

# Welcome to Canada Bursary Application



Eastern College recognizes the need to support refugees, protected persons, and people displaced by war arriving in Canada. Eastern College is stepping up to provide assistance to those who are considering post-secondary education by offering a bursary that can be used towards a full-time diploma program at any of our four campuses across Atlantic Canada. We are helping to create a platform for these individuals to rebuild their lives.

A total of 5 bursaries will be available.

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Complete and sign below then submit to your Education Consultant at Eastern College at the address below or the campus you will be attending.

**Name of Applicant**

**Address of Applicant**

**Email Address of Applicant**

**Telephone Number of Applicant**

**Program of Choice**

**Country of Origin**

**Campus of Choice**

**Education Consultant**

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**84 Chain Lake Dr. Suite 100  
Halifax, NS  
B3S 1A2**

Read and sign page two before submitting to your Education Consultant at Eastern College.

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**To be eligible for the Refugee Bursary, you must be:**

1. A refugee, protected person, or a person displaced by war. The applicant must be currently residing in Canada or have been granted permanent residency after January 1, 2021 due to the above-listed reasons.
2. Valid for new students who enroll in a full-time diploma program at Eastern College that starts between August 1, 2024 and July 31, 2025.
3. May not be combined with any other bursary or program discount.

**Requirements for application:**

1. A brief one page (500 word) essay outlining the applicant's goals in Canada.
2. A copy of the applicant's resume.

**Award Value**

1. The value of this bursary is \$5000.
2. All other fees and books are at the student's cost.

**Award Payments and Conditions**

1. The Award will be listed on your student contract. It will be reviewed by our Financial Aid Officer as part of your application to enroll.
2. If you withdraw from studies, the value of the Award will be reduced or cancelled, based on standard term withdrawal deadlines.
3. The Award has no monetary value other than towards the cost of tuition.
4. The fiscal status of the award will be in accordance with the Canadian Income Tax legislation.

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**Applicant Signature**

**Date**

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*\*By signing this form, you are authorizing Eastern College permission to review your personal information for the purpose of awarding Welcome to Canada Bursary funding. Additionally, signing this form hereby grants Eastern College authorization to make mention of the Welcome to Canada Bursary funding granted to you in print, web, or any other marketing material.\**

The application for the Welcome to Canada Bursary will be submitted to the Administrative Team at Eastern College for review.

Other documentation in support of your application may be required.

You will be notified of the status of your award within 10 business days of submission of your application.

All bursaries must be reported to Canada Student Loan or any other funding agencies.