

**SENTINEL SECONDARY SCHOOL  
GRADE 12  
SCHOLARSHIP BULLETIN 2019**

**TO:** All Grade 12 Students  
**FROM:** The Sentinel Scholarship Committee  
**DATE :** April 2019

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This is a special bulletin which outlines all the scholarships, awards, and bursaries offered through Sentinel Secondary School. The recipients of all scholarships and awards will be announced at Commencement on Saturday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2019. The awards and scholarships range in amounts from \$200 to \$7,500.

**All interested students are encouraged to complete an application form as soon as possible and return it to Ms. Carrillo, in the Main Office, no later than:**

**Thursday, May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019** (\*except where noted otherwise).

**Late applications will not be accepted.**

**SENTINEL SECONDARY INTERNAL AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

**Procedure**

- The Scholarship Committee reviews the scholarship information.
- A scholarship bulletin and application form is distributed to all Grade 12 students.
- Sentinel staff are consulted for nominations for certain awards and scholarships.
- The Scholarship Committee selects the nominees for each award and scholarship then recommends them to the trustees of the Sentinel Education and Achievement Foundation.
- The Scholarship Committee and the trustees of the Sentinel Foundation make the final decisions regarding recipients.

**Eligibility**

To be eligible for scholarship and award consideration, students must:

- be Canadian citizens or permanent residents;
- be International students for specific scholarships;
- have attended Sentinel Secondary School for at least one full school year;
- have a solid record of citizenship in the school and community, (students who have had serious infractions that have resulted in suspension in either Grades 11 or 12 may have jeopardized their chances of obtaining awards or scholarships);
- be enrolled in a minimum of 7 courses (a minimum of 28 credits) at Sentinel; have satisfied graduation requirements and been issued a Ministry of Education Transcript of Grades dated no later than July 31, 2019;
- apply by the deadline.

*An attempt will be made to recognize as many students as possible.*

**A. SCHOLARSHIPS FINANCED AND ADMINISTERED BY THE SENTINEL SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

**1. HUMANITIES STRAND SCHOLARSHIP**

This scholarship is presented to an outstanding student who has focused his or her graduation program on the humanities and has excelled in courses in the following disciplines: Comparative Civilizations, English, English Literature, Geography, History, Languages, Law, and Psychology.

The following criteria will be considered:

- Percentage average and number of the above-mentioned courses.
- Advanced Placement courses completed.
- Number of Grade 12 subject-related book prizes won.
- Participation in humanities-related competitions (i.e. UBC essay contest).
- Contribution to humanities-related activities outside the classroom.

**2. MATHEMATICS/SCIENCES STRAND SCHOLARSHIP**

This scholarship is presented to an outstanding student in the area of science and mathematics:

Calculus, Mathematics, Biology, Chemistry, Geology, Physics.

The following criteria will be considered:

- Percentage average and number of the above-mentioned courses.
- Advanced Placement courses completed.
- Number of Grade 12 subject-related book prizes won.
- Participation in science competitions.
- Contribution to science-related activities outside the classroom.

**3. APPLIED SKILLS STRAND SCHOLARSHIP**

This scholarship is presented for outstanding achievement in applied skills courses offered at Sentinel: Accounting, Drafting, Food Studies, Information Technology, Marketing, Physical Education, Technology: Woodwork, Textile Studies, Visual Art and Media Technology.

The following criteria will be considered:

- Percentage average and number of courses in the above mentioned areas.
- Advanced Placement courses completed.
- Number of Grade 12 subject-related book prizes won.
- Standing in external competitions.
- Contribution to applied skills-related activities outside the classroom.

**4. FINE ARTS STRAND SCHOLARSHIP**

This scholarship is presented for outstanding achievement in the area of Fine Arts offered at Sentinel: Music, Visual Arts, Theatre.

The following criteria will be considered:

- Percentage average and number of courses in the above-mentioned areas.
- Advanced Placement courses completed.
- Number of Grade 12 subject-related book prizes won.
- Standing in external competitions.
- Contribution to fine arts-related activities outside the classroom.

**5. THE ADVANCED PLACEMENT PROGRAMME SCHOLARSHIP**

This scholarship is presented to the student who has challenged himself or herself through active participation in both pre-AP and AP courses. Consideration will be given to:

- The number of Advanced Placement courses completed.
- The percentage average of school-based marks in AP courses and AP exams when applicable.
- The breadth of courses completed.

**6. HARRY E. CULLIS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

This scholarship is presented to the student who has leadership skills over the course of his/her high school years while maintaining a high grade point average. Study and community service in the area of the environment will be additional criteria.

