



Scholarship Package



**2023
EDITION**

Due: Tuesday May 2, 2023

PONOKA SECONDARY CAMPUS

COMMENCEMENT

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FALL ACADEMIC AWARDS APPLICATION FORM

Please submit your completed form and your resume to Mrs. Heilemann
(incomplete applications will not be considered for any awards)

Application requirements:

- 1) Submit a detailed resume
- 2) Submit any other documents required for a specific award
- 3) Check the “Apply Box” for every award you wish to be considered for

It is your job to make sure you provide the necessary evidence to meet the eligibility requirements of the awards you are applying for. If you don't meet the criteria, you should not apply for it.

A resume of your accomplishments must be created. This is a significant part of this application package.

If you don't tell the sponsor about your accomplishments, they won't know.

You should focus on your:

- academic achievements
- school athletics
- involvement in the arts (drama, music, art) at school
- your involvement in leadership (in & out of school)
- detailed description of the volunteer work you have done
- involvement in any community activities; past or present (dance, 4H, hockey, swimming, golf, music etc.

As a final piece to your application package you should provide any further information that you feel is relevant in considering you for these awards. Again, please be very specific and provide as much detail as possible.

Several Provincial Scholarships are available to Alberta high school graduates.

For a complete list, visit the PSC website.

<https://www.wolfcreek.ab.ca/career-centre/scholarships/provincial>

PONOKA SECONDARY CAMPUS COMMENCEMENT AWARDS APPLICATION FORM

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Mrs. Heilemann - DEADLINE: May 2, 2023

Name: _____

Future Intentions (upon graduation): _____

College/University applied/accepted to (upon graduation): _____

Alternative Email address that is not Wolf Creek Email: _____

AWARD	DESCRIPTION	APPLY
1	Almita Scholarship	
2	Morgen Chernick Mentoring Bursary Separate Application and Deadline: May 2, 2023	
3	Birchland Dental Clinic Scholarship	
4	Brett Wiese Memorial Scholarship Family Letter Required	
5	Ellis Bird Farm Environment Scholarship Separate Application and Deadline: May 31, 2023	
6	Friends of Crestomere	
7	Glen Armitage Memorial Education Fund Separate Application and Deadline: April 1, 2023	
8	Lonny Jacobson Music Award	
9	Indigenous Culture and Community Scholarship	
10	Mecca Glen Parent Council Scholarship	
11	Merit Contractors Association Scholarship	
12	Peace Hills Insurance Award	
13	Ponoka Kinette Award Separate Application and Deadline: April 15, 2023	
14	Ponoka Lions Club Award – General Proficiency	
15	Ponoka Lions Club Award – Most Improved	
16	Rip'n Ronnie's Medical Scholarship	
17	Ruth Shead Memorial Scholarship Separate Application and Deadline: June 1, 2023	
18	Scott School Community Scholarship	
19	Sunny '94 Scholarship Separate Application and Deadline: May 13, 2023	
20	The Aslan Jaipaul Scholarship Family Letter Required	
21	Tom Butterfield Creating Cowboys Scholarship	
22	Velma Hart Scholarship	
23	Wetaskiwin Seed & Grain Sam Doupe Remembrance Award	
24	Will's Welding Scholarship	

PONOKA SECONDARY CAMPUS

COMMENCEMENT AWARD DESCRIPTIONS

Awards That Require Resume Submissions

1. ALMITA SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to a graduating student pursuing post-secondary education in an engineering or technical program. Selection based on academics, school and community involvement. The recipient for this award will be decided by the PSC Staff.

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificate

2. MORGAN CHERNICK MENTORING BURSARY

The Morgen Chernick Mentoring Bursary is presented by BGC Wolf Creek in honor of the memory of Morgen Chernick, who dedicated her career to uplifting our community through mentorship and volunteering. The recipient of the Morgen Chernick Mentoring Bursary will exemplify Morgen's spirit of social responsibility, advocacy, and commitment to mentoring, and will have served as a Teen Mentor with BGC Wolf Creek for one year, or will have participated as a mentee with Big Brothers Big Sisters or BGC Wolf Creek for two years between grades 1-12.

Separate Application due May 2, 2023

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificate

3. BIRCHLAND DENTAL CLINIC SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to a graduating student continuing in either a non-degree dental related field at a post-secondary institution or pre-dental sciences. Proof of acceptance to a post-secondary institution is required. The recipient for this award will be decided by the PSC Staff.

