

# Kwantlen Park Secondary Career Centre Newsletter January 2024

*The latest news, announcements and events for  
students, parents & guardians!*

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# CAREER CENTRE INFORMATION

## KWANTLEN PARK STUDENTS BEING AWESOME!



Angel Kajal recently completed her training in the Citizen Youth Academy!

This experience has re-affirmed Angel's pursuit of a future career in policing.

Congratulations Angel!



Congratulations to three of our seniors, Kristan Palad, Maliha Lal and Markus Westdorp for completing the Community and Public Safety course through NVIT!

The cohort held a small party to celebrate their completion and graduation of the course! All

three of these hardworking seniors now have earned post-secondary credits and have reaffirmed their desire to pursue careers in either policing or in criminal justice.



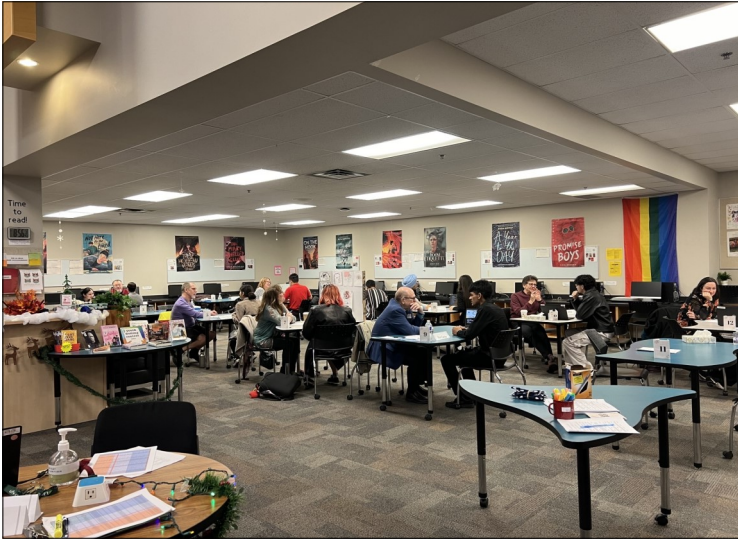
Congratulations to Brodie Jeffrey, a former grad of Kwantlen Park Secondary for receiving the Youth Work in Trades Award for Plumbing!



# CAREER CENTRE INFORMATION

## CLC Capstone Presentations

On Thursday, December 7, 2023, we hosted our first Capstone event of the school year! Our CLC students each presented their Capstone projects to our volunteers. It was great to see all the students presenting their amazing passion projects and our volunteers found them to be inspirational!



Some of the topics covered in this semesters Capstone's were baking, butter chicken, knitting, music, theatre and policing!

Bob and Debbie Duffield	Linda Mcrae	Sukhman—KPU
Nancy and Tim Doucette	Halldor Bjarnason—PAC	Michelle Matthysen—KPU
Gerry Watts	Steven Adebola—PAC	Arshdeep Singh Randh
Stan Carter	Navneet Bhangu—KPU	Dean Maion—CDF Fraser Heights
Scott Janson	Harshdeep Dhillon—KPU	
Morgan Wescott	Naveed—KPU	

# CAREER CENTRE INFORMATION

**FREE TUITION**



## DISTRICT PROGRAM PARENT INFO NIGHT

*Wednesday, January 24, 2024*

*7:00pm in the Theatre*

**level up!**  
Unlock your future  
in the skilled trades

We would like to invite all parents of students in grades 8-11 to come to an evening session in the theatre and learn all about the amazing opportunities through the Surrey Schools District Partnership Programs. Applications are now available for all of our programs running in the summer and during the 2024-2025 school year.

In this session you will learn about each of the programs, the application process, how to increase your chances of obtaining a seat in these programs and all of the benefits they provide students such as **FREE TUITION, DUAL CREDITS AND SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES!**

## DISTRICT PROGRAMS SURVEY

The time to start talking about all of the amazing programs the Surrey School District has to offer is approaching!

If you are interested in applying for one of the programs, please complete the survey below!

### **KWANTLEN PARK – STUDENT DISTRICT PROGRAM SURVEY**



**[OR CLICK HERE!](#)**

**Once you have completed the survey we will personally message you with information on the programs you selected!**



# CAREER CENTRE INFORMATION



Attention students in grades 10 & 11!

