

# ATTENTION Parents and Guardians:

## Don't let your child miss out on a \$1,200 grant!

The B.C. Training and Education Savings Grant (BCTESG) is available to eligible children for a **three-year window only**. It can be used for their future post-secondary education and training.



### Is my child eligible?

- ☐ Parent or guardian, plus the child are BC residents
- ☐ The child's birth year is listed here
- ☐ The deadline has not passed for the child's birth year group

#### BIRTH APPLY BEFORE

2015	Apply before 9th birthday in 2024
2016	Apply before 9th birthday in 2025
2017	Apply before 9th birthday in 2026
2018	Start applying on 6th birthday in 2024

### Make a plan today!

**Step 1:** Contact or visit your financial institution and ask if they offer the grant (most will).

**Step 2:** All you need is:

- ☐ Proof of residency: e.g. *BC driver's licence, BC Identification Card, BC Services Card, or recent BC utilities bill*
- ☐ Your Social Insurance Number (SIN)
- ☐ Your child's Social Insurance Number (SIN)\*

\*Apply for a SIN: <https://www.canada.ca/en/employment-social-development/services/sin/apply.html>

**Step 3:** During your appointment with your financial institution:

- ☐ Open a Registered Education Savings Plan (RESP) for your child (skip if already done)
- ☐ Complete application for the BCTESG. No need to add any of your own money!

**If eligible, \$1,200 will be deposited into your child's RESP. Apply today!**

Learn More: <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/BCTESG> or contact: [BCTESG@gov.bc.ca](mailto:BCTESG@gov.bc.ca).



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