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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The 2024-2025 UBC Annual Report on Student Financial Support presents comprehensive insights into the financial support provided to UBC students from April 2024 to March 2025 from all funding sources across both campuses. The report breaks down information by campus, student type, student visa status, financial support funding source, and award type.

In fiscal year 2024-25, a total of \$475M in financial support was disbursed to students through a combination of government funding, UBC Operating Funding, donor funding and external funding. This represents a 3% increase over the previous year's total of \$463.6M. Of the \$475.4M, government funding accounted for \$299.6M, followed by UBC Funding at \$144.8M – a 4% decline from 2023-2024 (\$151.0M) – and external funding of \$31.0M. UBC's \$144.8M contribution was made up of 79% UBC Operating Funding (\$114.7M) and 21% donor funding (\$30.1M). The Operating Funding component decreased by 7% from the previous year (\$122.7M), primarily due to lower than forecasted international undergraduate enrolment and the resulting reduction in merit-based entrance awards. In contrast, donor funding increased by 6% rising from \$28.3M to \$30.1M.

As part of UBC Operating Funding, the Work Learn program provided \$6.2M in wage subsidies that supported meaningful student employment opportunities through faculties, staff and partner employers. However, this represents a 24% decrease from previous year's \$8.2M, largely due to the conclusion of federal work placement program – which reduced the Vancouver Work Learn program by \$2.2M.

UBC continues to prioritize funds and resources for Indigenous, Black, and students of colour. For Indigenous students, funding disbursement increased by 13%, reaching \$7.9M compared to \$7.0M in the previous year, supporting 1,139 Indigenous students – a slight 1% decrease from 1,156 last year. For Black Canadian students, UBC disbursed \$2.2M to 163 Black Canadian students, representing a 29% increase from \$1.7M last year and an 11% increase in the number of students supported (up from 147). This growth reflects the concerted impact of targeted fundraising and support programs such as the Beyond Tomorrow Scholars Program. For Former-Youth-In-Care students (FYIC), UBC disbursed \$0.5M to 94 FYIC students, primarily through the UBC FYIC Tuition Waiver Program.

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1. 2024-25 Student Financial Support Annual Report



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Introduction

The UBC Annual Report on Student Financial Support presents comprehensive insights into the financial support provided to UBC students from April 2024 to March 2025, along with longitudinal trends. The report highlights key achievements, updates, and strategic initiatives aimed at enhancing student financial support across both campuses.

The report categorizes funding disbursed to students into four categories: Government Funding, UBC Operating Funding, Donor Funding, and External Funding:

- **Government Funding** encompasses support received through government-funded programs managed by UBC according to government guidelines, including student loans, grants, and targeted funding initiatives.
- **UBC Operating Funding** represents the allocation from tuition revenue specifically designated for scholarships, awards and bursaries.
- **Donor Funding** denotes contributions received annually from donors or through endowment investment income.
- **External Funding** pertains to awards adjudicated by external agencies channeled through UBC for disbursements to students, such as awards provided by Universities Canada and the federal Tri-Agencies (CIHR, NSERC and SSHRC).

Guided by its commitment to fostering an inclusive and supportive learning environment conducive to academic and personal growth, UBC remains dedicated to offering diverse scholarship, award, and bursary programs to alleviate financial barriers for students.

UBC Funding

Throughout the report, the term “UBC Funding” refers specifically to UBC Operating Funding and Donor Funding, excluding Government Funding and External Funding, thereby focusing on the direct financial support provided to students by UBC.

Disclaimer

Student Financial Support Reporting Difference from UBC Financial Statement

UBC Annual Report on Student Financial Support provides data on student financial support administered via UBC’s Learner Financial Support Management (LFSM) during UBC’s fiscal reporting cycle of April 1 to March 31, as well as Work Learn data prepared by Work Learn offices from Vancouver and Okanagan, which are appended to LFSM data.

The “Scholarships, Bursaries, and Fellowships” line in UBC Financial Statements represents not only the total value of awards disbursed to students via UBC LFSM but also accounting adjustments and student expenses paid via Accounts Payable. As a result, the figures in this Annual Report on Student Financial Support do not precisely match those provided under the “Scholarships, Bursaries, and Fellowships” line in UBC Financial Statements.

Executive Summary

In the 2024-25 fiscal year, UBC disbursed \$144.8 million from UBC Funding, marking a 4% decrease from the previous year's disbursement of \$151.0 million. This allocation comprises 79% (\$114.7m) of UBC Operating Funding and 21% (\$30.1m) of Donor Funding. Specifically, UBC Operating Funding saw a 7% decline to \$114.7 million from \$122.7 million, while Donor Funding increased by 6% to \$30.1 million from \$28.3 million. Merit-based awards account for 67% (\$96.6m) of \$144.8 million of UBC funding, hybrid awards for 13% (\$19.5m), need-based for 16% (\$22.5m), and Work Learn for 4% (\$6.2m).

UBC's commitment to inclusivity and diversity is evident in its allocation of resources through prioritizing funds and resources for Indigenous, Black, and People of Colour (IBPOC) students. For Indigenous students, UBC Funding disbursed has increased by 12% to \$7.9 million from \$7.0 million, supporting 1,139 Indigenous students, a slight 1% decrease from 1,156 last year. For Black Canadian students, through the efforts of targeted fundraising and funding program support such as the Beyond Tomorrow Scholars program, UBC Funding has disbursed \$2.2 million to 163 Black Canadian students, a 29% increase in funding from \$1.7 million and an 11% increase in the number of students from 147 last year. For Former-Youth-In-Care students (FYIC), UBC Funding disbursed \$0.5 million to 94 FYIC students, primarily through the UBC FYIC Tuition Waiver Program.

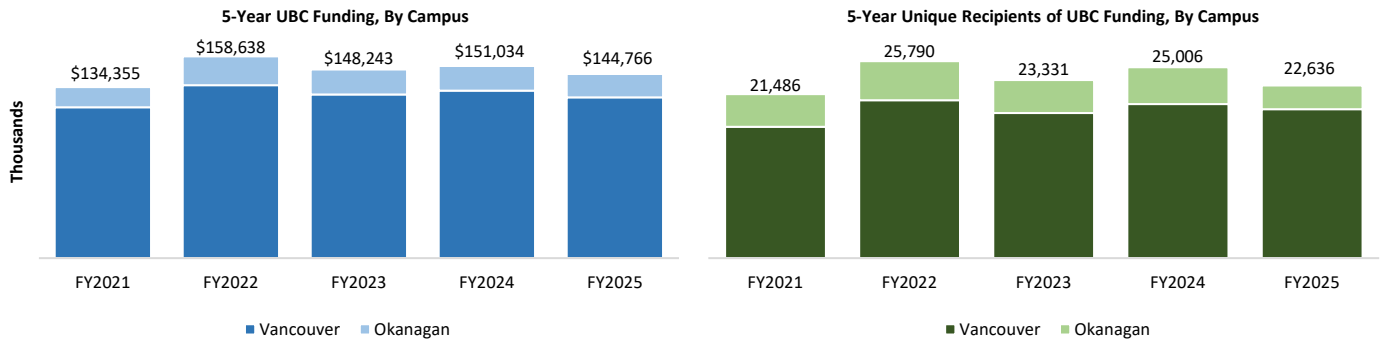
In March 2022, UBC approved the [Student Affordability Task Force](#) (SATF) report, which introduced ten recommendations to address emerging challenges in student affordability, such as housing, food, textbooks, tuition, and student aid, as well as the need for continued research into affordability. In August 2022, the Student Affordability Task Force Implementation team was established with representation from both Vancouver and Okanagan campuses. Noteworthy updates relevant to student financial support are:

- Recommendation 8 – Increase Fundraising for Need-Based Aid: Over \$48.6 million was raised towards the \$100 million goal.

UBC saw an increase of 4% in government student financial support, amounting to \$299.7 million, compared to the previous year's \$286.8 million. The increase is predominately allocated through government student loan programs and targeted funding initiatives. \$294.4 million, or 98% of government student financial support, comes primarily from Canada Student Financial Assistance (CSFA) and US Direct Loans programs, at \$287.2 million and \$7.2 million, respectively. Note on the Canadian side, 2024-25 saw a 4% increase in Canadian student loans and grants disbursements to \$287.2 million from \$275.6 million, with the temporary increases in weekly limits for both student loans and grants to continue to support students until July 31, 2025. Additionally, external funding experienced a 20% increase, reaching \$31.0 million. The primary contributors were graduate funding from the Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada (NSERC), Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR), and Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC), and undergraduate funding from Universities Canada and other external agencies. Effective September 2024 onwards, all three federal granting agencies have increased the value of their graduate scholarships, with Master's awards increased from \$17,500 to \$27,000 per year, and Doctoral awards increased from a range of \$20,000 to \$35,000, depending on awards type, to \$40,000 per year.

