Financial Planning for Post-Secondary Education



Attending Universities

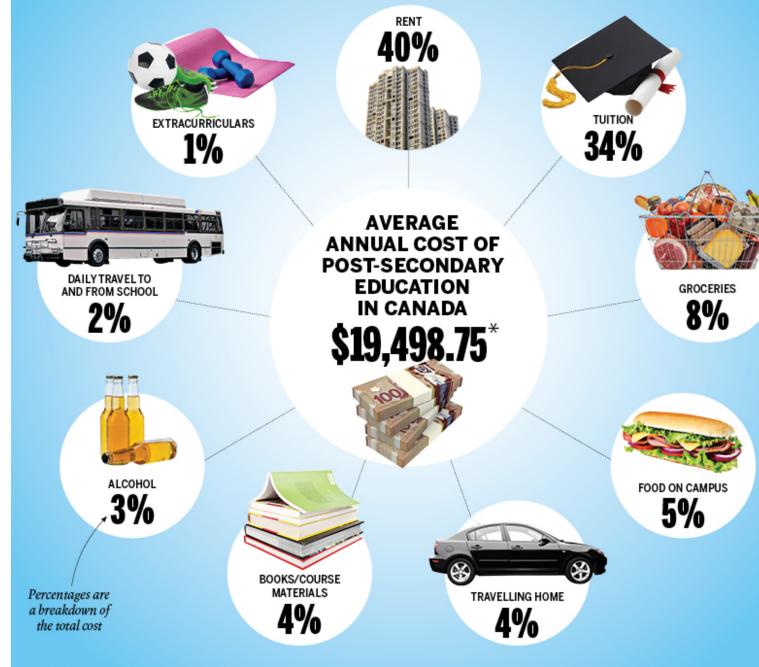
- Costs at BC Universities:
 - Staying in residence (shared): approx.
 \$22 000 per year (\$88 000/ 4 years)
 - Staying at home in BC: approx. \$13 000 per year (\$52 000/4 years)

Source: UBC First year cost calculator <u>https://you.ubc.ca/financial-</u> <u>planning/cost#result</u>



Source: Mark Brown, April 1, 2018
 Maclean's

https://www.macleans.ca/education/thecost-of-a-canadian-university-educationin-six-charts/



*Weighted average of all major expenses for a typical undergrad student living off-campus at a Canadian university

Internal Scholarships

 Some scholarships require an application at the school level

(on school website- February)

- In-School Sullivan Heights Secondary Scholarships
- Surrey Partners 36 Scholarships
- District Authority Scholarships- portfolio application required (Fine Arts, Applied Skills, Physical Activity, Second Languages)
- Secondary School Apprenticeship Scholarships (900 hours apprentice training – see Ms. Rogerson or Mrs. Pacheco)

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Questions: rogerson_s@surreyschools.ca



External Scholarships

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- Some scholarships require an application to outside organizations (i.e. LORAN, TD Bank, Basant Motors, Schulich etc.)
 - Post-secondary institution entrance scholarships
 - Private Scholarships: check your employer, associations, unions.
 - You don't need to be a "Perfect Fit"
 - Start looking now!
 - Check the previous posts on @SulliScholars Twitter feed

Scholarships

Contact: pacheco_e@surreyschools.ca Twitter: @SulliScholars

Prepare yourself well in advance- complete the binder

- Have up to date information
 - Resume, cover letter
- Keep a record of your accomplishments
 - Clubs, activities, awards
- Get reference letters early!
 - Give them a heads up!

- APPLY FOR Scholarships
- Prep a cover letter outlining your accomplishments

Scholarship Support

Binders for sale in the Career Centre for \$15

Money from binder sales = scholarships for graduates of 2021

Scholarship questions, power points and information can also be found on Teams (grades 10-12)- Career Centre Info

College and University Information Event

- Online/virtual event
- Up to 17 colleges and universities
- Week of November 23-25