## It's time to start applying for District Partnership Program

PARTNERSHIP PROGRAMS			
Automotive Service Technician	<b>Deadline: March 8th</b>	Heavy Mechanical	<b>Deadline: March 1st</b>
Baking & Pastry Arts	<b>Deadline: March 1st</b>	Horticulture	<b>Deadline: March 15th</b>
Drafting/CADD	<b>Deadline: March 1st</b>	Millwright	<b>Deadline: March 1st</b>
Carpentry	<b>Deadline: March 1st</b>	Metal Fabrication	<b>Deadline: March 8th</b>
Collision and Refinishing Common Core	<b>Deadline: March 1st</b>	Painter	<b>Deadline: April 5th</b>
Construction Craft Worker	<b>Deadline: April 5th</b>	Piping	<b>Deadline: March 8th</b>
Culinary Arts	<b>Deadline: March 8th</b>	Tah-tul-ut Indigenous Education Pathways	<b>Deadline: April 5th</b>
Early Childhood Education	<b>Deadline: April 5th</b>	Welding	<b>Deadline: March 8th</b>
Electrical	<b>Deadline: March 1st</b>	Explorations in Aviation Careers	<b>Deadline: March 8th</b>
Hairstylist	<b>Deadline: March 15th</b>	KPU Nursing Preparation	<b>Deadline: March 15th</b>
DUAL ACADEMIC CREDIT COURSES			
CAPS 140 Community and Public Safety	<b>Deadline: March 15th</b>	Introduction to Health Sciences	<b>Deadline: March 1st</b>
Graphic Design IAT 102	<b>Deadline: March 8th</b>	Introduction to Legal Office Procedures	<b>Deadline: March 15th</b>
Emily Carr HeadStart in Art	<b>Deadline: May 10th</b>	Introduction to Practice Child and Youth Care Counsellors	<b>Deadline: March 1st</b>

# CAREER CENTRE INFORMATION



## SCIENCE COURSES INFORMATION SESSION

**ARE YOU IN GRADES 9,10 OR 11?**

**COME TO OUR SCIENCE INFO SESSION AND LEARN ALL ABOUT  
THE FOLLOWING COURSES!**

- KPU NURSING PREP PROGRAM**
- SCIENCE 10 HONOURS**
- SCIENCE CO-OP 11**
- AP CHEMISTRY 12**
- PHYSICS 12**

**THURSDAY, JANUARY 11  
LUNCH IN THE LIBRARY**



# CAREER CENTRE INFORMATION



## Upcoming Career Centre Lunch Time Information Sessions

Event	When	Where	Notes
Science Courses Info Session	Thursday, January 11, 2024	Library	Students grades 9-11
Lunch & Learn with UOC	Monday, January 15, 2024	Room A116	Open to all students

### KWANTLEN PARK'S LUNCH AND LEARN

Thank you to Ariel and Christian from the City of Surrey for stopping by to talk to our students about volunteer opportunities!



We also were lucky enough to have Riya Virdi and Nimrit Sandhu from UBC Med stop by and talk to our students about what the journey into medical school looks like! They are both currently in their first year of Med School. We had an awesome turn out!





# CAREER CENTRE INFORMATION



## Courses Offered Spring 2023 - 2024

Weekdays	Time	Course	Dates
Monday & Wednesday	3:45pm - 6:20pm	Anatomy & Physiology 12 (Biology 12) Chemistry 11 English Studies 12 Literary Studies 11 Pre-Calculus 11	Feb 5 - Jun 19 Feb 12 - Jun 19 Feb 5 - Jun 19 Feb 12 - Jun 19 Feb 12 - Jun 19
	5:00pm - 8:00pm	Automotive Technology 11 & 12*	Feb 26 - Jun 19
	5:00pm - 9:00pm	Culinary Arts 11 & 12*	Feb 26 - May 22
	6:00pm - 9:00pm	English Studies 12 and Social Justice 12*	Feb 5 - Jun 19
	6:30pm - 9:05pm	Accounting 11* Chemistry 12 English First Peoples 12 Foundations of Math 11 Math 10, Foundations Level 7* Physics 11 Physics 12 Pre-Calculus 12 Workplace Math 11	Feb 12 - Jun 19 Feb 5 - Jun 19 Feb 5 - Jun 19 Feb 12 - Jun 19 Feb 12 - Jun 19 Feb 12 - Jun 19 Feb 5 - Jun 19 Feb 5 - Jun 19 Feb 12 - Jun 19
Tuesday & Wednesday	4:30pm - 7:30pm	Work Experience 12*	Feb 27 - Jun 12
Tuesday & Thursday	3:45pm - 6:20pm	Calculus 12 English First Peoples 12 English Studies 10 (Composition 11)* Literary Studies 11 Foundations of Math 11 Life Sciences 11 (Biology 11) Physics 11 Pre-Calculus 12	Feb 13 - Jun 18 Feb 13 - Jun 18 Feb 13 - Jun 11 Feb 13 - Jun 11 Feb 13 - Jun 11 Feb 13 - Jun 11 Feb 13 - Jun 11 Feb 13 - Jun 18
	5:00pm - 9:00pm	Culinary Arts 11 & 12*	Feb 27 - May 16
	6:00pm - 9:00pm	Emergency Medical Responder 12* English Studies 12 and Philosophy 12*	Feb 8 - Jun 20 Feb 13 - Jun 18
	6:30pm - 9:05pm	Active Living 12* Anatomy & Physiology 12 (Biology 12) BC First Peoples 12* Chemistry 11 English Studies 12 Foundations of Math 12 Literary Studies 11 Pre-Calculus 11 Pre-Calculus 12	Feb 13 - Jun 18 Feb 13 - Jun 18 Feb 13 - Jun 18 Feb 13 - Jun 11 Feb 13 - Jun 18 Feb 13 - Jun 18 Feb 13 - Jun 11 Feb 13 - Jun 11 Feb 13 - Jun 11

### Night School Registration - [CLICK HERE](#)

\***The Automotive Technology 11 & 12** course is a pre-requisite for students applying to the Auto Service Technician or Heavy Mechanical Trades District Programs.