UBC Summary

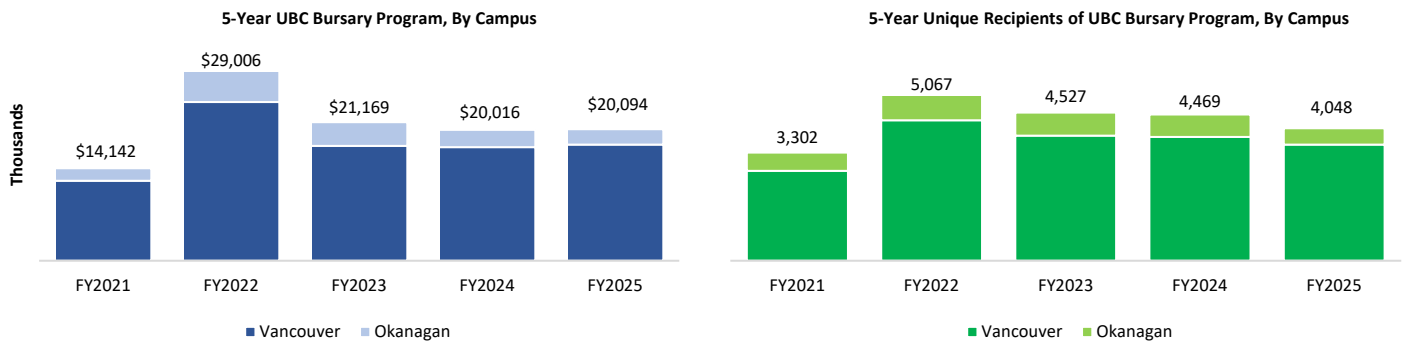
1) UBC Funding



The 5-Year UBC Funding (left) and 5-Year Unique Recipient of UBC Funding (right) show an 8% increase in funding when compared to FY2021, but a decrease of 4% compared to the previous year. There was a 5% increase in unique recipients over 5 years, but a decrease of 10% compared to the previous year. The key contributing factors to the decreases in funding and/or recipients, compared to prior year, are:

- Lower than forecasted international undergraduate enrolment reduced take-up of \$5.4 million merit-based entrance awards
- \$2.2 million funding reduction in Vancouver Work Learn program
- Disbursement of emergency bursaries supporting 893 students impacted by the 2023 Okanagan wildfire
- 26% reduction in bursary applications, reducing the number of bursary recipients

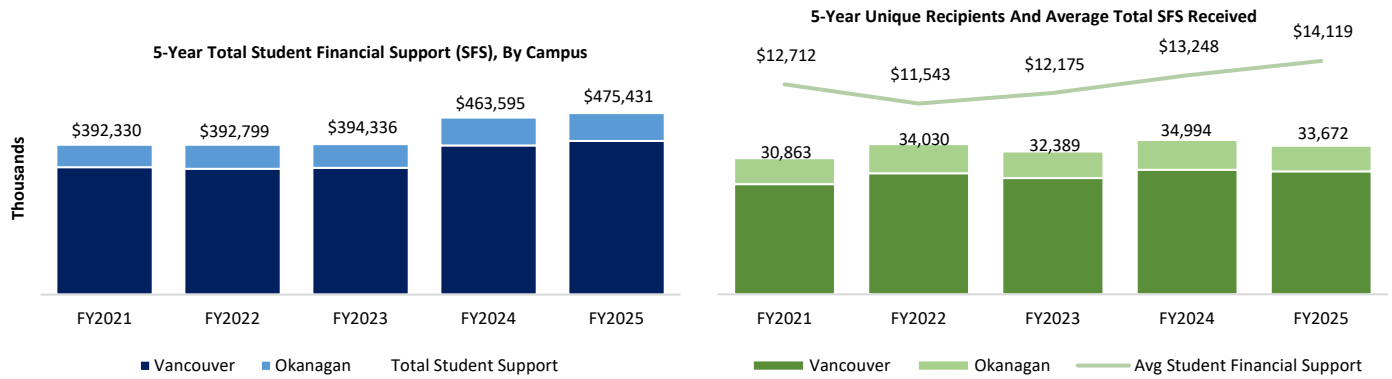
2) UBC Bursary



The 5-Year UBC Bursary (left) and 5-Year Unique Recipient of UBC Bursary (right) show a 42% increase in funding and a 23% increase in the number of unique recipients over 5 years.:

- In FY2021, the CSFA program introduced temporary COVID-19 relief measures, increasing the weekly federal student loan maximum to \$350 and 2-year doubling federal student grants, filling a significant portion of the students' unmet need, resulting in students demonstrating less financial need, and fewer students showing unmet need. .
- In FY2022, weekly federal student loan maximums were reduced back to pre-pandemic \$210 while doubling federal student grants remained; UBC Student Support Initiatives (SSI) had injected a one-time \$6.3 million housing support from the prior year's bursary surplus.
- In FY2024, to address issues of student affordability, CSFA has increased the weekly federal student loan maximum to \$300 and the BC student loan maximum to \$220 and scaled federal grants back to 40% above the pre-pandemic level. In FY2025, annual bursary applications have decreased by 26% compared to prior year. Vancouver has disbursed additional \$789k of unspent donor bursary funding to 1,025 students, of which 933 applied for bursary and 92 did not.

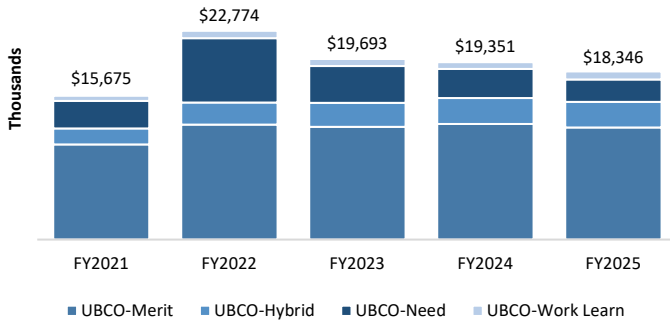
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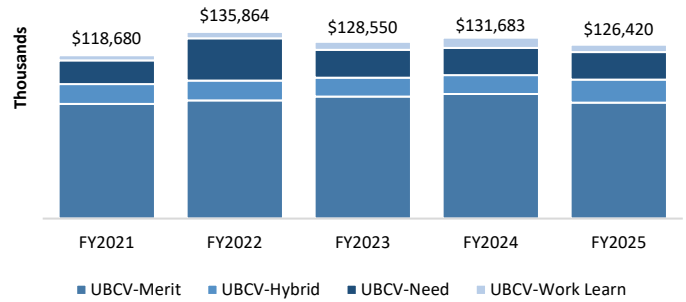
Total Student Financial Support covers government student financial support (loans and grants), UBC Funding and External Funding. The 5-Year Total Student Financial Support (left) and 5-Year Unique Recipient of Total Student Financial Support (right) show a 21% increase in funding and a 9% increase in unique recipients over 5 years, representing increasing total student support.

Campus-Specific Summary

5-Year UBC Okanagan (UBCO) UBC Funding, By Award Type

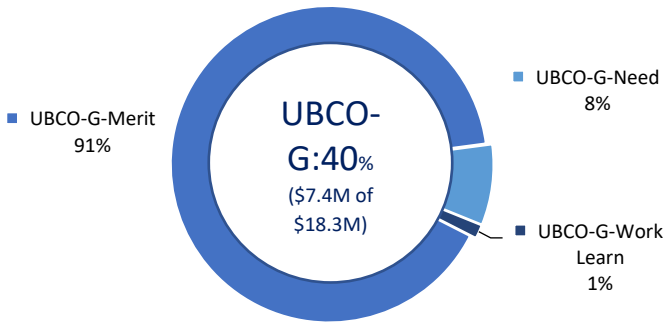


5-Year UBC Vancouver (UBCV) UBC Funding, By Award Type

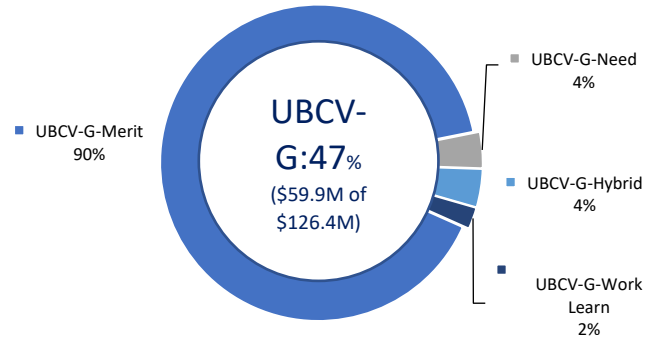


The 5-Year UBC Okanagan UBC Funding (left) and 5-Year Vancouver UBC Funding (right) show a 17% increase in Okanagan UBC Funding and a 7% increase in Vancouver UBC Funding over 5 years. Merit-based awards have increased by 18% and 1% in Okanagan and Vancouver, respectively, hybrid awards increased by 63% and 16% in Okanagan and Vancouver, respectively.