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificate

4. BRETT WIESE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to a graduating student who is pursuing post-secondary education. The successful student must demonstrate balance in the following three avenues of life as a high school student: academics (min 75% average), athletics and social. This is a \$2500 scholarship distributed over 3 years. The recipient for this award will be decided by the Wiese family with input from school staff. As such the application should consist of a personal letter to the family detailing why you are deserving of this award.

5. ELLIS BIRD FARM ENVIRONMENTAL SCHOLARSHIP

Ellis Bird Farm (EBF) will award a \$1,000.00 scholarship each year to a deserving student in the Wolf Creek School Division. The purpose of the scholarship is to recognize genuine interest in the environment and to facilitate further study in the areas of conservation and the environment. Funding for this award comes from the Charlie and Winnie Ellis Memorial Fund.

Separate Application and Deadline: May 31, 2023

Award: \$1000.00 Award and Certificate

6. FRIENDS OF CRESTOMERE SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to a deserving graduate of Crestomere School pursuing post-secondary education. The Friends of Crestomere committee will take into consideration student attitude, volunteer work, academics and involvement in student activities at PSC. Students are required to include the amount of years they attended Crestomere School, and to which post-secondary institute they are planning to attend. The recipient for this award will be decided by the Friends of Crestomere.

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificate

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7. GLEN ARMITAGE MEMORIAL EDUCATION FUND

Presented to a deserving graduate from a rural family who desires to advance their education. Students must be from an agricultural family, in need of financial assistance and have demonstrated leadership qualities in family, community and school involvement. The recipient for this award will be decided by the Glen Armitage Memorial Education Fund.

Separate Application and Deadline: April 1, 2023

Award: \$1500.00 Award and Certificate

8. INDIGENOUS CULTURE AND COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to a deserving FNMI graduating student from Ponoka Secondary Campus who is active within their indigenous culture and community. The recipient for this award will be decided by PSC Staff and an Elder within the Wolf Creek School Division.

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificate

9. LONNY JACOBSON SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to a graduating student pursuing post-secondary education in a science and or music program with an 80% or higher high school average. The recipient for this award will be decided by PSC Staff.

Award: \$250.00 Award and Certificate

10. MECCA GLEN PARENT COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to a deserving graduate of the Mecca Glen School. The Mecca Glen Parent Council will take into consideration student attitude, volunteer work, academics and involvement in student activities at PSC and Mecca Glen. Students are required to include the amount of years they attended Mecca Glen School, and to which post-secondary institute they are planning to attend. The recipient for this award will be decided by the Mecca Glen Parent Council.

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificate

11. MERIT CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to the top building construction of the school year. The recipient for this award was decided by the PSC Construction Teacher.

Award: \$300.00 Award and Certificate

12. PEACE HILLS INSURANCE AWARD

Presented to a graduating student who is a Samson Cree Nation Band Member. A student who has made an outstanding contribution to PSC through his/her involvement, leadership and attitude and pursuing post-secondary education. The recipient for this award will be decided by PSC Staff.

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificate

13. KINETTE CLUB OF PONOKA SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to a graduating student pursuing post-secondary education as a full-time student in the upcoming school year. It will be awarded to a student that is community minded and committed to volunteering. The recipient for this award will be decided by the Kinette Club of Ponoka.

Separate Application and Deadline: April 15, 2023

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificate

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14. PONOKA LIONS CLUB AWARD - General Proficiency Award

Presented to a graduating student who has demonstrated very strong athletic, academic, artistic and leadership qualities. The recipient for this award will be decided by the PSC Staff.

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificate

15. PONOKA LIONS CLUB AWARD - Most Improved Student

Presented to a graduating student that has shown marked improvement since entering PSC. The recipient for this award will be decided by the PSC Staff.

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificate

16. RIP'N RONNIE'S MEDICAL SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to a graduating student pursuing post-secondary education within the medical field. This scholarship is funded by Ponoka community members who participated in Rip'n Ronnie's annual Fun Run earlier this spring. The recipient for this award will be decided by the PSC Staff.

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificates

17. RUTH SHEAD MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

For Indigenous, Metis, and Inuit students in the Wolf Creek School Division. The award honors Ruth Shead, who attended residential school in Manitoba. Proof of full-time registration and attendance in a post secondary program must be provided. Student applicants need to submit an essay and a reference letter. Completed applications can be sent to denise@thewilliamsgroup.ca. Review the Wolfcreek website for more information

Separate Application and Deadline: June 1, 2023

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificate

18. SCOTT SCHOOL COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to a graduating student that has shown significant improvement in effort and attitude and is involved in school and/or community activities. The recipient is also not receiving any other award during the PSC Academic Awards ceremony.