\***The Culinary Arts 11 & 12** course is not required, but is very beneficial for students interested in applying for the Culinary or Baking & Pastry Arts District Programs.

#### \***Emergency Medical Responder 12:**

The EMR course is offered as a partnership program with the JIBC. It is a hands-on, experiential course that gives students the opportunity to learn the fundamentals needed to respond to medical and traumatic emergencies. This is an excellent opportunity for those wanting to enter careers in health care, ambulance and fire services, and policing. Successful candidates will earn **8 secondary credits** that can be used towards graduation, are eligible to apply for an EMR license through the Emergency Medical Assistants Branch, and are able to apply for entry into the **JIBC Primary Care Paramedic Program.**



# EVENTS / OPPORTUNITIES

FREE

Career Planning event for youth ages 15 - 19  
who identify as women, transgender and non-binary

## DREAM IT BE IT

CAREER SUPPORT

{for girls}

## CAREER/RESOURCE FAIR

February 10, 2024 | 9am - 3pm

at Kwantlen Polytechnic University (Surrey Campus) 12666 72 Ave.

DOOR PRIZE  
\$1000  
KPU Tuition  
Waiver

- Hear and meet inspiring guest speakers
- Meet and interact with professional women in a variety of careers, trades, professions
- Participate in Interactive Workshops
- Gather valuable resources (volunteer opportunities, education info, community resources, etc.)
- Enjoy FREE lunch and refreshments
- WIN fabulous door prizes
- Receive a Grad Transition Certificate



Thank you to our Funding Partners:



Questions?

Contact [dibisoroptimist@gmail.com](mailto:dibisoroptimist@gmail.com)

Presented by: Soroptimist International of Surrey/Delta & White Rock



# EVENTS / OPPORTUNITIES



## Green Collar Future Careers Conference

The “green economy” is changing the face of the workplace in B.C. Are you a grade 9-12 student in B.C.? Make sure to attend the next annual conference being held on Saturday, February 10, 2024!

**February 10, 2024**

**9:00am—2:30pm**

**Register—[CLICK HERE](#)**



## Are you a Future Business Leader?

**Melville**  
School of Business

KPU is hosting a business conference for Grade 11/12 high school students!

Wednesday, January 17, 2024

5:00pm-8:00pm

KPU's Surrey Campus

**RSVP HERE—[Future Business Leaders](#)**

The logo for WorkSafe BC features the words "WORK" and "SAFE" in white, bold, uppercase letters on a black background, followed by "BC" in white, bold, uppercase letters on an orange background.

## WorkSafe BC Launches 2024 Student Safety Video Contest

It can be hard to stay focused at work all the time, but when you don't pay attention at work, it can lead to accidents. That's why this year's theme is

**Staying focused at work!**

**Need inspiration?**

[Check out the winning videos from 2006—2023](#)

**To learn more:**

[Click here](#)

**DEADLINE TO APPLY: Thursday, April 4, 2024**

A blue-outlined hexagon containing the text "\$10,000 in prize money up for grabs!" in orange, bold, sans-serif font.

**\$10,000 in  
prize money  
up for grabs!**



# EVENTS / OPPORTUNITIES



**SURREY CRIME PREVENTION SOCIETY**  
ENHANCING COMMUNITY SAFETY TOGETHER

LIFT: Learn/Inform/Focus/Trust

Surrey Crime Prevention LIFT High School Program

LIFT is a comprehensive experience in a community safety generously supported by a grant from the City of Surrey. Students can obtain hours to complete WEX 12A and WEX 12B. Students are involved in activities that include participating in office work, traffic safety, community safety tours, and in Surrey special events.

Hours are flexible depending on students needs!

**To learn more, contact Ms. Duffield in the Career Centre!**



Women in Science

Join us as we celebrate the upcoming **International Day of Women and Girls in Science!** This evening strives to empower the community and promote an equitable and inclusive learning environment.

**When:** Thursday, February 8, 2024  
6:00pm-8:30pm

**Where:** Virtually or In-Person at BC Children's Hospital

**[REGISTRATION OPENS JANUARY 8, 2024 AT 9:00AM](#)**

To register virtually: [Click here](#)

To register in-person: [Click here](#)

# EVENTS / OPPORTUNITIES



## The CanGap Impact Fellowship

Free 3-month program providing gap year, post-secondary students, and recent grads the opportunity to gain hands-on, real world experience in leadership and impact. This is for students who are **EARLY GRADS** or students who have **ALREADY GRADUATED!**

[LEARN MORE AND APPLY](#)



## INGENIOUS + CANADA'S YOUTH INNOVATION CHALLENGE

This national youth innovation challenge gives students aged 14 to 18 the opportunity to innovate for good, and to share their strategies for improving the world.

**DEADLINE TO APPLY: February 22, 2024**

**TO LEARN MORE AND APPLY: [VISIT INGENIOUS+](#)**



# EVENTS / OPPORTUNITIES

## Introduction to Rebar

Local 97 will be running a high school “Introduction to Rebar” class in Maple Ridge. This 2-week bootcamp (80 hour) will teach you the basic skills to work on a reinforcing project. Week 1, will be held during Spring Break and Week 2 will be held the beginning of July. After successfully completing your second week, you will receive the required tools and be placed on a jobsite. Starting rate after finishing this class is \$29.27/hour plus vacation pay and benefits . After 6 months on the job the union will sponsor you in an apprenticeship. After completing your schooling and becoming a ticketed journeyman ironworker, you can earn up to \$45.03/hour plus vacation pay and benefits. If you are interested in getting into the trade please contact KC Newman.