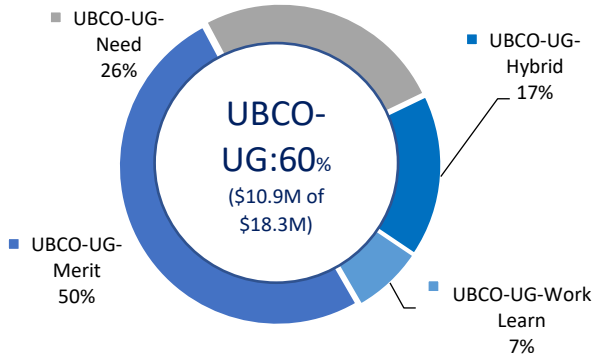
FY2025 Okanagan (UBCO) UBC Funding to Graduates (G) By Student Type



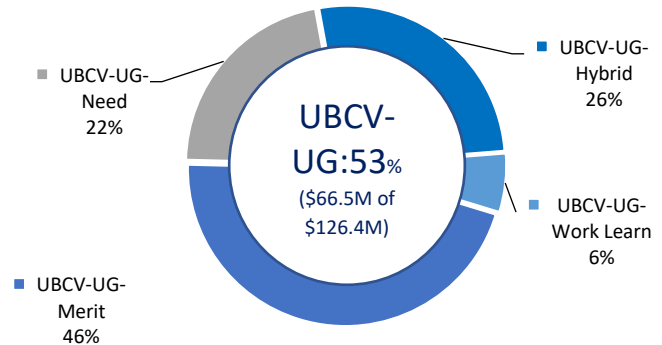
FY2025 Vancouver (UBCV) Funding to Graduates (G) By Student Type



FY2025 Okanagan (UBCO) UBC Funding to Undergraduates (UG), By Student Type



FY2025 Vancouver (UBCV) UBC Funding to Undergraduates (UG), By Student Type



The FY2025 Okanagan UBC Funding (left top and bottom) and FY2025 Vancouver UBC Funding (right top and bottom) show the funding distributions between Graduate and Undergraduate students, where merit-based awards have been the dominant award type for both student types.

Merit-based: awards given on the basis of academic merit, other academic achievement or other achievement, such as services, leadership or research.
Need-based: awards given solely on the financial need of the student.
Hybrid: neither financial need or academic achievement is the sole criterion considered.
 Refer to Appendices Glossary for more details.

2024-25 Key Achievements and Updates

Institutional Updates

1) FORWARD for Student Affordability Initiative ¹ (Both Campuses)

- As of March 31st, 2025, \$48.6 million of funds have been raised towards the \$100M goal – addressing affordability challenges students face.
- The university will continue to support and enhance need-based aid, such as bursaries and hybrid awards to address affordability challenges students face.

2) Enrolment Services Advisors (ESA) Awareness Campaign

- In recognition of the University's retention efforts, the accessibility of financial and registrarial support is critical for ensuring student success. From within the Student Support and Advising team under Enrolment Services, Enrolment Services Advisors (ESAs) provide the tools necessary to help students plan, manage and navigate the many financial challenges that can arise throughout their academic journey at UBC. ESAs also provide many other services, including but not limited to awards/scholarships advising and adjudication, registration assistance, policy interpretation, and prospective student advising.
- In consideration of the above, an ESA Awareness Campaign has been designed and developed. The campaign's objective is to raise general awareness of services offered by ESAs that can aid students in managing finances and other concerns in a welcoming, human manner that normalizes seeking assistance while providing students, staff, and the wider UBC community members physical assets to easily refer students to the team. Implementation of the campaign is expected in the Spring of 2025 to increase awareness as we advance into the new academic year.

3) StudentAid BC – Launch of SIMS Part-Time Student Account and Loan Application

- In collaboration with StudentAid BC, UBC has successfully launched the new Student Information Management System (SIMS) Part-Time Student Accounts and Loan Application on November 29, 2024. This launch is part of a phased approach that will also see the eventual release of Full-Time Student Loan Accounts and Applications. The new application technology removes an unwieldy and often manual paper process with one that offers both an improved student experience and is competitively positioned within the financial aid industry.

Undergraduate Students

1) Deputy Vice-Chancellor (DVC) Scholarship (Okanagan)

- The DVC Scholarship is a long-standing award recognizing high-achieving domestic undergraduate students on the Okanagan campus. With the award's newly revised eligibility criteria, the scholarship is now awarded to the top 10% of continuing students and the top 20% of continuing Indigenous students in each year level of each degree program. Valued at up to \$1,000 each, the DVC Scholarship is now distributed more proportionately across the Okanagan campus's degree programs. It also offers greater recognition of Indigenous students who have excelled in their studies.

Graduate Students

1) Launch of Wall Research Awards (Both Campuses)

- Graduate awards, ranging in value from \$25,000 for Master's students to \$30,000 for PhD students, have been made available through the Peter Wall Legacy Fund, an endowment established by Peter Wall for graduate students whose thesis/dissertation research relates to one of three areas of interest: (i) sustainable approaches to and development of the general urban environment, including water, energy and transportation infrastructure in British Columbia; (ii) environmental protection of oceans, beaches and waterfronts that impact British Columbia and (iii) sustainable approaches to resource-intensive industry in British Columbia. More than \$800,000 was offered in the inaugural competition to students in the second or third year of their Master's program and in the fifth or sixth year of their PhD program.

¹ <https://give.ubc.ca/projects/forward-for-students/>

2) Increase in value of federal Tri-Agency graduate scholarships (both campuses)

- Effective September 2024 onward, the three federal granting agencies (CIHR, NSERC and SSHRC) increased the value of their graduate scholarships as outlined below. As a result, the amount of external funding received by graduate students on both campuses has increased substantially compared to previous years.
 - Master's awards: increased from \$17,500 to \$27,000 per year
 - Doctoral awards: increased from \$20,000-35,000 (depending on the award type) to \$40,000 (all awards) per year

3) Increase in value of Killam Doctoral Scholarship (both campuses)

- Effective September 2024, the value of Killam Doctoral Scholarships was increased from \$30,000 per year for two years, plus a \$2,000 research travel allowance (total of \$62,000 over two years), to \$40,000 per year for two years (total of \$80,000 over two years). This increase brings the Killam Doctoral Scholarships up to the annual value of Tri-Agency doctoral scholarships, whose value was increased by the federal government, effective September 2024.

4) Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies (Vancouver)

Launch of PhD CoLab pilot program

- This initiative offers funding and guidance to support PhD students and faculty from different disciplines to collaborate on complex, inter/transdisciplinary questions or problems. The first call for proposals garnered strong interest, with 40 applications received from across UBC. Five teams of collaborating PhD students and faculty members received funding from Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies, with awards ranging from \$30,000 to \$100,000 totaling nearly \$340,000. Further information is available at: <https://collabphd.ubc.ca>.

Increase in value of Indigenous Graduate Fellowship

- Effective September 2024, the value of Indigenous Graduate Fellowships was increased from \$16,175 per year to \$17,500 per year (for up to two years) for Master's students and from \$18,200 per year to \$25,000 per year (for up to four years) for doctoral students. Indigenous Graduate Fellowships continue also to provide an award equivalent to tuition for the duration of the funding period.

Increase in Guaranteed Funding Level for PhD Students

- After reviewing funding data and consultations with the UBC community, the guaranteed PhD funding level increased from \$22,000 to \$24,000 per year, effective September 2024. This funding is provided through a combination of internal and external awards, teaching-related work, research assistantships, and graduate academic assistantships. The increase took effect for all PhD students, incoming as well as continuing, in years 1-4 of their program. This policy sets the *minimum* annual funding that PhD students must receive; the amount of funding received by students is generally much higher: in the 2023-2024 academic year, average funding per PhD student in years 1-4 was greater than \$35,000.

5) College of Graduate Studies (Okanagan)

PhD Minimum Funding policy revisions

- A minimum funding guarantee helps to attract outstanding PhD students to UBC Okanagan, enhancing our research enterprise and educational goals. Funding substantially impacts student satisfaction: PhD students with insufficient funding have longer completion times, a greater likelihood of attrition, and lower satisfaction regarding their graduate student experience. In the 2019 Canadian Graduate and Professional Student Survey, 43% of UBC Okanagan PhD students considered financial pressures a major obstacle to academic progress. Those who considered finances a major obstacle rated their academic experience more poorly relative to those who did not consider them an obstacle.
- The minimum funding amount in 2021 was set at \$20,000 per year. From the outset, the policy envisioned future increases to the minimum. It was increased to \$24,000 as of September 2024, with another scheduled increase to \$25,000 for September 2025. The increased amount applies to all students in years 1-4 who are covered by the minimum funding policy.

UBC Funding Support

UBC Funding is the terminology used in this report to represent funding contributed by UBC Operating Funding and Donor Funding from annual and endowments. In FY2025, UBC Funding has provided \$144.8 million in student financial support, representing a 4% decrease year over year (YoY). UBC Okanagan Funding provided \$18.3 million in student financial support, representing a 5%

decrease YoY, of which \$12.2 million was offered in merit-based awards, \$2.8 million in hybrid awards, \$2.4 million in need-based awards, and \$0.9 million in Work Learn. UBC Vancouver Funding provided \$126.4 million in student financial support, representing a 4% decrease YoY, of which \$84.4 million was offered in merit-based awards, \$16.7 million in hybrid awards, \$20.1 million in need-based awards, and \$5.3 million in Work Learn (see Table 1).