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

19. SUNNY '94 SCHOLARSHIP *Pending Approval*

Presented to a deserving graduating student that is currently enrolled in a communications or fine arts area of study at a post secondary institution. The recipient for this award will be decided by the PSC Staff.

Separate Application and Deadline: May 13, 2023

Award: \$1000.00 (approximate) Award and Certificate

20. THE ASLAN JAIPAUL SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to a deserving PSC graduate who is pursuing post-secondary education and has overcome considerable obstacles and exhibits enthusiasm for learning, a positive attitude and resilience in the face of challenge. The recipient of this award is decided by the Jaipaul family. Please submit a printed word document response to the PSC office of no more than 1000 words on the following prompts to be considered for the Aslan Jaipaul Scholarship. Explain a challenge you've faced that made a big impact on your life. How did you manage to overcome this challenge? What did you learn and how did you grow from it?

Separate Application

Award: \$1000 Award and Certificate

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21. THE TOM BUTTERFIELD CREATING COWBOYS SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to two deserving graduating students (one male and one female) pursuing either a trade or post-secondary education and continuing to be involved in the rodeo.

The recipients for this award will be decided by the PSC Staff.

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificate (each)

22. VELMA HART SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to a graduating student who is pursuing education at a post-secondary institute. The recipients must also be entering a field of study in music OR play a musical instrument. A strong history of volunteer work in some community organizations are also a major asset. This award will be decided by the PSC Staff.

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificate

23. WETASKIWIN SEED & GRAIN SAM DOUPE REMEMBRANCE AWARD

Presented to a deserving graduating student pursuing either a trade or post-secondary education with preference given to an agricultural field. The recipient for this award will be decided by the PSC Staff.

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificate

24. WILL'S WELDING SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to a skilled graduating student who has demonstrated a strong work ethic and a positive attitude. The recipient must be pursuing a career as a journeyman welder. The recipient for this award will be decided by the PSC Staff.

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificate

VALEDICTORIAN AWARD

Presented to the deserving graduate with the highest academic combined average from English 30-1, Social 30-1, Math 30-1 and two 30 level Science Courses. Final marks including the diploma result, along with current final course completion marks as of one week before the graduate's commencement ceremony, will determine the Valedictorian.

Additional Commencement Awards presented to deserving graduates.

No need to apply as every PSC graduate will be considered during the selection process.

Recipients will be announced during the 2023 commencement ceremony.

PSC TEACHER'S CHOICE AWARD

Presented to a student who clearly displays a dedicated work ethic and is a positive ambassador for PSC. The recipient for this award was decided by the PSC Staff.

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificate

PSC PRINCIPAL'S AWARD

Presented to a deserving graduate who has made an outstanding contribution to PSC through his/her involvement, leadership, attendance and attitude. The recipient for this award was decided by the PSC Principal.

Award: \$500.00 Award and Certificate

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25	Calumet Synergy Association Scholarship Excellence Awards Separate Application and Deadline: TBD	
26	Chamber of Commerce Award	
27	Halvar Jonson Scholarship Separate Application and Deadline: Sept 1, 2023	
28	Joan and Dunc Grant Scholarship Separate Application and Deadline: Sept 15, 2023	
29	Ladies Auxiliary Royal Canadian Legion Bursary Separate Application and Deadline: Aug 31, 2023	
30	Legacy Ford Scholarship in Memory of Ernie Plested	
31	Louis Mah Scholarship	
32	Ponoka Hospital & Care Center Auxiliary Community Volunteer Separate Application and Deadline Sept 1, 2023	
33	Royal Purple Award	
34	St. Mary Anglican Church Award	
35	Wolf Creek ATA Local No. 3 – Local Teachers Award	
36	Wolf Creek Public Schools – CTS Award Separate Application and Deadline: Sept 1, 2023	
37	Wolf Creek Public Schools – Board Scholarship Separate Application and Deadline: Sept 1, 2023	

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may be discontinued at any time at the discretion of the sponsor.

PONOKA SECONDARY CAMPUS FALL AWARD DESCRIPTIONS

Awards That Require Resume Submissions

25. CALUMET SYNERGY ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP EXCELLENCE AWARDS

Presented to students beginning in post-secondary studies who have made a positive and supportive contribution to this area. The recipients of these awards will be decided by the Calumet Synergy Association.

