



The OTA Allied Trades is a category within the Ontario Trucking Association's membership that consists of companies that provide goods and services to the Ontario trucking industry.

OTA is pleased to offer scholarship opportunities on behalf of its Allied Trades members for Ontario-based students enrolled at recognized Ontario public universities and colleges. OTA has established two annual scholarships that recognize continued commitment to academic success. Each year, one scholarship will be awarded to a student enrolled in a recognized full-time university program, and one scholarship will be awarded to a student enrolled in a recognized full-time college program.

An annual scholarship up to \$1,250 is available for one university applicant, and an annual scholarship of up to \$750 is available for one college applicant. Both scholarship winners will be selected by the OTA Education Foundation Selection Committee. The scholarship winners will be contacted by mail, and the scholarships will be forwarded to each winning applicant's post-secondary institution and credited to his/her student account using his/her student number.

### **Eligibility Criteria for the *OTA Allied Trades Scholarship Award***

In order to be considered for a scholarship, each applicant must:

- Be a resident of Ontario;
- Be under the age of 25 as of January 1<sup>st</sup> of the academic year for which the application applies;
- Be enrolled in his/her second, third or fourth year of studies in a recognized public Ontario college or university program;
- For university applicants, be enrolled in a full-time program with a duration of at least 3 years;
- For college applicants, be enrolled in a full-time program with a duration of at least 2 years.

### **Application Requirements for the *OTA Allied Trades Scholarship Award***

The following must be provided by **July 15<sup>th</sup>**:

- A completed *OTA Allied Trades Scholarship Award* application form. Faxed applications will not be eligible. A fax copy is acceptable if required to meet the application deadline; however, the original must be sent by mail.
- A type-written letter (addressed to the OTA Education Foundation Selection Committee) from the applicant outlining academic and career goals, and the basis for his/her interest in the studies that he/she are pursuing.

The following must be provided by **July 30<sup>th</sup>**:

- An **official** transcript of the applicant's most recent marks, which must be sent directly from the issuing institution to the OTA Education Foundation at the address below. A final (not mid-term) transcript must be provided.

APPLICATION FORM FOR ACADEMIC YEAR COMMENCING: 20\_\_\_\_\_

Application Type:  
 College  University

I. Personal Information				
Last Name:	First Name:	<input type="checkbox"/> male <input type="checkbox"/> female	Date of Birth: Y_____ M_____ D_____	
Address:			Social Insurance # <sup>1</sup> : _____ - _____ - _____	
City:	Province:	Postal Code:		
Cell Phone/Text #: ( )	Email: _____@_____			
II. Education History				
Most recent academic year completed: Year _____ of a _____ -year post-secondary program				
(a) Name and Location of Secondary School:				
(b) Name(s) and Location(s) of Post-Secondary School(s) since the Completion of Secondary School:				
Name of Institution	Location	Field of Study	Full-Time/Part-Time	Start Date (mm/yyyy)
III. Employment History				
Most Recent Employer(s) (Company)	Location	Phone	From (mm/yyyy)	To (mm/yyyy)
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IV. Current or Proposed Studies				
Ontario College or University:			Student #:	
Campus:	Location (City):		Length of Program (years):	
Level of Study:	<input type="checkbox"/> Diploma	<input type="checkbox"/> Undergraduate (Bachelor) Degree	<input type="checkbox"/> Graduate (Master's) Degree	
Program Name/Faculty:		Degree/Diploma Name:		
V. Declaration				
I hereby certify that the above information is true and that any false information will automatically disqualify me from eligibility for an OTA Education Foundation Scholarship. I also agree to allow the OTA Education Foundation to publish my name, essay, letter or portions thereof in news releases, annual reports, the OTA Education Foundation website, or other material used for promotional purposes only.				
Name in Print: _____		Signature: _____		Date: _____

- All applications must be received by **July 15<sup>th</sup>**. You must also include:
  - Proof of enrollment or registration in a recognized Ontario university or college;
  - A type-written letter (addressed to the OTA Education Foundation Selection Committee) outlining academic and career goals, and the basis for your interest in the studies that you are pursuing;
  - An official transcript of your most recent marks, which must be sent directly from the issuing post-secondary institution to the OTA Education Foundation, must be received by July 30th.
- Faxed applications will not be eligible. A fax copy is acceptable if required to meet the application deadline; however, the original must be sent by mail.
- Only scholarship winners will be notified. Scholarship funds will be advanced to the student's post-secondary institution and will be credited to the account identified by the above student number.

<sup>1</sup>The OTA Education Foundation will issue T4A Tax Slips to all scholarship recipients. Scholarship funds will not be advanced until the student's social insurance number has been provided. This information will only be used to meet the Foundation's legal requirements regarding the issuance of tax slips.