Table 1. UBC Funding Support by Campus and Award Type

The table shows the UBC Funding from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus and award type. Amount in thousands.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|--------------------|------------------|-------------|------|------------------|-------------|------------|------------------|-------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|-------------|
| | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | \$15,675 | 12% | | \$22,774 | 14% | 45% | \$19,693 | 13% | (14%) | \$19,351 | 13% | (2%) | \$18,346 | 13% | (5%) |
| Merit | \$10,398 | 66% | | \$12,554 | 55% | 21% | \$12,301 | 62% | (2%) | \$12,608 | 65% | 2% | \$12,225 | 67% | (3%) |
| Hybrid | \$1,722 | 11% | | \$2,407 | 11% | 40% | \$2,612 | 13% | 9% | \$2,832 | 15% | 8% | \$2,806 | 15% | (1%) |
| Need | \$3,025 | 19% | | \$6,998 | 31% | 131% | \$4,029 | 20% | (42%) | \$3,176 | 16% | (21%) | \$2,421 | 13% | (24%) |
| Work Learn | \$530 | 3% | | \$815 | 4% | 54% | \$751 | 4% | (8%) | \$734 | 4% | (2%) | \$894 | 5% | 22% |
| Vancouver | \$118,680 | 88% | | \$135,864 | 86% | 14% | \$128,550 | 87% | (5%) | \$131,683 | 87% | 2% | \$126,420 | 87% | (4%) |
| Merit | \$83,487 | 70% | | \$85,940 | 63% | 3% | \$88,856 | 69% | 3% | \$90,642 | 69% | 2% | \$84,388 | 67% | (7%) |
| Hybrid | \$14,342 | 12% | | \$14,463 | 11% | 1% | \$13,672 | 11% | (5%) | \$13,632 | 10% | (0%) | \$16,663 | 13% | 22% |
| Need | \$17,224 | 15% | | \$30,780 | 23% | 79% | \$20,321 | 16% | (34%) | \$19,924 | 15% | (2%) | \$20,068 | 16% | 1% |
| Work Learn | \$3,627 | 3% | | \$4,681 | 3% | 29% | \$5,700 | 4% | 22% | \$7,485 | 6% | 31% | \$5,301 | 4% | (29%) |
| Grand Total | \$134,355 | 100% | | \$158,638 | 100% | 18% | \$148,243 | 100% | (7%) | \$151,034 | 100% | 2% | \$144,766 | 100% | (4%) |

In FY2025, UBC Funding supported 22,636 unique students across both Vancouver and Okanagan campuses, a combined 9% decrease YoY. The number of recipients for UBC Okanagan Funding has decreased by 36% YoY to 3,109. The number of recipients for UBC Vancouver Funding has decreased by 3% YoY to 19,530 (see Table 2).

Table 2. Unique Recipients of UBC Funding Support by Campus and Award Type

The table shows the total number of unique students receiving UBC Funding support from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus and award type.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|--------------------|---------------|-------------|------|---------------|-------------|------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|-------------|------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | 4,267 | 20% | | 5,117 | 20% | 20% | 4,335 | 19% | (15%) | 4,839 | 19% | 12% | 3,109 | 14% | (36%) |
| Merit | 2,909 | 68% | | 3,706 | 72% | 27% | 3,512 | 81% | (5%) | 3,385 | 70% | (4%) | 2,230 | 72% | (34%) |
| Hybrid | 205 | 5% | | 167 | 3% | (19%) | 126 | 3% | (25%) | 250 | 5% | 98% | 279 | 9% | 12% |
| Need | 1,673 | 39% | | 2,020 | 39% | 21% | 870 | 20% | (57%) | 1,748 | 36% | 101% | 567 | 18% | (68%) |
| Work Learn | 124 | 3% | | 208 | 4% | 68% | 273 | 6% | 31% | 250 | 5% | (8%) | 337 | 11% | 35% |
| Vancouver | 17,221 | 80% | | 20,682 | 80% | 20% | 19,004 | 81% | (8%) | 20,173 | 81% | 6% | 19,530 | 86% | (3%) |
| Merit | 11,272 | 65% | | 11,893 | 58% | 6% | 12,809 | 67% | 8% | 13,302 | 66% | 4% | 12,956 | 66% | (3%) |
| Hybrid | 1,391 | 8% | | 1,027 | 5% | (26%) | 1,020 | 5% | (1%) | 1,201 | 6% | 18% | 1,287 | 7% | 7% |
| Need | 5,249 | 30% | | 8,048 | 39% | 53% | 4,509 | 24% | (44%) | 4,429 | 22% | (2%) | 4,167 | 21% | (6%) |
| Work Learn | 2,124 | 12% | | 3,021 | 15% | 42% | 3,120 | 16% | 3% | 4,298 | 21% | 38% | 3,752 | 19% | (13%) |
| Grand Total | 21,486 | 100% | | 25,790 | 100% | 20% | 23,331 | 100% | (10%) | 25,006 | 100% | 7% | 22,636 | 100% | (9%) |

Note(s): Number of recipients is not unique and represents a count of recipients for awards. Because each unique recipient may have received multiple awards from various funding sources, the percentage of recipients across may exceed 100%.

See “UBC Funding” in Appendices for more data.

Merit-Based Awards

1) Domestic Undergraduate Students

Presidential Scholars Awards (Both Campuses)

The [Presidential Scholars Awards](#) (PSA) program provides the most prestigious merit-based awards to entering domestic undergraduate students at UBC, with renewable awards of up to \$80,000 payable over four years and one-time awards valued at up to \$10,000. In 2024-25, UBC and its donors awarded \$3.08 million through the PSA program to new UBC students at both campuses for excellent academic achievement. With a continued focus on recruiting outstanding students, UBC makes offers for the PSA programs starting in early March each year. Award candidates receive phone calls from the PSA award team in Vancouver to address their questions about the UBC experience and to encourage them to accept their award offers. Award recipients receive continuous support from Enrolment Services in Vancouver and the Society of Scholars program in the Okanagan, which offers developmental and social programming and support to recipients of major domestic awards.

Loran Scholarship Foundation (Both Campuses)

Each year over 5,000 high school and collège d'enseignement général et professionnel (CEGEP) students from across Canada apply to be a Loran Scholar. After one of the most rigorous application processes, the [Loran Scholars Foundation](#) (LSF) selects up to 36 students to join their community. UBC directly targets Loran recipients through a variety of recruitment strategies. The LSF and UBC work in partnership to support these students throughout the admission application process and their entire undergraduate experience. Each Loran award is valued at over \$100,000 over four years of undergraduate study, including mentorship, summer work experiences, annual retreats and gatherings and an orientation expedition in Algonquin Park. Each year, Loran Scholars receive a \$12,000 stipend from the Loran Foundation, and a tuition award of up to \$12,000 is awarded from UBC Operating Funding. In September 2024, UBC welcomed 4 of the 36 new Loran Scholars to the Vancouver campus. UBC now hosts 32 Loran Scholars at both campuses. In 2023-24, tuition awards totalled \$158,545 for these outstanding students.

Schulich Leader Scholarships (Both Campuses)

The [Schulich Leader Scholarships](#), externally funded by the Schulich Foundation, provide up to \$100 million annually for undergraduate students across Canada. Students who demonstrate excellence in academics, leadership, charisma, and creativity and plan to study in one of the STEM areas (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) at 20 partner universities are eligible. Every high school in Canada may nominate one graduating student. The Schulich Leader Scholarship program supports entrepreneurial-minded students pursuing careers in one or more focus areas of technology, engineering, entrepreneurship and applied scientific research. Schulich Leader Scholarships in Engineering are valued at \$120,000 over four years. Schulich Leader Scholarships in STEM faculties outside of Engineering are valued at \$100,000 over four years. Up to 100 Engineering and other STEM faculty awards are offered annually in Canada. In 2024-25, UBC received six scholarships shared equally between STEM and non-STEM students.

Premier Undergraduate Scholars and Wesbrook Scholarships (Vancouver)

One of the University's most prestigious designations, the [Premier Undergraduate and Wesbrook Scholarships](#), are merit-based awards funded with UBC Operating Funding for senior students who demonstrate outstanding academic performance, leadership, involvement in student and community activities, as well as participation or achievement in athletics, for some of the scholarships. Awards within this program range from 20 Wesbrook Scholar designations worth \$1,000 each to renewable scholarships over two years. Each year, eligible students are invited by their respective faculties to apply for these prestigious scholarships and go through a competitive selection process.

Trek Excellence Scholarships (Vancouver)

The [Trek Excellence Scholarships](#), funded by UBC Operating Funding, are offered yearly to UBC Vancouver undergraduate students in the top 5% to 10% of students in each Faculty or School based on their grades from the prior Winter Session. The top 5% of domestic students receive an award of \$1,500. In 2024-25, \$1.2 million was disbursed to 844 domestic students.

