

**Because we know you have the potential to make a difference in the world.**



If your dream is to enter the top 15 universities globally, this opportunity is just for you !! Our school is dedicated to supporting our outstanding students. In doing so, City Vancouver Academy hopes to encourage and empower students to contribute to the betterment of the local community and Canada's broader community. Here at City Vancouver Academy, You will have access to numerous opportunities inside and outside the classroom that will enrich your secondary school learning experience.

You will join a community of engaged and supportive young leaders and study among the best and the brightest. You and your classmates will enrich City Vancouver Academy and the global community with your diverse perspectives, committed involvement, and innovative initiatives.

So, take advantage of unique learning opportunities, and study with the brightest students in the world. Our students are high academic achievers who have demonstrated exceptional extracurricular activities, desire to create global change, and are dedicated to giving back to their schools and communities.

Please follow the instructions carefully and prepare all required documents before applying for the CVA Full Scholarship.



## Step 1 : Qualification

A student who is enrolled as a full-time student by City Vancouver Academy , and meets ALL of the following criteria may apply:

- ✓ Be an international student or local student with valid status in Canada, such as Citizenship, Permanent Resident, or Study Permit; and study at City Vancouver Academy for secondary study in British Columbia.
- ✓ Demonstrate exceptional academic achievement and intellectual promises, as well as impressive extracurricular and community involvement.
- ✓ Any student currently studying at, or new student entering City Vancouver Academy.

## Step 2 : Documents To Be Submitted

**PRIOR to submitting your CVA scholarship application form, please include ALL following documents in PDF form in One email and send to [Info@cityvanacademy.ca](mailto:Info@cityvanacademy.ca), and place your full legal name in subject line:**

**Your resume/ personal profile:** Your personal resume should include highlights of your academic history, work experience, extracurricular involvement, awards, and other notable achievements. (Applicant is also welcome to submit an additional self-introduction video for our review)

**Application Essay:** The essay topic is "Tell us about your personal story, dreams and future goals for your education planning. Also state how you will contribute to the local community as a student " (maximum 1500 words). Please submit in PDF format, with the word count stated at the bottom of the page.

**Two Copy(ies) of Academic Transcript(s):** We require your academic transcripts as follows: transcript(s) from all of your previous school years from grade 6 to grade 9.

- a) A credential evaluation from a recognized service confirming equivalency if the applicant submits a credential from an unrecognized institution or if additional analysis is required by the Admissions Committee; and
- b) Where transcripts are in a language other than English, the applicant must provide a certified English translation from an accredited translator on official letterhead.

- c) Please provide scanned copies of all of the above-required academic transcripts in PDF or JPEG format. ( Copies of transcripts can be unofficial transcripts.)
- d) K-12 Student in Canada, You may be able to download a copy from the Ministry of Education's website at :  
<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/education-training/k-12/support/transcripts-and-certificates>).

**Two Copy(ies) of Passport Size photo:** Please provide 2 photo of yourself in JPEG or PDF format , and include your full legal name in the file name.

**Official Proof of Language Proficiency Test Requirement:**

TEST TYPE	MINIMUM SCORE	
<b>CAEL or CAEL Online</b>	Canadian Academic English Language assessment	Overall 70
<b>Cambridge English Qualifications</b>	B2 First C1 Advanced C2 Proficiency	180
<b>CEL</b>	UBC Certificate in English	600
<b>IELTS</b>	International English Language Testing System (Academic)	6.5, with no part less than 6.0
<b>PTE</b>	Pearson Test of English (Academic)	Overall: 65 Reading: 60 Listening: 60 Writing: 60 Speaking: 60

**Academic Reference Letter (Optional):** One recent academic reference letter in PDF format.

Note: If your application is short-listed, we will be requesting additional supporting material to help us make final decisions.

**Step 3: Documents to be Mailed to Us**

Sealed Official Academic Transcript(s): We require sealed official academic transcript(s) of all transcripts as set out under item c) above.

Please have your sealed official academic transcript(s) and Language Proficiency Test Result mailed directly to:

**City Vancouver Academy-Scholarship**  
**2165 - 8766 McKim Way, Richmond, BC V6X 4G4**  
**(604) 278-6811**

### Things To Know

- a. The applicant will be considered for CVA Full-Scholarship shortly after you receive an offer of admission to City Vancouver Academy.
- b. The CVA Full-Scholarship award is a **one-time** entrance scholarship awarded to the qualified students who are being offered admission to City Vancouver Academy. Students selected for this award show strength academically and display involvement outside of the classroom.
- c. Awards, scholarships, bursaries and grants are available for **tuition courses only** and, additionally, will not be applied to any repeat course attempts.
- d. Recipients must maintain the minimum continuance requirement(s) for the award. Failure will result in suspending disbursements until satisfactory performance is re-established and eligibility is re-approved by the CVA Scholarship Committee.
- e. Maintaining an **overall academic average of 86%** for the most recent **10** courses taken at City Vancouver Academy.
- f. Actively participate in extra-curricular activities ( with minimum **3hrs/week volunteering hour commitment** ) and continue to demonstrate a strong leadership role within the school.
- g. Recipients must remain in Good Academic Standing and have no disciplinary sanctions (academic or conduct) during the time of their disbursements.
- h. CVA Full-Scholarship will only apply toward the consecutive years studying at the City Vancouver Academy. That means the tuition for the most recent 10 courses taken at CVA will not be waived. However, the most recent 10 courses combined grade average will go toward assessment for the full scholarship.

## Tips:

The scholarship decision will be based on the overall supportive documentation submitted, including Resume, Academic Transcript, Official Proficiency Standard Exam, Personal Profile, and all other necessary application materials. The purpose of these materials is to help the Admission Committee rightly acknowledge the most suitable candidates. Commonly, it is a misunderstanding that an applicant ONLY with a high Language Proficiency Test result will have a greater chance of granting a scholarship. This is because TOEFL, SAT, ACT, SSAT, IELTS scores are just one of the criteria for overall measurement. However, applicants with higher Language Proficiency Exam scores and Outstanding talents will enjoy higher priority in the pool of scholarship considerations.

Best Luck To All Applicants!