**7. KEITH MAY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

This scholarship is presented to a student new to the English language who meets the following criteria:

- Has taken courses of English as an alternate language in his/her entry year.
- Demonstrates excellent progress in English speaking, listening, reading and writing.
- Is recommended by his/her English 12 teacher.
- Is pursuing post-secondary studies in which English is the language of instruction. (Please note that this student may not necessarily have the highest mark in English 12.)

**8. DAVID MCLENAHAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FOR MATHEMATICS**

This scholarship is presented in honour of David McClenahan who taught at Sentinel in the math department for 32 years. The recipient need not have the highest mark in math but must have made a concerted effort to succeed. He or she will also have participated in extra-curricular activities at Sentinel and demonstrated some of the fine qualities of Mr. McClenahan: humour, genuineness, positive attitude, desire to excel, and congeniality.

**9. TED PELLY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP (2 scholarships)**

Two scholarships will be presented: one to a male student and one to a female student, who have a strong record of athletic and academic performance at Sentinel, as well as school and/or community service. Intended recipients are expected to be "positive-minded" and "well-rounded" and must have a solid record of good citizenship in the school.

The following criteria will be considered:

- A minimum of two seasons on an athletic team at Sentinel with extra consideration given to students who complete an additional season of play in their Grade 12 year.
- Recognition as a North Shore All-Star/Conference All-Star/Provincial All-Star in his or her respective sports.
- A solid record of academic achievement.
- School service.
- Community Service.

**10. GENERAL ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS**

Scholarships will be awarded annually to students based on the following criteria:

- Percentage average and number of academic grade 12 courses on these three provincial universities' accepted lists: UBC, UVic, and SFU.
  - Minimum of 7 academic grade 12 courses with an A average in them.
  - Number of Advanced Placement courses completed.
  - Number of grade 12 subject book prizes won.
  - Standing in external competitions, i.e. essay contest, math contest, etc.
  - Other contributions to Sentinel:
    - a) extra-curricular athletics/activities;
    - b) service;
    - c) leadership.
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**B. AWARDS FINANCED AND ADMINISTERED BY THE SENTINEL SCHOLARSHIP FUND.**

**1. SUPER ACHIEVERS AWARD**

This award is presented to an outstanding student on the Super Achievers Programme who is performing at a very high level in his/her particular discipline. Contribution to the school is important, high GPA is expected but not critical and the student must be continuing in his/her area of competition.

**2. FRENCH IMMERSION ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARD**

This award for French Immersion students will be presented to a student who is eligible for the Bilingual Dogwood Certificate, and who has achieved the highest marks in academic subjects.

**3. SENTINEL SCHOOL AWARD**

This award is presented to the most socially mature, committed, dedicated and caring student in the graduating class. The Sentinel Staff nominates students.

**4. PRINCIPAL'S AWARD OF MERIT**

This award is presented to an outstanding overall student with a minimum C+ academic average, a record of service, participation and citizenship in the school. The principal, in consultation with the Scholarship Committee, will determine the recipient of this award.

**5. SENTINEL SCHOOL BURSARY AWARD**

*Students must apply in writing for this award.*

The recipient will be a deserving Grade 12 student of reasonable academic standing; the award to be used for post-secondary education purposes only.

**6. CLASS OF '83 AWARD**

This award is presented to the most deserving Grade 12 member of the Grad Committee, as chosen by the Grad Committee.

**7. CLASS OF '73 MENTORSHIP AWARD**

To the student who is a consistently willing participant in helping out with teachers and staff and related school activities and demonstrates a good example for the younger students through his/her volunteer and/or mentoring service.

## **8. GUARDS RECOGNITION AWARD**

This award is presented to a student who demonstrates outstanding citizenship, service and commitment to the school community as defined by the schools' Values Statements. This includes demonstrating the characteristics of Grit, Understanding, Action, Respect, Decision Making and Spirit.

For the scholarships and awards listed in Sections A and B, monetary awards are given upon receipt of registration verification at a post-secondary institution. **These funds may be claimed by submitting to Sentinel proof of registration within eighteen months of the presentation of the scholarship or award, (i.e. if awarded in June 2019, the scholarship or award money can be claimed any time up until December, 2020.)**

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**C. AWARDS FINANCED AND PRESENTED TO THE SCHOOL BY COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS**

**1. BRITISH PROPERTIES AREA HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION**

This year the BPAHO will be presenting the Meritorious Service Award.

This award is given to the student who has provided valuable service in school-related and community activities.

**2. AMBLESIDE AND TIDDLEYCOVE LIONS CLUB**

This bursary is awarded to the student who has worked hard and been involved in the community and would not otherwise receive any other monetary award from the school to assist with post-secondary academic education or the pursuit of a trade.