Separate Application and Deadline: TBD

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

26. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AWARD

Presented to a graduating student who demonstrates an entrepreneurial spirit in the pursuit of business. The recipient of this award is decided by PSC Staff.

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

27. HALVAR JONSON SCHOLARSHIP

Offered by the Jonson family to a worthy student, based on need, achievement, and community involvement, entering a post-secondary institution leading to a teaching certificate. The recipient of this award is decided by PSC Staff.

Separate Application and Deadline: Sept 1, 2023

Award: \$1000.00 and Certificate

28. JOAN AND DUNC GRANT SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to graduating students who have enrolled in post-secondary program of studies and who meet the following criteria:

- have demonstrated a solid commitment to their studies in High School or in their post-secondary
- program (high academic standards will be considered but is not a requirement;
- have been involved in school and community service activities for the benefit of others;
- have shown a significant degree of self help in achieving their goals.
- The deserving recipient is decided by the PSC Principal, the St. Augustine Principal & Mr. Grant.

Separate Application and Deadline: Sept 15, 2023

Award: Amount to be determined and Certificate

29. LADIES AUXILIARY ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION BURSARY

Presented to a graduating student pursuing a post-secondary career and whose parents/grandparents have participated in the Canadian Armed Forces. The recipient of this award is decided by the Ladies Auxiliary Command Royal Canadian Legion.

Separate Application and Deadline: Aug 31, 2023

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

30. LEGACY FORD SCHOLARSHIP IN MEMORY OF ERNIE PLESTED

Presented to a deserving graduate that has been involved in high school rodeo or 4H for at least 2 years. The successful candidate will have been a good citizen in the school and community, involved in sports, be a strong academic student and must be pursuing post secondary training/education. The recipient of this award is decided by PSC Staff.

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

31. LOUISE MAH SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to a Grade 10 or 11 student who was born outside of Canada or whose parents were both born outside of Canada who exhibits enthusiasm for learning, a positive attitude and community or school service. A student is eligible to receive the award only once. The recipient of this award is decided by PSC Staff.

Award: \$100.00 and Certificate

32. PONOKA HOSPITAL & CARE CENTER - AUXILIARY COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER

The successful applicant will be registered at time of application with a volunteer agency within the Ponoka & District area. Proof of acceptance to a post-secondary program in the field of health care, letter of references and a statement of intent is required. The recipient of this award is decided by the Auxiliary Community Volunteer Committee.

Separate Application and Deadline: Sept 1, 2023

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

33. ROYAL PURPLE AWARD

Presented to a graduating student with the highest academic average in the required courses for entrance into the field of nursing or medical related field. The recipient of this award is decided by PSC Staff.

Award: \$1,000.00 plus Scroll

34. ST. MARY ANGLICAN CHURCH AWARD

Presented to a deserving graduate who has registered in a technical institute to further his/her training in an apprenticeship program and has shown initiative and commitment in their chosen field. Proof of registration in a training program required. The recipient of this award is decided by PSC Staff.

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

35. WOLF CREEK ATA LOCAL NO. 3 - LOCAL TEACHERS AWARD

Presented to a deserving graduate who is pursuing post-secondary education. Preference is given to a student entering the Faculty of Education. The recipient of this award is decided by PSC Staff.

Award: \$400.00 and Certificate

36. WOLF CREEK PUBLIC SCHOOLS - CTS AWARD

Presented to a deserving student pursuing post-secondary education but not qualifying for a Rutherford Scholarship **in their grade 12 year**. The winning candidate will be selected by the CTS department based on contributions to school affairs, personal attributes and community involvement

Separate Application and Deadline: Sept 1, 2023

Award: \$300.00 each and Certificate

37. WOLF CREEK PUBLIC SCHOOLS – BOARD SCHOLARSHIPS

Presented to 6 deserving students who do not qualify for a Rutherford scholarship **in their Grade 12 year** only and plan to proceed with post-secondary education. The recipients of this award are decided by PSC Staff.

Separate Application and Deadline: Sept 1, 2023

Award: \$300.00 each and Certificate

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PONOKA SECONDARY CAMPUS

Academic Awards

No Application Necessary

The following Fall Award recipients are chosen based upon final academic marks & attendance.

