Financial Aid Reminders

Updates from the Business Office

Fall/Winter Tuition Fees
- The 2018-2019 academic year Fee Schedule is available on the Brescia web page.

Reminder to all students to check their Brescia Personal Invoice here. Updates are continuously being made to accounts. Students with questions regarding their account can email business@uwo.ca.

Entrance/Continuing Brescia Scholarships
- Scholarships and awards are applied directly to fees owing and will appear as a credit on your personal invoice. First installments are thereby reduced by applicable scholarships/awards. If your tuition is assessed on a per course basis (ie. Enrollment in 3.5 courses or less), your scholarship and/or award will be prorated accordingly.

Health/Dental Opt-Out
- As part of your ancillary/compulsory fees, any student registered in 3.5 courses or more is charged for Health/Dental Plan and a Bus Pass. Students can choose to opt-out of the Health and/or Dental Plan at www.studentbenefits.ca no later than September 26th, 2018 for a refund.

Updates from the Financial Aid Office

Bursaries

Brescia students with financial need are encouraged to submit a 2018-2019 Financial Assistance Application to be considered for a bursary. Bursaries are non-repayable, taxable grants available to domestic students. Applications are due October 15th, annually. Students are encouraged to apply early to assist with their academic year costs. Applications are reviewed in late fall and students will be contacted by their UWO email regarding a decision.

Bold Works - Work Study Programs

The program is now CLOSED for the 2018-2019 academic year, and all students, who applied by the deadline, should have been contacted regarding the decision on their application.

Important Dates

OSAP
Confirmation of Enrollment for OSAP has occurred and will continue as applications continue to process.

September 26th - Opt-out deadline for the Health and Dental Plan

October 15th - General Bursary Deadline

October 15th - Deadline for the majority of upper year scholarships/awards
Additional Brescia Scholarships/Awards/Bursaries

Brescia is pleased to be able to offer a number of scholarships, awards and bursaries that have been funded by individual donors, corporations, Faculties, Departments, as well as Brescia University College. Below is a list of the awards/scholarships/bursaries that require an application for consideration. I would encourage you to review the list, and apply to any for which you meet the criteria. Some are open to International students as well (ex. BUCSC awards). The deadline to apply for the awards listed below is October 15th, 2018.

To Apply:
1) Complete a “2018-2019 Financial Assistance Application.” If you have already submitted this please do not complete again, as it is on file.
2) Complete the “Personal Profile” and attach the required supporting documentation (ex. letters of reference, letter of explanation, etc.) and submit to the HIVE at Brescia (Attn: Financial Aid Office). **Students are encouraged to submit one Personal Profile cover sheet for the awards for which they wish to be considered and a separate letter of explanation. However, we can carry the reference letters over for consideration of each award.

List of Awards/Scholarships/Bursaries:

Catherine Powell Award – Foods and Nutrition student entering 3rd year, cumulative average of 75%, active community volunteer, financial need, Ontario resident.

Linda Buchanan Memorial Award - Second, third or fourth year Foods and Nutrition student, volunteerism in more than one area, main area should be health or social services - especially psychology.

Martha Molina Steers Leadership Award – Foods and Nutrition student entering final year, 80% average, interest in international nutrition work, volunteer in F&N activities in community, leadership role in student associations at BUC.

Ottawa Home Economics Association Award - Foods and Nutrition or Human Ecology student (preference from Ottawa region) who volunteers in the community and is an active participant in student professional development associations while maintaining high academic standing.

Kathryn Munn Dimensions of Leadership Scholarship – awarded to a student that exemplifies the DOL program’s commitment to developing the leaders of tomorrow, demonstrated financial need, and Ontario resident.

Sister Mary Frances Dorschell Scholarship – 3rd or 4th year full-time student in French for Teaching program, minimum 80% average, demonstrated volunteer work (Financial Assistance application not required).

Brescia Alumnae Reunion Award – Full-Time transfer student, minimum 70% average, no continuing scholarship, demonstrated community involvement (Financial Assistance application not required).

BUCSC Recognition Award 4th Year – 4th year full-time student, minimum 70% average in previous year, demonstrated involvement in extracurricular activities that have enhanced leadership, educational, and/or professional development. Demonstrated financial need.

BUCSC Recognition Award 3rd Year – 3rd year full-time student, minimum 70% average in previous year, demonstrated involvement in extracurricular activities that have enhanced leadership, educational, and/or professional development. Demonstrated financial need.

BUCSC Recognition Award 2nd Year – 2nd year full-time student, minimum 70% average in previous year, demonstrated involvement in extracurricular activities that have enhanced leadership, educational, and/or professional development. Demonstrated financial need.

BUCSC Recognition Award Mature Student – mature student, minimum 70% average in previous year, demonstrated involvement in extracurricular activities that have enhanced leadership, educational, and/or professional development. Demonstrated financial need.
Please continue to check your email throughout the academic year for important updates from the Financial Aid Office and Fees Office. For questions, please contact the HIVE at brescia@uwo.ca