Deputy Vice-Chancellor Scholarships (Okanagan)

The [Deputy Vice-Chancellor Scholarships](#), funded by UBC Operating Funding, recognize the exceptional academic achievement of continuing domestic undergraduate students entering second, third or fourth year at UBC Okanagan. Scholarships of up to \$1,000 are awarded based on academic achievement in the previous year of study. In 2024-25, \$617,500 was allocated to 637 domestic students.

2) International Undergraduate Students

The international undergraduate merit-based entrance awards are designed to strategically enroll and retain a diverse cohort of exceptional international students at UBC. The awards are made to students from all socioeconomic backgrounds, focusing on merit. In awarding students from more financially vulnerable regions, there is a strategic acknowledgement that in order to provide opportunities to these underrepresented populations, the awards must meet and maintain a specific financial threshold. Additionally, a small amount of above-the-base funding is used to "top-up" offers for students admitted to those programs with a tuition fee structure that is above the base international undergraduate tuition amount.

For the 2024 Winter intake, initial spend targets for these awards, similar to the 2023 Winter intake, were set prior to the significant Canadian immigration policy and geo-political changes that occurred in the first calendar quarter of 2024. These changes then had a negative impact on the number of admissions applications submitted to UBC and the eventual yield rate of students, resulting in a lower than forecasted international undergraduate student enrolment in 2024 Winter. As part of this lower enrolment, fewer students took up the merit-based entrance awards that were offered, significantly reducing the award spend in this category and, as a result, the overall award spend for international undergraduate students. Any unspent award funds will be used to support students in future years.

International Major Entrance Scholarship (Both Campuses)

The [International Major Entrance Scholarship \(IMES\)](#) is a four-year renewable scholarship awarded to some of the university's top new undergraduate international students. The awards are given based on the student's admissions profile, considering both their admissions average and their personal profile score. Typically, recipients of these scholarships are some of the strongest newly admitted students in their program. The 2024 value of this award at the Vancouver campus was \$20,000 per year. At the Okanagan campus, the value of this award in 2024 was \$20,000, with additional \$10,000 awards being provided as part of the UBC Okanagan International Welcome initiative. The awards may be as high as full tuition for exceptional candidates. At the Okanagan Campus, 28 new IMES students (18 awards at \$20,000 and 10 awards at \$10,000) representing over 15 countries were recruited, joining a community of 98 IMES recipients representing 35 countries. For the Vancouver campus, 24 students from 10 countries received the renewable IMES. The full IMES cohort across both campuses totals 448 students. The students are offered a full suite of programming and additional tailored support designed to recruit these top-tier students considering offers from other global institutions. The value-added programming offers an additional enrolment incentive and retention safeguard as the students transition into UBC and throughout their years supported by considerable scholarship funding.

Outstanding International Student Awards (Both Campuses)

The [Outstanding International Student Award](#) is a one-time, non-renewable scholarship that is given based on students' admissions profiles. All newly admitted undergraduate international students are reviewed for eligibility for this award to provide a competitive scholarship offer to the University's top new students. The maximum amount available for this one-time award is one year of tuition and fees. The 2024 values for these awards ranged from \$10,000 to \$25,000. For the 2024 Winter entry, 29 new students starting at the Okanagan Campus received \$0.7 million, and 408 new students entering the Vancouver campus from over 50 countries received \$6.3 million.

International Student Faculty Scholarships (both campuses)

In 2024, approximately \$3.3 million has been allocated for Faculty and School-specific scholarships for continuing international students. These scholarships, valued at up to \$10,000 each, are available for second, third and fourth-year students. Students must demonstrate strong academic achievement, engagement in the faculty, and the potential to make a scholarly contribution within their chosen field of study. These awards are available at both campuses and are made on the recommendation of the Faculty or School where the student is enrolled.

International Community Achievement Awards (Both Campuses)

The [International Community Achievement Awards](#) are \$5,000 merit-based awards funded by UBC Operating Funding, which recognizes international students who make significant contributions to UBC and/or the greater Kelowna or Vancouver communities. To be eligible, the student must be an academically strong international undergraduate with a demonstrated ability in one or more of the following areas: artistic endeavours, community service, athletic pursuits, original intellectual work, cross-cultural relations, promotion of diversity, or other campus activities. Students must apply for this award and provide references that attest to their level of involvement. For 2024 Winter Session, over \$150,000 was awarded to more than 35 students.

International Undergraduate Research Award (Both Campuses)

The [International Undergraduate Research Awards](#) provide students an opportunity to explore projects of interest to them and/or to work with a faculty member who can hire them to engage with specific research. Several externally funded research award programs are available to domestic students for which international students do not qualify; as such, this award makes these opportunities available to all undergraduate students and their faculty mentors. Awards of up to \$10,000 are available for faculty to hire qualified students. In 2024 Winter Session, more than \$1.5 million was earmarked for international undergraduate research awards at the Vancouver campus and \$145,000 at the Okanagan campus.

Vantage One International Major Entrance Scholarships (Vancouver)

The Vantage One International Major Entrance scholarships for newly admitted Vantage One students, established with UBC Operating Funding, are multi-year, merit-based awards. Recipients have demonstrated exceptional academic performance in their high school years and have expressed intellectual curiosity, initiative, awareness of global issues, and a commitment to the well-being of others in their personal profile statements and engagement activities. The 2024 awards were \$25,000 for the first year in the Vantage College program (funded by Vantage College), then renewable awards of \$20,000 for three subsequent years by UBC. These scholarships are available for students to attend either campus after successfully completing their Vantage One year in Vancouver. The Vantage One International Major Entrance Scholarship was offered in 2024 to 3 students commencing their studies at Vantage College.

UBC Okanagan International Welcome Award (Okanagan)

For the 2024W intake, a new suite of awards was approved for offer with the aim to increase the number of students applying to UBC and placing an Okanagan campus program as their first choice. Over the next four years, as a pilot program, the goal is to support all recruitment activities, increasing the pool of dedicated UBCO applicants to enable a higher yield of international undergraduate enrolments at that campus. The Welcome Award was disbursed to all students who applied to a UBCO program as their first choice, were admitted to that program, and subsequently registered in that program. Due to approval of the new awards late into the admissions cycle, the effectiveness of the award in its first year was limited. However, of the students admitted to UBCO programs in 24W, 126 students were eligible to receive the “Welcome Award”, meeting expectations. One hundred and seventeen students received the full \$5,000 award, while 9 students received a reduced amount of \$1,000 due to being eligible for domestic tuition rates.

3) Graduate Students

Killam Doctoral Scholarships (Both Campuses)

The most prestigious internally-funded award for PhD students is the [Killam Doctoral Scholarship](#), offered to outstanding doctoral students of the Vancouver and Okanagan campuses selected through a university-wide competition. The Killam Doctoral Scholarship provides a stipend of \$40,000 per year for two years to international and domestic students. Approximately 20 new scholarships are offered each year.

British Columbia Graduate Scholarships (Both Campuses)

In Summer 2024, the Province of British Columbia provided an additional \$1.9 million to UBC (building upon allocations in Spring 2021, Spring 2022, and Summer 2023) to fund British Columbia Graduate Scholarships for a two-year period. The value of each scholarship is \$17,500, and is available to domestic graduate students.

Four-Year Doctoral Fellowships (Vancouver)

A significant portion of UBC’s merit-based funding for graduate students is delivered through the [Four-Year Doctoral Fellowship](#) (4YF) program, which provides outstanding domestic and international doctoral students on the UBC Vancouver campus with a stipend of \$18,200 per year plus tuition for up to four years. Approximately 210 new 4YF places are allocated to graduate programs each year, which programs use to support the recruitment of top applicants. In addition, recipients of doctoral Tri-Agency scholarships also become 4YF holders, whereby Tri-Agency awardees may receive 4YF funding when their external scholarship ends (depending on the timing of their external award). At any given time, more than 1,150 4YF holders are on campus. Supported by base scholarship funding plus support from the Academic Excellence Fund (AEF), the total annual budget for the 4YF program is nearly \$20 million.



“The Peter A. Allard School of Law at the University of British Columbia is a leader in Indigenous legal education. [My research supervisors] have advocated for space for Indigenous Laws before it was common parlance in Canada.”

TERRI-LYNN WILLIAMS-DAVIDSON

*President’s Academic Excellence Initiative PhD Award
Indigenous Graduate Fellowships
Killam Doctoral Scholarships
British Columbia Graduate Scholarship
Vanier Scholarship
Canada Graduate Scholarships Doctoral (CGS D) Program
Doctor of Philosophy in Law (PhD), UBC Vancouver*

Graduate Support Initiative (Vancouver)

Another key funding program for graduate students on the UBC Vancouver campus is the [Graduate Support Initiative \(GSI\)](#). This program supports domestic and international students at the master’s and doctoral levels through entrance scholarships, multi-year funding packages, tuition awards, and scholarship top-ups. Approximately \$6.85 million in GSI funding is allocated yearly to graduate programs that select the recipients.

Graduate Student Award Program (Okanagan)

Most of UBC’s merit-based funding for graduate students on the Okanagan campus is delivered through the [Graduate Student Awards program \(GSA\)](#). This program supports domestic and international research-based graduate students at the master’s and doctoral levels. Approximately \$4 million in GSA funding is allocated annually to graduate programs through Okanagan Graduate Research Scholarships. Part of this funding is used to support the PhD Minimum Funding Policy at UBC Okanagan.