PSC Grade 7, 8, & 9 Honors Certificates
PSC Grade 10, 11 & 12 Honors Certificate
PSC Perfect Attendance
Canadian Legion English 30-2 Award
Dr. Mac & Olive Elofson Chemistry 30 Award
Dr. Mac & Olive Elofson Nursing Award
Governor General's Award
Jean Martin Award in Mathematics and Athletics
Kinsmen English 30-1 Award
Loyal Order of the Moose Award
Rowland, Parker and Associates Math 30 Award
W.J. Hoar Memorial Award
AVAILABLE TO ALL HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS
PSC Awards of Excellence - Grade 10 & 11 Students -
Lions Award - Grade 10 Students -
Scott School Community Scholarship - Grade 10, 11 or 12 Students
PSC Art 10, 20 & 30 Awards
PSC Drama 10, 20 & 30 Awards
PSC Career and Technology Awards Mechanics 1 – Mechanics 2 – Mechanics 3 Construction Tech 1 - Construction Tech 2 – Construction 3 Fabrication 1 – Fabrication 2 – Fabrication 3 Food Studies 1 – Food Studies 2 – Food Studies 3

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Academic Awards

These awards do not require an application

Grade 7, 8, 9 Honor Certificate

Junior High honors are based on the student's final average from all four of their main core subjects; Language Art, Mathematics, Science and Social Studies

Award: Certificate

Grade 10, 11 & 12 Honor Certificate

Senior High honors are based on using English, plus three additional academic courses, and one other grade level 5 credit course, all completed within the academic year at Ponoka Secondary Campus

Award: Certificate

PSC Perfect Attendance

Presented to the students at all grade levels who have perfect attendance.

Award: Gift and Certificate

Royal Canadian Legion English 30-2 Award

Presented to a graduating student with the highest overall grade in English 30-2

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

Dr. Mac & Olive Elofson Chemistry 30 Award

Presented to a graduating student with the highest overall grade in Chemistry 30

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

Dr. Mac & Olive Elofson Nursing Award

Presented to a deserving student currently registered in a post-secondary nursing program. The successful candidate will have a strong academic average and will have demonstrated citizenship with the school.

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

Governor General's Award

Presented to a graduating student with the highest academic average.

Award: Medallion

Jean Martin Award in Mathematics and Athletics

Presented to a deserving graduate who best combines excellence in Math 30-1, Math 31 & athletics.

Award: \$1,000.00 and Certificate

Kinsmen English 30-1 Award

Presented to a graduating student with the highest overall grade in English 30-1

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

Loyal Order of Moose Award

Presented to a graduating student with the highest grade in English 30-2 plus two 30 level courses. The student must not be receiving an award in another category.

Award: \$300.00 and Certificate

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Rowland, Parker & Associates Math 30-1 Award

Presented to a graduating student with the highest overall grade in Math 30-1.

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

W. J. Hoar Memorial Award

Presented to a graduating student with the highest grade based on 15 credits in 30 level math and sciences. There must be a minimum of 5 credits in math and 5 credits in science.

Award: \$300.00 and Certificate

PSC Awards of Excellence

Presented to a student in Grades 9, 10, and 11 for all around excellence. These students must meet the school's credit requirements and have best combined academics, athletics, leadership and the arts.

PSC Grade 10 Award: \$300.00 and Certificate

PSC Grade 11 Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

Lions Award

Presented to a male and female at the Grade 10 level who has the highest academic standing and has made a significant contribution to the athletic program.

Award: \$100.00 each and Certificate

Scott School Community High School Scholarship

Presented to one rural high school student in Grades 10, 11 or 12 that has shown significant improvement in effort and attitude and is involved in school and/or community activities. The recipient is also not receiving any other award during the PSC Academic Awards ceremony.

Award: \$500.00 and Certificate

CTS Nominations

PSC Art Awards

Presented to students at the Grade 9, 10, 11 and 12 levels who have a strong work ethic and are enthusiastic.

Award: Certificate & Gifts

PSC Drama Awards

Presented to students at the Grade 9, 10, 11 and 12 levels who have contributed greatly to the success of the BRONCS Drama program.

Award: Certificate & Gifts

Career & Technology Awards

These awards are presented to the students who have excelled in the career and technology pathway as selected by each Department Teacher.

~ *Mechanics 1 – Mechanics 2 – Mechanics 3*

~ *Construction Tech 1 - Construction Tech 2 – Construction 3*

~ *Fabrication 1 – Fabrication 2 – Fabrication 3*

~ *Food Studies 1 – Food Studies 2 – Food Studies 3*

~ *Cosmetology 1 – Cosmetology 2 – Cosmetology 3*

Award: Certificate and Gifts