- **Week 1— you choose the week that works for you**
  - Option 1 - March 18 to 22, 2024**
  - Option 2 - March 25 to 29, 2024**
- **Week 2 will take place from July 2 to 5, 2024**
- **No cost to attend the class**
- **Maximum 12 people will be accepted into each bootcamp**
- **Class will run Monday to Friday, 8am to 4pm**

Call the Trade Improvement Office 604 874-6010 or

Email: [kc@ironworkerslocal97.com](mailto:kc@ironworkerslocal97.com)

**We need your help!!!**





# POST-SECONDARY INFORMATION



UBC Indigenous Student  
Recruitment & Advising

## INDIGENOUS EXPERIENCE UBC



*Save the Date*

**FEB 22, 2024**  
**9AM - 2PM**

Explore campus

Meet UBC's Indigenous  
community

Lunch & fun included!

Registration will  
open in January  
2024.

Who: Indigenous  
students in grades 9-12

Where: UBC  
Vancouver campus



# POST-SECONDARY INFORMATION



THE UNIVERSITY  
OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

**UBC Future Global Leaders On-Campus  
Summer Program**

**FREE ONLINE INFORMATION SESSION**

In this FREE online information session, meet members of the UBC Future Global Leaders team. This is a chance to find out more about the UBC Futures Global Leaders program, including courses, instructors, workshops and social activities.

If you are a high school student thinking about attending a pre-university program this summer, or a parent thinking about the pros and cons or sending your teen, then we encourage you to attend!

When: Wednesday, January 17, 2024, 4-5pm Pacific Time

To register visit: [UBC Future Global Leaders Program](#)



**SFU**

**FACULTY OF  
APPLIED SCIENCES**

**In-person General and Parent  
Information Session**

Learn more about the programs at SFU's Faculty of Applied Sciences! These 1-hour sessions are designed to help you explore our programs, learn about our various SFU services and resources, as well as ask questions to one of our program advisors.

**When: Thursday, January 18th, 2024 | 6:00-8:00pm**

**[REGISTER HERE](#)**

# POST-SECONDARY INFORMATION



POST-SECONDARY BC

## IMPORTANT APPLICATION DEADLINES: January—March 2024

Click here to access the [PSBC Application Deadline documents](#)



**GET AWAY TO THE U of A** like never before...



Join us in Alberta's capital city, Edmonton! Here you'll discover our breathtaking North Campus!

This event includes transportation reimbursement, accommodations, meals and a jam-packed schedule of events. You'll stay in residence, explore state-of-the-art facilities, uncover hidden gems on campus and experience of A student life first-hand!

### Event Details:

**Who:** Grade 11 students across Canada (20 top applicants will be selected)

**When:** May 24-26, 2024

**Where:** University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta

Deadline to Apply: January 31, 2024

[\*\*APPLY NOW\*\*](#)



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## TOURS & EVENTS

TO LEARN MORE AND REGISTER FOR UPCOMING INFO

SESSIONS [CLICK HERE](#)



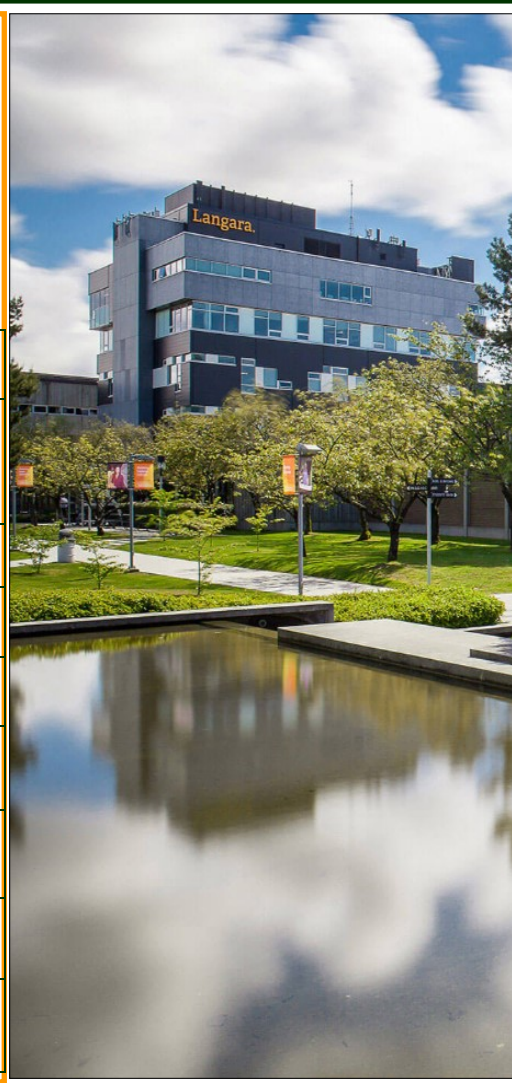
# POST-SECONDARY INFORMATION

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## REGULAR STUDIES

Studio 58 Acting Program and Production Program	<a href="#">January 8, 2024</a>
Design Formation	<a href="#">January 9, 2024</a>
Social Service Worker	<a href="#">January 9, 2024</a>
Programs in Gerontology	<a href="#">January 16, 2024</a>
Criminology and Criminal Justice	<a href="#">January 22 and 30, 2024</a>
Early Childhood Education Diploma	<a href="#">January 22 and 30, 2024</a>

## CONTINUING STUDIES

Registered Massage Therapy Diploma	<a href="#">January 10, 2024</a>
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TO REGISTER FOR AN UPCOMING INFORMATION SESSION, PLEASE CLICK ON THE INFORMATION SESSION DATE.