International Four-Year Doctoral Partial Tuition Awards (Okanagan)

The [International Four-Year Doctoral Partial Tuition Award](#) is available to incoming international PhD students and PhD transfer students. The Award pays the tuition differential between international and domestic tuition for eligible students and provides funding for up to four years (48 months) per awardee.

International Doctoral Fellowships (Okanagan)

The International Doctoral Fellowships support top international students beginning their UBCO doctoral programs. The fellowship provides funding for up to four years: a \$25,000 stipend/year plus tuition for a maximum of four years from the College of Graduate Studies. This Fellowship was not offered to incoming students in 2024 as it was replaced by the UBC Okanagan Distinguished Doctoral Scholar Award program, though students who have received the Fellowship will continue to be supported by the program until 2025.

UBC Okanagan Distinguished Doctoral Scholar Award (Okanagan)

The [UBC Okanagan Distinguished Doctoral Scholar Award](#) (DDS) ensures UBC Okanagan’s best PhD students are provided with financial support of at least \$20,000 per year plus tuition for up to four years of their PhD studies. This program allows UBC to continue to attract and support outstanding domestic and international PhD students, and provide those students with stable, base-level funding for their PhD studies and research. The purpose of the DDS is to recruit the best PhD scholars to UBC Okanagan. This merit-based scholarship is intended to be a component of a larger funding package that will be used to recruit top scholars who likely have competitive offers from other universities. Therefore, each awardee must be committed at least \$35,000 per year.

UBC Okanagan Leadership Award

The [Graduate Dean’s Student Leadership Award](#) is awarded to graduate students who have made outstanding contributions to the graduate student experience at UBC Okanagan. All UBC Okanagan continuing graduate students are eligible for this award. The first offering of these awards was in March 2024.

Public Scholars Initiative (Both Campuses)

The Public Scholars Initiative (PSI) program provides funding and other support to doctoral students whose research extends beyond the academy and traditional disciplinary approaches to have a tangible impact on the public good through collaborative, action-oriented, and/or creative forms of scholarship in their dissertation work. Over the last ten years, almost 400 Public Scholars have been accepted into the PSI Network. Public Scholars from all disciplines have sought to address complex questions and challenges in our world through collaborations with more than 200 different partners in all societal sectors in dozens of countries worldwide. Further information is available at: <https://www.grad.ubc.ca/psi>.



“[The Peter Wall Award] has allowed me to achieve personal financial goals and lifelong dreams—something I deeply appreciate. I am also grateful that this initiative is available to international students, who often face limited eligibility for other funding opportunities. Having this support has made a tremendous difference in my journey, and I am truly thankful..”

THAIS AYRES REBELLA

*Peter Wall Award
PhD in Civil Engineering, UBC Okanagan*

Hybrid Awards

1) Domestic Undergraduate Students

Beyond Tomorrow Scholars Awards (Both Campuses)

The [Beyond Tomorrow Scholars Awards](#) are hybrid awards funded by UBC Funding. The awards support academically qualified Black Canadian students transitioning from secondary school or transferring from another post-secondary institution who would not be able to attend UBC without significant financial assistance. Students are provided renewable funding of \$40,000 to \$80,000, payable over four years. In 2024-25, 24 new students received the Beyond Tomorrow Scholars Awards: 18 students at the Vancouver Campus and 6 at the Okanagan Campus. All Beyond Tomorrow Scholars are supported throughout their academic careers with dedicated programming designed to help students build skills, gain experiences, and connect with their community. The programming delivered to Scholars is shaped by five pillars of success: Academic & Career, Leadership, Community & Belonging, Financial, and Health & Well-being.



“Receiving the Beyond Tomorrow Scholars Award has been life-changing for me and I am extremely grateful to UBC for it. Moving from Winnipeg and being originally from Ghana, UBCO was a big adjustment. However, this award made quite the impact. Not only has it granted me financial assistance but the mentorship programs and support systems in place for scholars have been instrumental in helping me find my footing. Knowing that I have people to guide me and an extremely supportive community has made me more confident in my work towards my nursing degree as well as my future goals overall.”

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*Beyond Tomorrow Scholars Award
Bachelor of Science in Nursing, UBC Okanagan*

Centennial Scholars Awards (Both Campuses)

The [Centennial Scholars Awards](#) are hybrid awards that support academically qualified students matriculating from secondary school or transferring from another post-secondary institution who would not be able to attend UBC without significant financial assistance. As Centennial Scholars, students are provided funding ranging from one-time awards valued at up to \$5,000 and renewable awards of up to \$80,000 payable over four years as Centennial Leaders. In 2024-25, 125 incoming students received Centennial Scholars Awards: 110 students at the Vancouver campus and 15 at the Okanagan campus; 19 of the Centennial Scholars Awards recipients are Indigenous students at the Vancouver campus and 6 at the Okanagan campus. As a result, Centennial Scholars typically do not have to take out a student loan or access UBC bursaries.

2) International Undergraduate Students

The International Scholars Program is a competitive hybrid awards program initiated in 2001. The program consists of four scholarships: The Karen McKellin [International Leader of Tomorrow Award](#), the [International Impact Award](#), the [Donald A. Wehrung International Student Award](#), and the [Vantage One Excellence Award](#). The hybrid International Scholars program has supported over 500 students from 100+ countries since the first award was offered in 2001. 24 new International Scholars (Okanagan 3, Vancouver 21) were recruited to join a community of 26 and 106 International Scholars, respectively. The cross-campus cohort citizenship representation totals 70+ countries.

Karen McKellin International Leader of Tomorrow Awards (Both Campuses)

The Karen McKellin International Leader of Tomorrow Award (KMILOT) is designed for high-achieving students who have shown significant academic, leadership, and personal potential throughout high school and who also demonstrate significant financial need. This award is renewable until degree completion. In addition to meeting Senate regulations for renewal for academic awards, award recipients are engaged in completing community-based leadership activities, developmental, and academic workshops and sessions during their time at UBC. The award amount for each student is determined based on their individual level of need.

International Impact Award (Both Campuses)

The International Impact Award (IIA) acknowledges specific current and future global challenges where innovative minds, accomplished researchers and convincing voices are called on to foster global collaboration and solve complex issues. This award, first offered in 2021 Winter, challenges students to express their commitment to and solutions for specific topics in social justice,

climate change, equity and inclusion, societal health and wellness, and freedom of expression. The award amount for each student is determined based on their individual level of need.

Donald A. Wehrung International Student Awards (Both Campuses)

The Donald A. Wehrung International Student Award (DAWIS) aims to support students who have been living in or who have fled war-torn regions or regions where significant turmoil has limited their academic opportunities. The committee reviews applicants for this award based on both academic merit and financial need. The award typically covers the full cost of tuition and living and is renewable until degree completion. Successful recipients of this award have shown academic promise, have demonstrated leadership potential and character during their prior schooling, and have shown persistence amidst difficult circumstances. While at UBC, recipients complete community-based leadership activities and developmental and academic workshops and sessions as part of the International Scholars community.



"[Donald A. Wehrung International Student Award] has been pivotal in making my dream of pursuing a Bachelor of Pharmaceutical Sciences at a world-class university, UBC, a reality. My interest in pharmaceuticals and natural remedies began in childhood, and this award has allowed me to turn that passion into my academic journey. It has also provided me with access to exceptional faculty, professors, students, advisors, and the invaluable resources available here. I am especially thankful for the programming designed for international scholars at UBC, which equips us for success academically, financially, and in terms of personal well-being."

APPOLINAIRE MANIRAKIZA

Donald A. Wehrung International Student Award (DAWIS)
Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, UBC Vancouver

Vantage One Excellence Awards (Vancouver)

The Vantage One Excellence hybrid awards program is designed for outstanding international students admitted to the Vantage One program and who lack the financial means to attend UBC. The award is renewable until degree completion, and the amount of each student's award is determined based on their individual level of financial need. The adjudication committee selects students based on their prior academic achievements, their demonstrated leadership potential, and their persistence shown in their high school years. Selected students are required to complete community-based leadership activities as well as developmental and academic workshops and sessions during their time at UBC. The first year of all Vantage One programs occurs on the Vancouver campus. Then, students continue either on the Vancouver or Okanagan campus, depending on the academic program in which they are enrolled. The Vantage One Excellence Award follows the same pattern. It can travel with award recipients to either campus after the initial year. The current cohort of Vantage One Excellence Award recipients includes 12 students across all years representing 12 countries; 1 new student began their studies in September 2024.

See "Additional Awards" in Appendices for more awards for International Undergraduate students.