**3. CANADIAN FEDERATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN**

The winner of a Canadian Federation of University Women West Vancouver "education award" to a secondary school graduating student must:

- a) be a woman residing in British Columbia.
- b) plan to attend and have applied to a recognized B.C. post-secondary institution;
- c) provide proof of registration at said B.C. post-secondary institution before the "education award" monies are awarded.
- d) demonstrate financial need;
- e) demonstrate good citizenship and community involvement;
- f) demonstrate academic diligence or competence and,
- g) not be a member of the Canadian Federation of University Women West Vancouver or an immediate family member thereof.

**4. CANADIAN PARENTS FOR FRENCH WEST VANCOUVER**

This award is presented to an outstanding French Immersion student.

**5. KIWANIS CLUB OF VANCOUVER KAY MEEK BURSARY**

This award will be presented to a student who intends to pursue post-secondary education in a college or university and meets the following criteria:

- Good citizenship
- Community service
- Financial need

**6. SCHOOL DISTRICT #45 TOP INTERNATIONAL AWARD (2 Awards)**

This award is presented to two graduating international students who have demonstrated excellence in academics, attendance, school and community service.

**7. ONNI GROUP BURSARY AWARD (2 Awards)**

This award will be presented to a student who meets the following criteria:

- Excellent school citizenship and community involvement
  - Financial need for post-secondary education
  - Above average scholastic achievement
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**D. SCHOLARSHIPS FINANCED AND PRESENTED TO THE SCHOOL BY COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS**

**1. PAULINE JOHNSON FRENCH IMMERSION SCHOLARSHIP**

To be presented to one male and one female student who previously graduated from École Pauline Johnson. The winners will graduate with bilingual diplomas and will have had a positive impact on the culture and the experience that other students had at Sentinel through service, music, arts, or athletics.

**2. ELIZABETH PETRIE MODERN LANGUAGES SCHOLARSHIP**

The Modern Languages scholarship is awarded to the student who has been enrolled in two or more modern languages classes that are not heritage languages.

**3. ARTONA SCHOLARSHIP FOR DESIGN**

Awarded to a student who excels in design. The design criteria may be evidenced through visual art, photography or digital art. The student should use their skills in school service.

**4. A.W. VAUGHAN SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship will be awarded to a student who excels in Chemistry, Mathematics, and Physics.

**5. CAPILANO UNIVERSITY ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP (CAPA)**

CAPA scholarships are valued at up to \$1500.00 and support high school graduates who have demonstrated strong scholastic achievement, with a minimum average of 80%.

- Acceptance at Capilano University
- Minimum grade point average of 3.3 as determined by the school.
- Enrolment in a minimum of 12 credits per term at Capilano University in the fall immediately following graduation from high school.

**6. CHARTWELL – PATTI WILLIAMS ELEMENTARY PARENT ADVISORY COUNCIL AWARD**

Awarded to a former Chartwell student and donated by the Chartwell Parents' Association in honour of Ms. Patti Williams.



**7. WEST VANCOUVER SCHOOL DISTRICT INTERNATIONAL STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP**

This scholarship recognizes an outstanding student who has made significant contributions to inter-race relations, multicultural understanding, and/or promotion of international student initiatives during his/her high school years in West Vancouver.

**8. WESTCOT ELEMENTARY ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP**

This scholarship is presented to a Sentinel graduate who attended Westcot Elementary School. The recipient must have a solid record of academic achievement and participation in school-related extra-curricular activities.

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## **THE FOLLOWING SCHOLARSHIPS REQUIRE SEPARATE APPLICATIONS - PLEASE ASK AT THE OFFICE FOR AN APPLICATION**

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**1) COAST CAPITAL SAVINGS YOUTH GET IT EDUCATION AWARD  
(\$3,500)**

Awarded to youth who have faced adversity and have not only risen up against the odds, but are demonstrating a commitment to continue their education. This award is open to students who have faced challenges like poverty, health, family issues, personal loss and lack of support.

*Apply online at:* [https://www.coastcapitalsavings.com/media/1796/2019-education-awards\\_application-form.pdf](https://www.coastcapitalsavings.com/media/1796/2019-education-awards_application-form.pdf)

**\*Applications are due by April 22<sup>nd</sup> (no exceptions).**

**2) THE DIENTJE PIETERS-HORSTMAN DISTRICT SCHOLARSHIP  
(\$7,500, paid out in two installments)**

This scholarship is awarded to a student in serious financial need in order to continue with their post-secondary education. Completion of the application form and letter of explanation is required.