## Winter Online Portfolio Review Day

Portfolio Review Day is a great opportunity for future AUArts students. Get some one-on-one time with our faculty, learn how portfolios are evaluated, and get some helpful tips on how to make your portfolio more impactful.

**Winter Online Portfolio Review Day:** January 20, 2024 12:00-4:00PM MST

**Registration opens in January 2024**

**[REGISTER HERE](#)**

# POST-SECONDARY INFORMATION

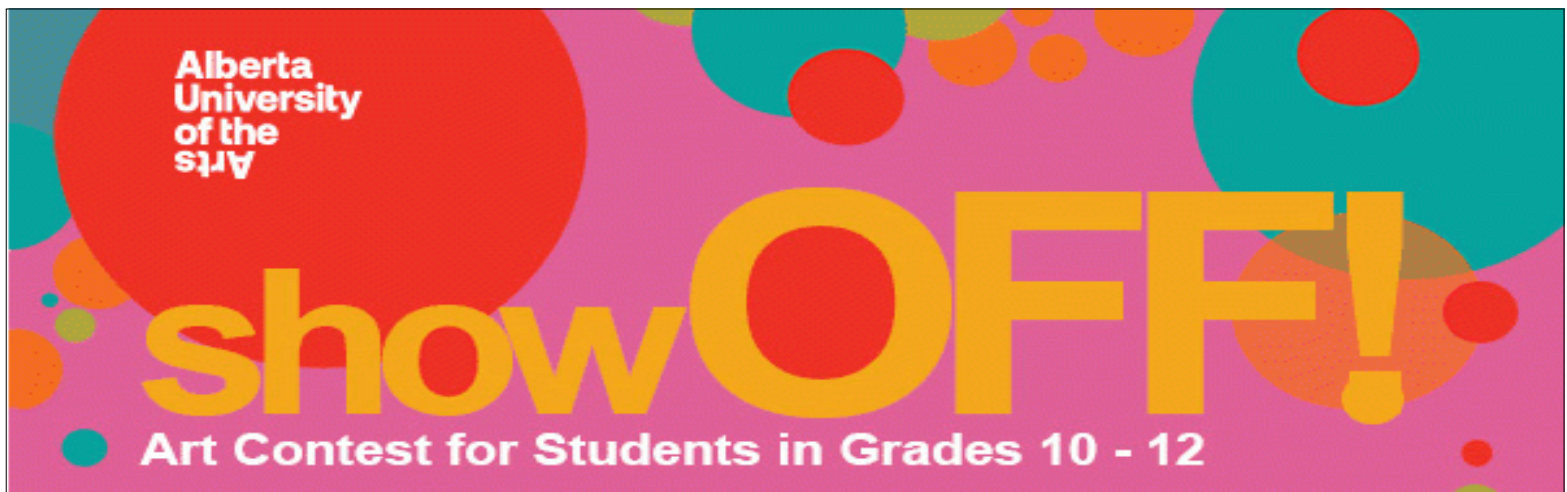
## Alberta University of the Arts - ShowOff! Competition and Exhibition

Come on, be a ShowOff!

Alberta University of the Arts is offering Grade 10, 11 and 12 students from across Canada the opportunity to win mega prizes and showcase their artwork in the 2024 ShowOff! Art Competition and Exhibition

Submissions open: December 1, 2023—Submit Today!

Submissions closed: January 31, 2024



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## Events

### DISCOVER UVic

Join us for an online events and learn what it means to be a UVic student, admission requirements, scholarships and upcoming application deadlines.

Register and learn about:

EVENT	DATE	TIME	REGISTER
Parent Night	January 16th	7:00pm	<a href="#">REGISTER HERE</a>
Discover UVic	January 18th	6:00pm	<a href="#">REGISTER HERE</a>



# POST-SECONDARY INFORMATION



## FACULTY OF ENVIRONMENT INFO

### SESSION

Thursday, January 11, 2024

4:30pm Online



[REGISTER HERE](#)

Explore how a degree in Environment can be more impactful and influential than you think. Meet current student changemakers and staff who will share their favourite classes and talk about Co-op work term opportunities, field schools, careers and more!



## SFU APPLICANT WORKSHOP: FOR BC HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

Thursday, January 11, 2024

5:00PM-6:00PM

Online

This event is for students studying in high school in BC, who are applying for Fall 2024 admission.

Join us to learn about each next step you have to take to successfully complete your application and be considered for admission to SFU!

There will be a Q&A period within the sessions for you to ask your questions to our SFU experts.

