



The decision to attend Quest is about more than just what you do for the next few years; it is an investment in the rest of your life!

We recognize that finances can be a significant obstacle for students, which is why our Financial Aid Office works closely with students to help them discover assistance options that will support their growth. Quest is committed to helping make its unique education accessible and affordable to all qualified students.

Along with providing scholarships, bursaries, and a student employment program, Quest is also an approved institution to administer several government student-aid programs that assist eligible students with the cost of attendance.

Financial Aid Options Include

- Quest scholarships and bursaries
- Campus Employment Program
- Government student financial assistance programs
- Veterans' Affairs Education Benefits (USA)
- Student budgeting
- Student line of credit
- Quest fee payment deferrals

Scholarships

1. David Strangway Award for Excellence

Full tuition

This award honours the extraordinary career of Dr. David W. Strangway, Quest's first President and Founding Chancellor, and provides full tuition for four years.

Recipients will have achieved very high levels of academic excellence combined with an outstanding record of leadership and service. Students with a high school average above 90% are encouraged to apply. Winners are notified no later than April 1. Up to six full-tuition scholarships are awarded each year. This award is only available to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.

2. Presidential Scholarships

\$2,000 to \$8,000/year

Presidential Scholarships are awarded to students who have distinguished themselves not only through their academic performance but also through their curiosity, ability to lead, and willingness to contribute to their community. Quest's Bachelor of Liberal Arts and Sciences (BA&Sc) program is rigorous. An applicant's academic record is important for this scholarship, but all components of the admissions application are weighed during the evaluation. Reference letters and a resume or CV can significantly strengthen the application. This award is available to all applicants.

3. Canadian Academic Performance Scholarship

\$10,000/year

Quest is committed to providing a liberal arts and sciences education of the highest quality for Canadian undergraduates. The Canadian Academic Performance Scholarship (CAPS) provides a \$10,000 scholarship; it is available to all Canadian citizens and permanent residents who apply with an 80% average or above and are accepted into Quest as full-time students.

4. LEAP Scholarship (Presidential)

\$2,000 to \$8,000/year

The [Leaders in Elite Athletics & Performance \(LEAP\)](#) program helps eligible candidates pursue both an education and excellence in their art or sport, and is designed for athletes and performers at the professional or elite level. Applicants must indicate within their online admissions application that they plan to apply for the LEAP program, and the LEAP application will be available if and when a student receives a general admission offer. Successful applicants are automatically awarded the scholarship amount, which constitutes the first portion of the Presidential Scholarship. To retain their LEAP scholarship, recipients must remain eligible for the LEAP program.

5. Gap Year Scholarships (Presidential)

\$5,000/year

Quest University is proud to partner with select [Gap Year Programs](#). In recognition of completion of these programs, successful applicants will be awarded a \$5,000 annual scholarship, renewable for four years. This award constitutes the first portion of the Presidential Scholarship.

6. UWC Scholarship (Presidential)

\$5,000/year

If the [United World College](#) experience changed your life, Quest might be the perfect place to continue your intellectual journey. The UWC Scholarship is automatically awarded to admitted students who complete the International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme at a United World College and who opt-in to Financial Aid on their application. Awarded UWC Scholarships constitute the first portion of the Presidential Scholarship.

Bursaries

Quest administers its own bursary program which provides non-repayable (grant) funding to students who demonstrate unmet financial need through a Quest bursary application process. Bursaries, for entrance students, can be applied for when initially applying for admission to Quest and must be reapplied for prior to each Academic Year.

Students receiving funding from government student aid programs, a student line-of-credit or a similar funding source to support their cost of attendance will be considered in greater financial need. Students are expected to use external funding options.

Government Student Aid

Government student aid is financial assistance for eligible students provided by federal and/or provincial/territorial/state governments. Funding may consist of loans, grants, awards, or a combination of these. Some government student aid programs are offered to students in both full-time and part-time study.

Student Employment Program

Quest's Student Employment Program provides students with the opportunity to work in a variety of areas on campus during the academic year. Students who are receiving a Quest Bursary are given priority in the hiring process but are not guaranteed a position as there are a limited number of positions on campus. All student employment positions pay an hourly wage. Some positions have regularly scheduled hours, while others are project-based. Student employees report to a staff or faculty supervisor who will oversee their employment.

Questions?

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