



2019 Horatio Alger Vocational & Technical Education Scholarship Application Information

The Horatio Alger Association of Canada seeks to assist students who have demonstrated integrity, perseverance in overcoming adversity, strength of character, financial need, commitment to pursue career or technical certification/degree, and a desire to contribute to society.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

To be considered eligible for a Horatio Alger Vocational & Technical Education Scholarship, applicants must:

- Have completed high school or earned a high school equivalency degree by Spring 2019
- Plan to enroll in an eligible program by Fall 2019
- Exhibit a strong commitment to pursue and complete a career or technical program (up to 3 years) at an accredited non-profit post-secondary institution in the Canada
- Demonstrated critical financial need
- Demonstrated perseverance in overcoming adversity
- Be under the age of 30
- Be a Canadian citizen

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

To apply for the Vocational & Technical Education Scholarship, the following items must be uploaded by July 15, 2019:

- An application (typed, not handwritten).
- Income documentation.
- Proof of citizenship (if not born in Canada).

Where to upload: <https://horatioalger.ca/en/scholarships/about-our-scholarships-programs/vocational-technical-scholarships/>.

Applications submitted after July 15 will be reviewed on a rolling basis and awards are contingent on availability.



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Dear Counselor,

We would like to invite students interested in enrolling in Vocational and Technical Education programs for Fall 2019 to apply for the Horatio Alger National Vocational & Technical Education Scholarship Program.

Since 2012, the Horatio Alger Association has awarded over \$5.1 million in scholarships to deserving students for their post-secondary studies.

We are proud to continue providing support for students seeking to pursue vocational or technical education in a post-secondary environment. This program provides financial assistance to students throughout the nation who have financial need and have exhibited integrity and perseverance in overcoming personal adversity. Scholarship criteria also include high school completion by spring of 2019, be enrolled in a 3 years or less career or technical degree/certificate program in Fall that will lead to employment, student is under age 30, and Canadian citizenship.

The Association will award 25 scholarships in 2019 with a maximum award amount of \$3,000 depending on the length of the program and need of the student.

We ask that you place the enclosed poster in a prominent location at your school to let students know about the Horatio Alger National Vocational & Technical Education Scholarship Program. We also hope that you will share this information online through your school website. Students may download and complete the electronic application using the link below. **Our first priority deadline will be July 15, 2019.** For additional information regarding this program please visit our website at:

<https://horatioalger.ca/en/scholarships/about-our-scholarships-programs/vocational-technical-scholarships/>.

We look forward to receiving applications from your students as we seek to recognize outstanding young people.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Terrence J. Giroux".

Terrence J. Giroux
Executive Director