**3) DISTRICT DOGWOOD/AUTHORITY AWARDS  
(22 awards x \$1,250)**

The Dogwood District/Authority Awards are available to graduates who excel in any of the following areas:

- Fine Arts (Visual Art, Dance, Drama, Music)
- Applied Skills (Business Education, Technology Education, Home Economics)
- Physical Activity (not limited to Physical Education)
- Second Languages (including Aboriginal Languages)

**4) WEST VANCOUVER FIRE FIGHTERS' CHARITABLE SOCIETY GARY HUNTER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD  
(\$1,000)**

Criteria:

- Academic achievement, preferably in trades or technical programs;
- School or community sports achievement;
- Community involvement;
- Financial need;
- Attendance at a recognized post-secondary institution in the Province of British Columbia in September 2018.

Please fill out the application form and submit it to the Sentinel office. All application forms will be forwarded to the West Vancouver Firefighters.

**5) SENTINEL STAGE SCHOLARSHIP**

*Students must apply in writing for this award.*

Students must meet the following criteria:

- Significant participation with Sentinel Stage (min. 3 years, including grade 12).
- Min. 2 classes at the grade 10-12 level in drama, dance, choir, and/or band.
- Must be continuing on in the performing arts at the post-secondary level.
- Exemplifies the qualities of leadership, commitment, and being a team player.
- Percentage grade in class is not the only determining factor – student must **complete a letter of intent** as an additional application that speaks to what program they are continuing their artistic study in next year.

N.B. Students applying to this scholarship will also be considered for the Sentinel Stage Award.

**6) SENTINEL STAGE AWARD**

*Students must apply in writing for this award.*

Students must meet the following criteria

- Significant participation with Sentinel Stage (min. 2 years, including grade 12).
- Minimum 2 classes at the grade 10-12 level in drama, dance, choir, and/or band.
- Exemplifies the qualities of leadership, commitment, and being a team-player.
- Percentage grade in class is not the only determining factor – student must **complete a personal statement** that includes a discussion of the impact that the performing arts has had on their high school experience.

**SENTINEL SECONDARY SCHOOL  
INTERNAL SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS AND BURSARIES 2019**

**APPLICATION DEADLINE IS THURSDAY, MAY 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019.**

**ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED TO MS. CARRILLO, IN THE MAIN OFFICE, BY THE DEADLINE. LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of years at Sentinel: \_\_\_\_\_

Did you attend:  Chartwell  Westcot  École Pauline Johnson

1. Are you a Canadian Citizen or Permanent Resident? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

2. Are you an International Student? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

3. First language: English \_\_\_\_\_ French \_\_\_\_\_ Korean \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

4. Do you have any coursework or community service related to the environment?  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ (if yes, please elaborate in #18)

5. In your first year at Sentinel were you enrolled in English as an Alternate Language courses? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

6. Are you applying for the Ted Pelly Memorial Scholarship? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
(if yes, please complete #17).

7. Are you registered in the Pursuit Programme? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

State area of competition and # of years \_\_\_\_\_

8. Are you planning to attend Capilano University in the fall? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If no, which institution are you planning to attend? \_\_\_\_\_

9. Have you already been offered any scholarships or awards for your post-secondary education? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ (if yes, please give details)

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10. State results of external competitions (essay contests, math contests, etc.):

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11. Extra-curricular athletics at Sentinel (list the teams and years played):

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12. Extra-curricular athletics in the community (list the teams and years played):

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13. Extra-curricular activities at Sentinel (the school play, art displays, etc.):

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14. Service at Sentinel (list activities and hours earned):

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15. Membership in clubs at Sentinel (list the clubs and years involved):

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16. Community involvement (list the activities and years involved):

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17. Students applying for the Ted Pelly Memorial Scholarship please state how you feel you meet the criteria listed:

- A minimum of two seasons on an athletic team at Sentinel in Grade 12

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- North Shore All Star, Conference All-Star, Provincial All-Star

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- Solid record of academic achievement

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- School service

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- Community Service

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18. Other information you feel is important in the evaluation of your application:  
(Attachments are acceptable; resumés, letters etc.)

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19. Briefly outline your plans for next year:

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20. If you would like to be considered for a bursary please submit a letter in a sealed envelope with this application form explaining why you require financial assistance for your post-secondary studies. This letter will only be read by the Chairperson of the Scholarship Committee.

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**ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED TO MS. CARRILLO, IN THE MAIN OFFICE, BY THE DEADLINE. LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

**Also, separate applications for the following are due to the Main Office Thursday, May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019:**

Dientje Pieters-Horstman District Scholarship

District Dogwood/Authority Awards

West Vancouver Fire Fighters' Charitable Society  
Gary Hunter Memorial Scholarship

Sentinel Stage Scholarship

Sentinel Stage Award

**2019 Coast Capital Savings Youth Get It Education Award**

**[https://www.coastcapitalsavings.com/media/1796/2019-education-awards\\_application-form.pdf](https://www.coastcapitalsavings.com/media/1796/2019-education-awards_application-form.pdf)**

*Application deadline: April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2019*