Need-Based Awards

1) Domestic Students

UBC Bursary Financial Support

UBC maintains a strong commitment to access for students² by providing bursary support. This commitment is embodied in Policy LR10 – Financial Aid Policy, which states that: *"No Eligible Student (as defined by Policy LR10) will be prevented from commencing or continuing their studies at the University for financial reasons alone ... If an Eligible Student and their family exhaust the financial resources available to them, the University will ensure that financial support will be made available to them."*

UBC meets the commitment to support access for domestic students (Policy LR10) by providing the UBC Bursary program. The program supports the portion of an eligible student's unmet assessed financial need using a Moderate Standard of Living (MSOL) determined by StudentAid BC, not met by government student loans and grants, scholarships, or external bursaries. Bursary spending is the adjusted amount of unmet financial need held by all eligible students. It is a demand-driven program that is subject

² International students are not eligible for the UBC General Bursary program (Policy LR10), but are eligible to receive need-based support for emergency situations or from other UBC scholarship and award programs.

to the number of students who are assessed with unmet financial need, and the magnitude of that need. The bursary is comprised of UBC Operating Funding and Donor funding (i.e., endowed student awards or annual awards), with most of the bursary funding being supported by the UBC Operating Funding. Qualifying students may be able to have portions, or all their unmet need fulfilled by Donor Funding (i.e., endowed student awards or annual donations). Endowed student awards currently have an annual spending rate of 4% of the endowment capital, and the amount available through annual donations fluctuate depending on donors' pledges. UBC Bursary funding is the "last-dollar" support provided for domestic students who have unmet need after factoring in their family or spousal contributions, and funding from government loans and grants.

In FY2025, \$20.1 million in UBC Funding was disbursed through UBC Bursary to 4,048 students. There was no spending level change but a 9% decrease from 4,469 recipients compared to last year (see Tables 3 and 4). Part of the decrease in bursary recipients is due to, compared to the prior year, a 26% decrease in bursary applications across 3 bursary application cycles from 9,698 to 7,154, or a decrease of 24% and 37% for Vancouver and Okanagan campuses, respectively. A Bursary survey would be conducted to understand the reasons behind the decline in applications. UBC sends three email communication reminders to domestic students receiving full-time Canadian government student loans and do not have a bursary application submitted to encourage students to apply for the bursary program before the application deadline.

Vancouver bursary has increased slightly by 2% in bursary funding, albeit a decrease in bursary recipients. This is due to the extra round of donor award adjudication. In FY2025, \$789K has been adjudicated to 1,025 students.

Table 3. UBC Bursary Funding by Campus, Funding Category, and Student Type

The table shows UBC Bursary Funding from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus, student type, fund category, and award type. Amount in thousands.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|-----------------------|-----------------|-------------|------|-----------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|-------------|--------------|-----------------|-------------|--------------|-----------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | \$1,900 | 13% | | \$4,729 | 16% | 149% | \$3,627 | 17% | (23%) | \$2,636 | 13% | (27%) | \$2,332 | 12% | (12%) |
| Graduate | \$495 | 26% | | \$811 | 17% | 64% | \$807 | 22% | (0%) | \$533 | 20% | (34%) | \$584 | 25% | 10% |
| Donor Funding | \$19 | 4% | | \$37 | 5% | 99% | \$31 | 4% | (16%) | \$17 | 3% | (46%) | \$32 | 6% | 91% |
| UBC Operating Funding | \$477 | 96% | | \$774 | 95% | 62% | \$776 | 96% | 0% | \$516 | 97% | (34%) | \$552 | 94% | 7% |
| Undergraduate | \$1,405 | 74% | | \$3,919 | 83% | 179% | \$2,820 | 78% | (28%) | \$2,104 | 80% | (25%) | \$1,748 | 75% | (17%) |
| Donor Funding | \$225 | 16% | | \$207 | 5% | (8%) | \$258 | 9% | 24% | \$238 | 11% | (8%) | \$250 | 14% | 5% |
| UBC Operating Funding | \$1,180 | 84% | | \$3,711 | 95% | 215% | \$2,562 | 91% | (31%) | \$1,866 | 89% | (27%) | \$1,498 | 86% | (20%) |
| Vancouver | \$12,242 | 87% | | \$24,277 | 84% | 98% | \$17,542 | 83% | (28%) | \$17,380 | 87% | (1%) | \$17,761 | 88% | 2% |
| Graduate | \$2,013 | 16% | | \$3,396 | 14% | 69% | \$2,981 | 17% | (12%) | \$2,031 | 12% | (32%) | \$2,186 | 12% | 8% |
| Donor Funding | \$738 | 37% | | \$1,190 | 35% | 61% | \$781 | 26% | (34%) | \$578 | 28% | (26%) | \$493 | 23% | (15%) |
| UBC Operating Funding | \$1,275 | 63% | | \$2,206 | 65% | 73% | \$2,200 | 74% | (0%) | \$1,452 | 72% | (34%) | \$1,693 | 77% | 17% |
| Undergraduate | \$10,229 | 84% | | \$20,881 | 86% | 104% | \$14,560 | 83% | (30%) | \$15,349 | 88% | 5% | \$15,575 | 88% | 1% |
| Donor Funding | \$3,159 | 31% | | \$5,048 | 24% | 60% | \$4,826 | 33% | (4%) | \$5,257 | 34% | 9% | \$5,467 | 35% | 4% |
| UBC Operating Funding | \$7,070 | 69% | | \$15,833 | 76% | 124% | \$9,734 | 67% | (39%) | \$10,092 | 66% | 4% | \$10,108 | 65% | 0% |
| Grand Total | \$14,142 | 100% | | \$29,006 | 100% | 105% | \$21,169 | 100% | (27%) | \$20,016 | 100% | (5%) | \$20,094 | 100% | 0% |

Table 4. Unique Recipients of UBC Bursary Funding by Campus, Funding Category, and Student Type

The table shows the total number of unique students receiving UBC Bursary Funding from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus, student type, fund category, and award type.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------|------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | 555 | 17% | | 771 | 15% | 39% | 707 | 16% | (8%) | 679 | 15% | (4%) | 496 | 12% | (27%) |
| Graduate | 69 | 12% | | 56 | 7% | (19%) | 75 | 11% | 34% | 60 | 9% | (20%) | 51 | 10% | (15%) |
| Donor Funding | 9 | 13% | | 16 | 29% | 78% | 14 | 19% | (13%) | 5 | 8% | (64%) | 9 | 18% | 80% |
| UBC Operating Funding | 69 | 100% | | 56 | 100% | (19%) | 74 | 99% | 32% | 60 | 100% | (19%) | 51 | 100% | (15%) |
| Undergraduate | 486 | 88% | | 715 | 93% | 47% | 633 | 90% | (11%) | 619 | 91% | (2%) | 446 | 90% | (28%) |
| Donor Funding | 109 | 22% | | 99 | 14% | (9%) | 110 | 17% | 11% | 91 | 15% | (17%) | 129 | 29% | 42% |
| UBC Operating Funding | 440 | 91% | | 712 | 100% | 62% | 627 | 99% | (12%) | 610 | 99% | (3%) | 435 | 98% | (29%) |
| Vancouver | 2,748 | 83% | | 4,298 | 85% | 56% | 3,821 | 84% | (11%) | 3,790 | 85% | (1%) | 3,552 | 88% | (6%) |
| Graduate | 372 | 14% | | 448 | 10% | 20% | 491 | 13% | 10% | 445 | 12% | (9%) | 352 | 10% | (21%) |
| Donor Funding | 210 | 56% | | 241 | 54% | 15% | 202 | 41% | (16%) | 239 | 54% | 18% | 159 | 45% | (33%) |
| UBC Operating Funding | 226 | 61% | | 370 | 83% | 64% | 369 | 75% | (0%) | 256 | 58% | (31%) | 277 | 79% | 8% |
| Undergraduate | 2,376 | 86% | | 3,851 | 90% | 62% | 3,330 | 87% | (14%) | 3,345 | 88% | 0% | 3,200 | 90% | (4%) |
| Donor Funding | 1,247 | 52% | | 1,693 | 44% | 36% | 1,728 | 52% | 2% | 2,110 | 63% | 22% | 2,156 | 67% | 2% |
| UBC Operating Funding | 1,582 | 67% | | 3,593 | 93% | 127% | 2,369 | 71% | (34%) | 1,832 | 55% | (23%) | 2,010 | 63% | 10% |
| Grand Total | 3,302 | 100% | | 5,067 | 100% | 53% | 4,527 | 100% | (11%) | 4,469 | 100% | (1%) | 4,048 | 100% | (9%) |

Note(s): Number of recipients is not unique and represents the count of recipients for awards. Because each unique recipient may have received multiple awards from various funding sources, the percentage of recipients across may exceed 100%. Blanks in %YOY denote the error when a number is divided by zero.

UBC Access Promise

UBC is committed to removing barriers to access for dependent students³ from low-income families or self-identified Indigenous students. The UBC Access Promise is a “safety-net” mechanism under the UBC Bursary program, intended to automatically assess the bursary eligibility of BC student loan student recipients without requiring a separate bursary application. Eligible students are domestic undergraduate dependent students enrolled in direct entry programs on the UBC Okanagan or Vancouver campus who received full-time student loans through StudentAid BC and received the maximum Canada Student Grant for Full-Time Students or self-identified Indigenous undergraduate students enrolled at either the Okanagan or Vancouver campus, including Aboriginal Access Studies program. In FY2025, 183 students without bursary applications received \$249,000 through Access Promise. See “UBC Bursary Access Promise” in Appendices for more data.

