

Need help funding your studies?

You may be eligible for the Graduate Education Bursary!

Worth up to \$6,000

You will receive \$1,000 at the beginning of your first session. The amount is renewable for five consecutive sessions, giving you a maximum grand total of \$6,000. Renewal is automatic if you continue to study full time in your program.

Are you eligible?

You qualify for the Graduate Education Bursary (GEB) if:

- You are a Canadian citizen or have permanent residency status;
- You have either taken at least 50% of your undergraduate courses in French, or received an undergraduate degree under the University of Ottawa's French-Immersion Stream, or attended a French-language high school or college;
- This is the first time you have registered for full-time studies in a University of Ottawa's master's or graduate studies certificate program;
- You have outstanding (unpaid) government student loans (provincial or federal) at the time you apply to the Faculty of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies (FGPS); and
- You have NOT received an FGPS admission scholarship or an external scholarship (NSERC, OGS, CIHR, FQRNT, FQRSC, FRSQ, etc.)

Deadlines

If you start your program in the spring of 2009, the GEB application deadline is **March 31, 2009**.

If you start your program in the fall of 2009, the GEB application deadline is June 30, 2009.

How to apply?

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How to apply?

Step 1 – Complete the form

Go to InfoWeb and complete the form under the Online Scholarships and Bursaries tab.

www.infoweb.uottawa.ca.

Note: The only way you can apply is online; you can't do it over the counter, by fax or by e-mail.

Step 2 – Send supporting documents to the Financial Aid and Awards Service

Send the two required supporting documents (one for each category below) to the Financial Aid and Awards Service by mail, e-mail or fax:

Category A

If you have taken at least 50% of your undergraduate courses in French, submit a copy of the final transcript for your undergraduate program; OR

If you received an undergraduate degree under the University of Ottawa's French-Immersion Stream, or attended a French-language high school or college, submit a copy of your diploma.

Category B

If you received a loan from a province other than Quebec after August 1, 2000, submit a copy of the interest exemption receipt sent to you by the National Student Loans Service Centre (NSLSC) if you applied for interest relief, or a copy of your NSLSC account statement showing your first and last names and the amount you still owe (contact the NSLSC); OR

If you received a loan from Quebec or another province before August 1, 2000, submit an official statement from your bank confirming the amount you still owe on your loan.



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