

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

2026 APPLICATION



The Manitoba Canola Growers Scholarship Program is available to Manitoba high school students who are enrolled in their final year of high school and eligible to graduate in 2026. Those eligible for a scholarship must live on, work for or have guardians that work for a farm that is a member of Manitoba Canola Growers Association. The scholarship must be used in the two years following high school graduation.

Manitoba Canola Growers recognizes that people from a variety of educational faculties contribute to the success of the agriculture industry. For that reason we are keeping the eligibility open to all post secondary programs.

If you have applied to a college or university, but have not been accepted yet, or if you are choosing to take one year off before you plan to attend post secondary education, you can still apply for the Manitoba Canola Growers Scholarship. We will require the winner to provide an acceptance letter prior to the scholarship being awarded.

Successful applicants will be awarded a \$1000 scholarship based on academics, canola connection, school and community involvement, and essay submission. An independent scholarship review panel will make the selection.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

All submissions must include the following to be considered:

- Complete application form (typed or printed)
- Two reference letters (Ex. teacher, employer, coach, etc.)
- University/College acceptance letter
- Working copy of high school transcript
- Essay
- Live on, work for or have a guardian that works for a farm that is a member of MCGA
- Canola story
- School involvement

RETURN YOUR APPLICATION TO:

Mail Delivery:

Manitoba Canola Growers
400-167 Lombard Ave
Winnipeg, MB R3B 0T6

E-mail Delivery:

info@canolagrowers.com
*Note: Acceptable formats include
PDF, Word Doc, and scanned files.*

Questions? Contact us:

canolagrowers.com
info@canolagrowers.com
1-204-982-2122

(Must be postmarked by April 6, 2026)

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The successful applicants will be required to provide a photo for MCGA communications as well as tax information for a T4A per CRA rules.

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Last name: _____ First name: _____

Address: _____

City/Town: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

I live on a farm that is a member of the Manitoba Canola Growers Association.

Name or farm that canola is delivered under: _____

Farm address: _____

High School: _____

Location: _____

Post secondary institution: _____

Program: _____

I hereby certify that the information given on this application is complete and true in all respects and, if granted an award, I authorize the release of pertinent information for publicity purposes.

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT OUR SCHOLARSHIP?

- School Manitoba Canola Growers website X (formerly Twitter)
 Facebook Canola Digest Other (specify) _____

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YOUR CANOLA STORY

Share with us your connection to canola. Whether it is in the field, in the kitchen or somewhere in between.

All stories must be:

- ✓ 150 words MAX.
- ✓ Arial
- ✓ 12 pt
- ✓ Double spaced
- ✓ 1.25" left and right margins
- ✓ Word document or PDF file

ESSAY

Provide a written essay between 250 and 500 words.

Topic: **With the interest in food production growing amongst consumers and only a small number of Canadians involved in primary production, what would you like consumers to know about you and your farm?**

All essays must be:

- ✓ 250-500 words
- ✓ Arial
- ✓ 12 pt
- ✓ Double spaced
- ✓ 1.25" left and right margins
- ✓ Word document or PDF file

All information submitted as part of this Scholarship Application will be used and disclosed by Manitoba Canola Growers for the purposes of assessing your eligibility for this program, selecting and contacting winners of the available scholarships. Manitoba Canola Growers may publish winning essays.

Applications will be evaluated based on the following:

Academics	25%
Canola Connection	10%
Essay	30%
School and Community Involvement	35%