[REGISTER HERE](#)

# POST-SECONDARY INFORMATION



## VCC GRAPHIC DESIGN DIPLOMA INFORMATION SESSION



**Tuesday, January 16, 2024**

**10:30am-11:00am**

**Online**

[TO REGISTER AND LEARN ABOUT MORE](#)

[UPCOMING INFO SESSIONS](#)

[CLICK HERE!](#)



## Railway Training Online Information Session

**Wednesday, January 17, 2024**

**6:00pm-7:00pm**

**Online**



[TO LEARN ABOUT MORE](#)

[UPCOMING INFO SESSIONS](#)

[CLICK HERE!](#)

Railway jobs such as Conductor, Train Dispatcher, Carwoman/man, Track Maintenance, provide good pay and excellent benefits. If you have always wondered what it would be like to work with trains, join us to find out more!

[REGISTER HERE](#)



# SCHOLARSHIPS

## Bright Beginnings Foundation Bursary



The BBF Bursary will include tuition, student fees and educational materials. The BBF Bursary will be awarded to low-income Surrey students (defined as having a combined family income of \$35,000 or less). Students should also demonstrate a good work ethic and the academic potential required to succeed in attaining a post-secondary education.

Kwantlen Park, is able to put forward two students for this bursary. If you feel you fit the criteria, complete the following form: [Nomination form](#)

The deadline to **submit this nominee form to the Career Centre is Friday February 2, 2024.**

The Scholarship Committee will then select the students to endorse. The endorsed students will then complete the online application for **BBF, deadline is February 25, 2024.**

For more information visit: [How to Apply—Bright Beginnings Foundation](#)



## The Cmolik Foundation Scholarship

Each year the Cmolik Foundation awards 20 students across BC a \$40,000 scholarship to pursue their post-secondary goals. The main criteria Cmolik looks for is students who have faced adversity but have responded with positivity and tenacity and have achieved their academic and social goals.

**This is a nomination scholarship.** Kwantlen Park Secondary can only **endorse 1 student.** If you feel you meet the criteria, please fill in the nominee form <https://forms.office.com/r/1xfUTepMmm> and submit it to the **Career Centre by JANUARY 12, 2024.**

The Scholarship Committee will then select one candidate. The TCF Scholarship application is due **February 7, 2024.**

Please see the Cmolik Foundation website for more information.

[The Cmolik Foundation | Transforming Students' Lives](#)

Check out previous Surrey Schools recipients! One of our very own KP grads won this scholarship in 2022! [Update: Nine Surrey students receive \\$40,000 scholarships from Cmolik Foundation \(surreyschools.ca\)](#)

# SCHOLARSHIPS

**UGGLA FAMILY  
SCHOLARSHIP**



**APPLICATION PERIOD FOR FALL  
2024 IS NOW OPEN!**

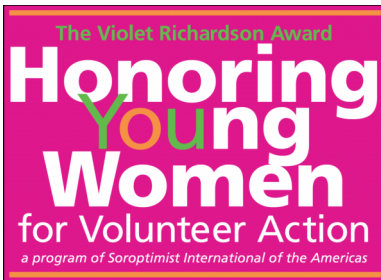
Ten scholarships are awarded each year to students who face significant financial barriers to participate in post-secondary education

**This scholarship was created in perpetuity to:**

- Reduce financial and other barriers students face when accessing post-secondary education
- Foster academic achievement
- Ensure successful transition to university learning and life
- Position students for career and leadership success
- And more!

**DEADLINE TO APPLY: JANUARY 22, 2024**

**[CLICK HERE TO LEARN MORE AND APPLY!](#)**



## The Violet Richardson Award for Volunteer Action

Are you a young woman between the ages of 14 and 17 who volunteers in your community or school? Who sees challenges instead of obstacles? Hope instead of despair? If you are a young woman who believes in the power of volunteer action, then you may be eligible to win a Soroptimist Violet Richardson Award!

For more information and to apply, see [Violet Richardson Award](#).

**DEADLINE TO APPLY: January 1, 2024**



# SCHOLARSHIPS



## PATHWAY TO TEACHER EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to 20 outstanding high school graduates who are interested in a career in K-12 teaching. Selected students will receive a \$5,000 scholarship voucher! from the Ministry of Education and Child Care.

Deadline for applications is **February 14, 2024!**

For more information: [Visit Pathway to Teacher Education Scholarships](#)

## BC EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP

Awarded to 55 well-rounded high school graduate who have demonstrated service and leadership, both at school and in their communities, and who show aptitude for and commitment to their chosen career paths.

This is a nomination scholarship. Kwantlen Park can only nominate 1 candidate to put forward.

Please submit a nomination form: <https://forms.office.com/r/nVQMhXeK1j>

Submit to the Career Centre by **January 12, 2024**

The Scholarship Committee will select a student to endorse.

This student must complete the online application with the BC Ministry of Education by **February 15, 2024.**

For more information, please visit: [BC Excellence Scholarship](#)



## **2024 SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES**

5 scholarships of \$1,500 to provide funding for post-secondary education

These scholarships are available to BC high school students that are attending a Post-Secondary Institute in September 2024 regardless of their ethnicity, religion, or status in Canada.

