

Joubin/Selig Scholarship 2018

Deadline

Applications must be received by **5pm, Friday April 20th, 2018**. Award announcements will take place in August 2018.

Purpose of Scholarship

The Joubin/Selig Fund has established a Scholarship Award at Toronto Foundation to provide financial assistance to post-secondary **students in Ontario, with permanent physical (mobility) disabilities**, who wish to pursue an education in their chosen field of study.

Awards

Value

The award(s) will be derived from the annual income of the Fund, and the total amount may vary in amount from year to year. Awarded scholarships range from \$500 - \$3,000 with a maximum amount set at \$5,000.

Eligibility

Eligible persons will be full-time students enrolled in a recognized post-secondary institution in the province of Ontario. Note that the university/college that issues the scholarship must issue a T4 slip to the student.

Applicant Profile

- Applicants must have a permanent physical (mobility) disability and must have demonstrated academic achievement.
- Applicants must be a Canadian citizen or landed immigrant.

How to Apply

- a) Students must submit a completed Scholarship Application Form to Toronto Foundation. Application forms can be found at:
<https://torontofoundation.ca/joubin-selig-scholarship/>

- b) One copy of the completed application should be mailed to:

Joubin/Selig Scholarship
Toronto Foundation
33 Bloor Street East, Suite 1603
Toronto, Ontario M4W 3H1

or faxed to (416) 921-1026 or emailed to smuir@torontofoundation.ca

- c) Toronto Foundation will not be able to return calls or emails about the application. Please refer to the Q & A on the following page.

Joubin/Selig Scholarship – Frequently Asked Questions

Please review the following Questions & Answers to best help you assess your eligibility to apply for the Joubin/Selig Scholarship at Toronto Foundation.

1. Can you let me know more about the nature of the disabilities that a person would have that would make them eligible to apply for the Joubin/Selig Scholarship?

Answer:

The Joubin/Selig Scholarship Award supports students who are living with physical, mobility disabilities who may need assistance to get around on a daily basis. Students living with learning disabilities, speech impediments, or other types of non-mobility disabilities are, unfortunately, not eligible for this award.

2. What do you look for besides grades in assessing a scholarship applicant?

Answer:

Good grades are a must to be considered for the scholarship. We also look at students' commitment to the community as demonstrated through their volunteer and extra-curricular activities.

3. If I win the scholarship, do you send the scholarship grant directly to me?

Answer:

No. The award winner's scholarship cheque is mailed directly to the educational institution (college or university) to be deposited into their student account.

4. What if I didn't get my acceptance letter (if I am going into my first year) by the time I send in the application?

Answer:

If we do not get your letter of acceptance (for first-year students) we cannot process your application. Please send them to us as soon as you receive it.

Please let us know in your application form that you have not received your letter of acceptance, and when you hope to receive it. Please let us know if you will be mailing or e-mailing the items, and when.

5. I don't have my final transcripts. Do I send them to you as soon as I receive it?

Answer:

Yes. Please include your draft/interim transcripts with your application. Sometimes, the university or college sends the transcript directly to us. Please let us know when we should receive it.