to find scholarships, student awards and bursaries.
- 6 Work with a scholarship consultant to help you with your search and applications. Janet MacDonald of [mycampusgps](#) is a great resource.
- 7 Apply for awards in high school that come with cash prizes.
- 8 Apply for and secure government student loans.
- 9 Draw funds from your Registered Retirement Savings Plan via the [Lifelong Learning Plan](#).
- 10 Apply for grants from the [government](#) and other organizations.
- 11 Use funds from your [Registered Education Savings Plan](#).
- 12 Open a savings account and start saving.
- 13 Automate savings.
- 14 Apply for and secure bank loans.



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- 15 Secure a credit card for emergencies – make use of the [Credit Card Comparison](#) and [Credit Card Payment](#) tools from the Financial Consumer Agency of Canada
- 16 Create a budget - make use of the [Budget Calculator](#) from the Financial Consumer Agency of Canada.
- 17 Use the [Financial Goal Calculator](#) from the Financial Consumer Agency of Canada to set a savings goal or get out of debt
- 18 Work part-time in high school and in post-secondary.
- 19 Secure assistance from employers.
- 20 Go to school part-time.
- 21 Work full-time during the summer months or breaks from school.
- 22 Participate in an apprenticeship or co-op program to earn money while you learn.
- 23 Make use of employer assistance or grants available for employees' family members.
- 24 Use loyalty points to pay for post-secondary or to pay back government student loans through [HigherEdPoints](#).
- 25 [Young Money Podcast with Tracey Bissett](#) – the advice show for Young Millionaires in the Making.

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