Apply Online at [sikhheritagebc.ca/scholarships](http://sikhheritagebc.ca/scholarships)

Deadline to Apply: **January 15, 2024**

# SCHOLARSHIPS



## TOYOTA MOTOR NORTH AMERICA SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

This program awards up to \$7,500 per year to eligible dependent children of Toyota team members throughout North America!

Deadline to apply: January 18, 2024 at 3:00pm

[CLICK HERE TO LEARN MORE AND APPLY!](#)



Bright Minds.  
Brighter Futures.

**ARE YOU THE ONE?**



## Beedie Luminaries 2024 Applications are now open!

Our scholarship provides access to BC public universities, colleges and trades schools and enables promising Grade 12 BC students to achieve their dreams!

⇒ 116 scholarships offered in 2023!

**Apply from November 8, 2023 to January 8, 2024 (9 AM PST)**

[CLICK HERE TO LEARN MORE AND APPLY!](#)



# SCHOLARSHIPS

## JANUARY

01-Jan	Violet Richardson Award	Award	<a href="http://soroptimistsurrey-delta.org">Violet Richardson Award - Soroptimist International of Surrey/Delta (soroptimistsurrey-delta.org)</a>
7-Jan	Courage to Come Back Awards	Gala Award Ceremony	<a href="https://couragetocomeback.ca/">https://couragetocomeback.ca/</a>
6-Jan	Dalton Camp Awards	\$10000 (x2)	<a href="https://act.friends.ca/page/90789/action/1?locale=en-US">https://act.friends.ca/page/90789/action/1?locale=en-US</a>
8-Jan	Beedie Luminaries Scholarship	\$15,000 - \$40,000	<a href="https://portal.scholarshippartners.ca/welcome/BeedieLuminaries/">https://portal.scholarshippartners.ca/welcome/BeedieLuminaries/</a>
10-Jan	Society of Punjabi Engineers and Technologists of BC	\$1000 (x 5)	<a href="https://speatbc.org/scholarship/">https://speatbc.org/scholarship/</a>
10-Jan	VSA Playwright Discovery Program	\$1,000 (x3)	<a href="http://studentscholarships.org">Scholarship Application - VSA Playwright Discovery Program (studentscholarships.org)</a>
12-Jan	DECA Scholarship Program	\$3,000 (x8)	<a href="#">Scholarship Application - DECA Student Scholarships</a>
19-Jan	STEAM Horizon Awards Nat'l Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada	\$25,000 (X5)	<a href="https://steamhorizonawards.ca/">https://steamhorizonawards.ca/</a>
20-Jan	CEMF -Awards for Women in Engineering	Various	<a href="https://www.cemf.ca/en/undergraduate-ambassador-awards">https://www.cemf.ca/en/undergraduate-ambassador-awards</a>
12-Jan	DECA Scholarship	\$3,000	<a href="https://www.deca.org/high-school-programs/scholarships/">https://www.deca.org/high-school-programs/scholarships/</a>
13-Jan	NiB Trust Fund	Various	<a href="https://www.nibtrust.ca/granting/how-to-apply">https://www.nibtrust.ca/granting/how-to-apply</a>
15-Jan	Sikh Heritage BC	\$1500 (x3)	<a href="https://www.sikhheritagebc.ca/scholarships">https://www.sikhheritagebc.ca/scholarships</a>
15-Jan	John E. Betts "Beat Yesterday" Scholarship	\$2,500 (x10)	<a href="https://scholartree.ca/scholarship/john-e-betts-beat-yesterday-scholarship-or-fonds-de-bourses-d-etudes-john-e-betts-meilleur-qu-hier/0ZxyFKHSN4?fm_source=bulk_email&amp;fm_medium=email&amp;fm_content=262625&amp;fm_cnt=1506075708058976256">https://scholartree.ca/scholarship/john-e-betts-beat-yesterday-scholarship-or-fonds-de-bourses-d-etudes-john-e-betts-meilleur-qu-hier/0ZxyFKHSN4?fm_source=bulk_email&amp;fm_medium=email&amp;fm_content=262625&amp;fm_cnt=1506075708058976256</a>
16-Jan	TD Scholarship for Indigenous Peoples	\$60,000	<a href="https://www.td.com/ca/en/personal-banking/solutions/student-advice/indigenous-student-scholarships-grants-and-bursaries">https://www.td.com/ca/en/personal-banking/solutions/student-advice/indigenous-student-scholarships-grants-and-bursaries</a>
18-Jan	Toyota Motor Engineering and Manufacturing Scholarship	\$2,500 - \$5,000 / year for up to 4 years	<a href="https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/toyota/">https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/toyota/</a>
20-Jan	The Home Depot- Homer Fund Orange Scholars	\$1,000 of up to \$2,500	<a href="https://thdhomerfund.org/scholarships">https://thdhomerfund.org/scholarships</a>
25-Jan	Rise Challenge	\$500,000 (x100)	<a href="https://www.risefortheworld.org/apply-to-rise">https://www.risefortheworld.org/apply-to-rise</a>
27-Jan	YVR ART Foundation- Emerging Artist Scholarship for Aboriginal Students	\$5,000 (x7)	<a href="https://yvraf.com/programs/emerging-artist-scholarship-program">https://yvraf.com/programs/emerging-artist-scholarship-program</a>
27-Jan	CIBC Commercial Banking and Wealth Management Scholarship for Black and Indigenous Students	\$10,000 (x6)	<a href="https://portal.scholarshippartners.ca/welcome/CIBC_CBWM_En/">https://portal.scholarshippartners.ca/welcome/CIBC_CBWM_En/</a>
27-Jan	Health Sciences Association of BC - Scholarships and Bursaries Programs	\$750 (x4) - \$1,500 (x20)	<a href="https://www.hsabc.org/member-benefits/scholarships-and-bursaries?id=10&amp;amp%3Bscholarships=">https://www.hsabc.org/member-benefits/scholarships-and-bursaries?id=10&amp;amp%3Bscholarships=</a>
30-Jan	Schulich	\$80,000 to \$100,000	<a href="https://www.schulichleaders.com/universities">https://www.schulichleaders.com/universities</a>
31-Jan	ExploraVision Awards	\$10,000 (x40)	<a href="https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/9626/exploravision_awards">https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/9626/exploravision_awards</a>
31-Jan	David Lam / BC TEAL English Language Learner Scholarship	\$4,000	<a href="https://tealcharitablefoundation.ca/david-lam-bc-teal-english-language-learner-scholarship/">https://tealcharitablefoundation.ca/david-lam-bc-teal-english-language-learner-scholarship/</a>
31-Jan	Nicholas Collins Founders Refugee Award	\$3,000	<a href="https://tealcharitablefoundation.ca/nicholas-collins-founders-refugee-award/">https://tealcharitablefoundation.ca/nicholas-collins-founders-refugee-award/</a>

