

Immersion Service Learning Bursary awards are only available to participating students. Awards are applied directly to participant ISL program fees. Bursaries are awarded based on financial need. For more information, please email jvandomp@stfx.ca, call 867-2583, or visit the Service Learning website. Completed applications and supporting documentation can be dropped off at the ISL office, or emailed to jvandomp@stfx.ca.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS IS FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4th AT 4:00pm.

PLEASE NOTE: You must provide the following supporting documentation with this form:

- 1) A short essay (1 pg. max) explaining your financial situation and the importance of this bursary for you.
- 2) If you have received a government student loan and/or bursary, please include copies of your assessment.
- 3) If you received a bank loan, please include a copy of your statement.

We are unable to process incomplete applications. Please make sure you have addressed every question and included applicable supporting documentation.

Name: _____	Phone Number: _____
Student ID#: _____	Full-time <input type="checkbox"/> Part-time <input type="checkbox"/>
StFX Email: _____	Year of Study _____

CONFIDENTIAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Consult StFX student fees for the 2024-2025 academic year here: <https://www.stfx.ca/student-accounts>

YOUR PROJECTED EXPENSES FOR THIS ACADEMIC YEAR:

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| 1) Tuition (full or part time, NS or other) *if NS-total minus provincial tuition bursary plus prescribed student fees (technology, recreation, etc. and health insurance if applicable) | *\$ _____ |
| 2) Books and supplies: | \$ _____ |
| 3) Instruments, equipment, and special clothes for academics: | \$ _____ |
| 4) University Residence Fees for the year:
Name of Residence _____ single__ double__ quad__ | \$ _____ |
| 5) University Meal Plan for the year: | \$ _____ |
| 6) Rent: \$ _____ per month x 8 months: | \$ _____ |
| 7) Utilities (electricity, heat, water, cable, internet):
\$ _____ per month x 8 months: | \$ _____ |
| 8) Groceries: \$ _____ per week x 32 weeks: | \$ _____ |
| 9) Local transportation: \$ _____ per week x 32 weeks: | \$ _____ |
| 10) Return home transportations expected this year:
Describe (bus fare, airfare, etc.): _____ | \$ _____ |
| 11) Contracted debts paid monthly: \$ _____ per month x 8 months:
Please explain: _____ | \$ _____ |
| 12) Phone / cell phone: \$ _____ per month x 8 months: | \$ _____ |
| 13) Child care: \$ _____ per month x 8 months: | \$ _____ |
| 14) Medical, dental, physiotherapy, eye costs for the year: | \$ _____ |
| 15) Miscellaneous (toiletries, etc.): \$ _____ per month x 8 months: | \$ _____ |
| 16) Other (please explain) _____ | \$ _____ |

TOTAL EXPENSES: \$ _____

-PLEASE NOTE- X-Rings and Immersion costs cannot be included as expenses.

FINANCIAL RESOURCES FOR THE 2023-2024 ACADEMIC YEAR:

- 1) The total amount of **NON-government bursaries, scholarships, and/or grants**: \$ _____
- 2) Total amount of **government bursaries, grants, and/or training allowance** you have been assessed to receive (**copies of gov't assessments must be submitted**): \$ _____
- 3) Total amount of **Federal and Provincial Student Loans** you will receive (include both terms) (**copies of gov't assessments must be submitted**): \$ _____
- 4) The total amount of **contributions** from **parent(s), guardian(s), partner or spouse, faith community, child support, or other individuals**: \$ _____
- 5) The total amount of **income** from **government sources** and **other agencies**, such as government pensions, band councils, social assistance, CPP, etc.:
Please specify source _____ \$ _____
- 6) The total amount of **personal savings** from summer/other earnings which will be used for this academic year: \$ _____
- 7) Expected earnings this year including:
 - a) **Part-time jobs**
 - b) Income from **stipends** relating to **academic assistantships / grants**
 - c) Income from **student services/Student's Union related positions**: \$ _____
- 8) Total amount of **bank loans** you are receiving this academic year/or **line of credit** expected to be used this academic year (**copies must be submitted**) \$ _____
- 9) Other? Please explain _____ \$ _____

TOTAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES: \$ _____

TOTAL EXPENSES (from 1st page): \$ _____

DIFFERENCE BETWEEN FINANCIAL RESOURCES AND EXPENSES: \$ _____

If the Financial Resources and Expenses above do not match, please explain:

If you did not apply for a Federal and/or Provincial Student Loan, please explain:

How much debt have you accumulated since you began university? (be sure to include Federal and Provincial Student Loans, bank loans, parental loans, etc.)

Please include all required supporting documents with submission

DECLARATION: PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING

Immersion Service Learning Bursary awards are confidential within the Service Learning Office.

I declare that the information I have provided is to my knowledge a true, complete, and accurate statement of my financial status at this time, and I hereby request consideration for assistance from the funds made available for this purpose by the ISL Program at St. Francis Xavier University.

I understand that the submission of false information may be subject to proceedings under the University Community Code and will result in the disqualification of my application for ISL bursary assistance.

I give permission to the ISL Bursary Selection Committee to have access to my financial record.

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Secondary ISL Bursaries

Secondary bursaries are available through externally funded Immersion Service Learning (ISL) endowments. Some of these awards require the release of your name, program, year of study, and photo for publication, and/or are included in any media releases for donors. With this understanding, please indicate if you are interested in consideration for a second bursary that requires this release of information. If not, you may still be assessed for any secondary bursaries that do NOT require the release of personal information.

No, I am NOT interested **Yes**, consider me for all secondary bursaries

Signature _____

GSO (Global Skills and Opportunities) Funding UNIVERSITIES CANADA

The Elevating International at StFX project aims to support students facing barriers to participation in international education opportunities. Acceptance of this funding requires students to register with Universities Canada and participate in pre-departure and post-experience reporting on their international experience through a Scholarship Portal. (up to \$2000)

PLEASE NOTE: GSO Funding ends March 2025. ONLY February 2025 participants are eligible

No, I am NOT interested Yes, consider me for GSO funding

I identify as (indicate all that apply):

Indigenous student Student with a disability Low-income student

None of the Above

Signature: _____