

Scholarships

Feb 1-Terry Fox (terryfox.org)

Feb 1-York Univ.

Feb. 1-RBC Royal Bank Financial Life Skills Scholarships

(www.rbcroyalbank.com/lifeskills)

Feb. 15-Univ. of Alberta

Feb 28 BC Confederation of Parent Advisory Councils (www.bccpac.bc.ca)

Feb. 28-SFU, UBC Major Entrance

Feb. 29-BCGEU (www.bcgeu.ca)

Mar. 1-TRU awards (www.tru.ca/finaid)

Mar. 1-UNBC Undergrad awards

Mar. 12 ReMax Quest for Excellence

Mar. 31 UVic Entrance (uvic.ca/safa)

Mar 31-BC Assoc.of Health Care Aux.

LPI

Most BC institutions accept or require the LPI. BCIT does not require the LPI. You can write the LPI **on April 19** at Elphinstone. Or you can write in town or in the summer at the post-secondary institution you are attending. Instructions available in the Counselling Office. If you plan on attending Cap. U. you can write the EDT instead. Registration closes 9 days prior to test.

TOEFL

Test of English as a Foreign Language. Register at www.toefl.org.

Post Secondary Institutions Selection Form

Students who plan to attend post secondary next year must give the Ministry of Education the authority to release official marks to the schools students are applying to. This is done **online**. Interim marks will be sent to BC and Ontario institutions if this form is completed by **April 30** (these marks will be used for early admission). Final deadline is June 30. If you did not do

this with the counsellors at school in January or want to change your choices, see a counsellor.

Provincial Exam Results

Provincial Exam results will be available online beginning Mar 2. You must have your PEN number. Start with the Elphinstone website. If you wish to rewrite English 12 (after you see your results) you must talk to the teacher before signing up with Mr. Apple/Ms. Bailey. En 12 is available April 12 at 9:00.

Looking for a Job?

Detailed job search information is available online at: www.jobsetc.ca

Remember even minimum wage jobs can give you experience, contacts, references and skills that you can use to get better jobs.

Job Futures has information about current and future jobs. Look at: www.jobfutures.ca

The Canadian Careers page offers links to pages on job hunting, resume and cover letter writing, and job boards.

www.canadiancareers.com

Try these related job sites: www.jobs.gc.ca
www.jobbank.gc.ca

College in the States?

Websites with scholarship information:
www.Fastweb.com, www.Finaid.org
www.collegeanswer.com

Thompson Rivers Univ.

Guarantee for first year housing for students who apply by March 1 (visit www.tru.ca/housing.html). Must be a new first year student from outside the Kamloops area who is taking a degree or diploma of at least 2 years.

UNBC

UNBC has many good degree programs (Arts, Science, Commerce, Fine Arts, Applied Science, Social work etc.).