# SCHOLARSHIPS

## JANUARY

31-Jan	Taiga Galli Memorial Refugee Award	\$3,000	<a href="https://tealcharitablefoundation.ca/taiga-galli-memorial-refugee-award/">https://tealcharitablefoundation.ca/taiga-galli-memorial-refugee-award/</a>
31-Jan	TCF Refugee Award	\$3,000	<a href="https://tealcharitablefoundation.ca/tcf-refugee-award/">https://tealcharitablefoundation.ca/tcf-refugee-award/</a>
31-Jan	DB Perks & Lifesaving Society Scholarships	\$1000 (x3)	<a href="https://www.lifesaving.bc.ca/db-perks-scholarship">https://www.lifesaving.bc.ca/db-perks-scholarship</a>
Jan 31	Fraser Health Volunteer Bursary Program	\$500	<a href="https://recognition.fraserhealth.ca/FHA_people_recognition_volunteerbursary/volunteerbursary.aspx">https://recognition.fraserhealth.ca/FHA_people_recognition_volunteerbursary/volunteerbursary.aspx</a>
31-Jan	Mensa Canada Scholarship Programme	\$1,000 - \$2,500	<a href="https://www.mensacanada.ca/rules.html">https://www.mensacanada.ca/rules.html</a>
31-Jan	ExploraVision Awards	\$10,000 (x4)	<a href="https://www.exploravision.org/rules-requirements/">https://www.exploravision.org/rules-requirements/</a>
31-Jan	Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety (Dick Martin Award)	\$3,000	<a href="https://www.ccohs.ca/scholarship/">https://www.ccohs.ca/scholarship/</a>
31-Jan	Union Plus Scholarship Program	\$500 - \$4,000	<a href="https://www.unionplus.org/benefits/education/union-plus-scholarships">https://www.unionplus.org/benefits/education/union-plus-scholarships</a>
31-Jan	LOUD Scholarship Foundation	\$2,500 (x25)	<a href="https://loudbusiness.com/Apply-for-a-Scholarship">https://loudbusiness.com/Apply-for-a-Scholarship</a>
31-Jan	Les Dames d'Escoffier BC Scholarships	\$250 - \$10,000 (x30)	<a href="https://www.lesdames.ca/scholarship-program/">https://www.lesdames.ca/scholarship-program/</a>
31-Jan	Kin Canada Bursaries	\$1,000 (x30)	<a href="https://scholartree.ca/scholarship/kin-canada-bursaries/aQN-Rep_V?fm_source=bulk_email&amp;fm_medium=email&amp;fm_content=262625&amp;fm_cnt=1506075708058976256">https://scholartree.ca/scholarship/kin-canada-bursaries/aQN-Rep_V?fm_source=bulk_email&amp;fm_medium=email&amp;fm_content=262625&amp;fm_cnt=1506075708058976256</a>
31-Jan	Voice Over Scholarship – Voice Talent Online	\$3,000 USD (x3)	<a href="https://www.voicetalentonline.com/scholarship/about-the-scholarship/">https://www.voicetalentonline.com/scholarship/about-the-scholarship/</a>
31-Jan	EnergyRates.ca College Scholarship	Multiple \$500	<a href="https://energyrates.ca/energyrates-ca-scholarship/">https://energyrates.ca/energyrates-ca-scholarship/</a>

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## Upcoming Dates

Jan 8	School reopens after winter break
Jan 11	Science Courses Info Session at lunch in the library
Jan 15	Lunch and Learn with University of Calgary
Jan 18	Gr. 10 Mock Interviews
Jan 24	District Program Info Night 7:00pm in the Theatre
Jan 30-31	Course Competency Days (No Classes)
Feb 1	Star of Semester 2

January  
(n.) A giant Monday.

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