

## **Faculty of Education Scholarship: Graduate Students Living with Disabilities**

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Western's Faculty of Education has a dedicated scholarship program for graduate students who live with disabilities. This initiative strives to seed the roots for positive change and reinforces the Faculty of Education's strategic plan to create systemic, social, and ideological changes across the faculty. This scholarship provides supports for students with disabilities who have historically faced social and economic barriers that disproportionately hinder access to and completion of their graduate studies.

If you find that this description of living with disabilities pertains to you and you would like to apply to this scholarship, please complete the form below and email to: [graded@uwo.ca](mailto:graded@uwo.ca). Successful applicants will be notified by email to their UWO email approximately one month after the application deadline.

Application Due Date: March 1, 2026.

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Full Name:

Email:

Program & Field:

Application Number:

**1. Describe one or two of your achievements in detail. (300-500 words)**

**2. Describe some of the challenges you have experienced, and how you have responded to or overcome them. (300-500 words)**

**3. How would this scholarship for students living with disabilities benefit you?**

(Please provide specific details. 300-500 words)

**4. How would your receipt of this scholarship benefit the Western Education Graduate Program and the broader community? (300-500 words)**

**5. Please use this space to discuss or expand upon anything else that you would like the adjudication committee to know about you. (300-500 words)**

**Important Note:** Applicants may apply to both Faculty of Education scholarships, the scholarship for students living with disabilities and the scholarship for Indigenous students. However, successful applicants may be awarded only one of these scholarships.