Students with Lived Experience in Government Care (Both Campuses)

The UBC Post-Care Tuition Waiver program (PTWP), established in 2014, and the BC Provincial Tuition Waiver Program (PTWP), in 2017, fund the tuition for former youth in care (as defined by the Child, Family and Community Services Act) in eligible programs. The UBC Waiver (UBCW) has been retained as a lower-barrier funding stream for those who remain ineligible for the PTWP.

Since these programs began, 256 students have had their tuition paid through one of the tuition waiver programs (77 students benefited from only the UBC Waiver, 105 benefited from the Provincial waiver, and 29 benefited from both). Sixty-nine of these students were Indigenous. Twelve students had their tuition sponsored through child welfare agencies as they were actively in care while attending UBC, then transitioned to one of the waiver programs upon “aging out” at 19 years of age.

In 2024-25, 149 students with lived experience in government care were funded for tuition. This number is up from 110 students in 2023-24 and from 17 students when the first waiver was introduced in 2014. A total of 139 students are funded by the PTWP (101 students at the Vancouver campus and 38 students at the Okanagan campus). The total tuition funded by the PTWP was \$887,332.75 (\$68,746.50 for 2024 Summer and \$818,586.25 for 2024/2025 Winter). Eleven students were funded by the UBCW (10 students at the Vancouver campus and 1 student at the Okanagan campus). The total tuition funded by the UBCW was \$56,115.73 (\$6,230.66 for 2024 Summer and \$49,885.07 for 2024/2025 Winter). One student transitioned after term 1 of the 2024/2025 Winter session from the UBCO Post-Care Tuition Waiver to the PTWP after the student gained eligibility. Thirty-three new students with lived experience in government care were admitted to UBC and funded for the current academic year. Eighty-five PTWP students received the new Learning for Future Grant, and \$297,500 was disbursed directly to students to support education-related costs like technology, books and supplies, and other expenses.

Regardless of their eligibility for funding, all undergraduate students who self-identify as having lived experience in government care are supported at UBC Vancouver through a social community, dedicated programming, and cross-unit partnerships. A designated Enrolment Services Advisor (Vancouver) coordinates with academic, admissions, housing, and Indigenous units on campus and participates in community programming and communities of practice. An Admissions & Awards Administrator (Okanagan) supports students on the Okanagan campus.

Students with Disabilities (Both Campuses)

Several bursaries and scholarships are adjudicated each year through the Awards for Students with Disabilities program on the Vancouver campus. For the 2024 Winter Session, 25 awards ranging in value from \$150 to \$6,300 were disbursed. As some awards are split between multiple recipients, 29 students registered with the Centre for Accessibility received this funding. On the Okanagan campus, bursaries were awarded to 18 students for a total of \$16,700 in spending. A comprehensive financial aid package from their government student loan providers is also available to students on both campuses. For example, StudentAid BC's Accessibility Supports Framework (ASF) is intended to remove disability-related barriers and facilitate access to post-secondary education. BC residents who are student-loan approved and who have a permanent, persistent, or prolonged disability may be eligible for up to \$5,160 in federal and provincial grants, additional financial support for services and equipment, and are approved with a reduced course load of 40% to meet the eligibility criteria. UBC also administers the Assistance Program for Students with Permanent Disabilities (APSD) and the Learning Disability Assessment Bursary (LDAB) on behalf of the Ministry. The APSD is designed to provide additional financial support for students who have exhausted available federal funding towards the cost of exceptional education-related services and adaptive equipment. A student may receive up to \$10,000 in APSD funding per fiscal year and up to \$12,000 if

³ Dependent status is determined by SABC, where a student is financially dependent on parent(s), step-parent(s), sponsor(s), or legal guardian(s). They do not qualify as Independent students. Dependent students have never been married, or do not have dependant children, or have not been out of high school for 48 months, or have not been in the labour force for two periods of 12 consecutive months.

attendant care is required. The LDAB provides a one-time bursary of up to \$3,500 to assist students with the upfront costs of a learning assessment.

World University Service of Canada (Vancouver)

[World University Service of Canada](#) (WUSC) is a Canadian non-profit organization that provides education, employment and empowerment opportunities for youth refugees worldwide. Since 1990, UBC has supported WUSC, providing financial assistance to the [Student Refugee Program](#) (SRP). Together, UBC and the Alma Mater Society (AMS) cover WUSC students' tuition, book fees, housing and living expenses. Living on campus, WUSC students are part of the campus community and have access to opportunities such as employment and student leadership. The financial support model enables students to concentrate on their studies and student life while reducing the burden of debt. The WUSC program is important to promote personal success at UBC and to reduce barriers to resettlement as permanent residents of Canada. WUSC students may be admitted to Vantage College, which provides an admission pathway for students who score slightly below the UBC English Language Admission Standard but are otherwise admissible as undergraduate students. In 2024-25, the Vancouver campus welcomed 9 new students from Burundi, Rwanda, Somalia, South Sudan, and Syria. There are 42 WUSC students in 5 academic programs at all year levels at the Vancouver campus.

2) Domestic Undergraduate Students

Student Housing Supplement Grant (Vancouver)

The [UBC Vancouver Student Housing Supplement Grant](#) supports first-year students from low- and middle-income families living in a UBC-managed residence. The program provides one-time additional funding to support students with a required residence meal plan. Students are automatically considered for the program if they have financial need and receive the maximum Canada Student Grant for full-time students. In 2024-25, \$475,200 was disbursed to students with government student loans.

Student Housing Assistance Grant (Vancouver)

In 2017-18, the Student Housing Assistance Grant, funded by UBC Operating Funding, was introduced at the Vancouver campus for prospective domestic undergraduate students who wished to live in residence but would not be able to do so without financial support. One-time grants of up to \$10,000 each are offered annually to high school or transfer students starting their first undergraduate degree who demonstrate financial need. In 2024-25, 40 students received grants of \$5,000 for a total of \$200,000.

See "Additional Awards" in Appendices for more awards available for domestic undergraduate students.

3) International Students

Mastercard Foundation Scholars Program (Vancouver)

The goal of the [Mastercard Foundation Scholars program](#) is to ignite the exceptional and exponential potential of young people in Africa by working with institutions, ecosystem actors and Scholars to create the conditions that will enable young people to attain inclusive and relevant education, transition smoothly into dignified and fulfilling work, and lead transformative lives. From 2013-to 2023, through a partnership with the Mastercard Foundation, the University of British Columbia has enabled over 171 academically talented young people from Sub-Saharan Africa to access quality education with holistic wrap-around support, including community engagement, leadership development, and transitions support. Based on the program's achievements and the lessons learned from its first phase, UBC has partnered with the Mastercard Foundation for another 10 years to support over 351 graduate students across seven professional master's degree programs. Scholars will experience transformative learning through enriched educational experiences and comprehensive activities. These activities encompass academic and social support, a strong focus on student well-being, personal growth, leadership development, and smooth transitions into meaningful and dignified employment.

The thematic focus will be on key degree programs, including Master of International Forestry, Master of Geomatics for Environmental Management, Master of Sustainable Forest Management from the Faculty of Forestry; Master of Food and Resource Economics, Master of Land and Water Systems, and Master of Food Science from the Faculty of Land and Food Systems; and Master of Data Science from the Faculty of Science. These programs have been selected for their alignment with natural resource management, entrepreneurial focus, capacity for high-quality education, connection to entrepreneurship, and the possibility to tap into existing partnerships in Africa. The Master in Data Science program will be critical in addressing the workforce gap. It also enables evidence-based decision-making for sustainable resource management, optimizing crop yields, and mitigating the impact of environmental challenges.

The next phase of the partnership will support the Scholars Program Theory of Change through:

- **Access & Thrive:** The Program aims to break down barriers to quality education for African youth, equipping them with knowledge and skills to become transformative leaders driving inclusive socio-economic change.
- **Quality and Relevant Learning:** UBC is dedicated to formulating an experiential education model that empowers students to apply their acquired knowledge in solving social and environmental challenges. This will be achieved through active collaboration with various community partners and stakeholders, particularly in sustainable land management, environment, agriculture, and climate-smart initiatives. This forward-looking educational journey will help scholars harmonize their goals with community aspirations.
- **Dignified & Fulfilling Work:** Scholars will have access to a range of academic and social support programs to facilitate their transition into dignified work or start their ventures.
- **Transformative Leadership & Give Back:** Scholars will be provided with opportunities through various hands-on learning experiences and enriched educational training to develop their skills, mindsets, agency, and voice to be catalysts of change. The Program will intentionally foster peer-to-peer learning, mentorship and coaching to foster lifelong development as transformative leaders.

4) All Students

Emergency Support (Both Campuses)

The Emergency Support program exists to support currently enrolled students who are facing unexpected financial distress. UBC recognizes the financial impact an unexpected or sudden situational change can have on a student's ability to pay for immediate living costs. Enrolment Services Advisors (ESAs) on the Vancouver campus and Admissions & Awards Administrators (AAAs) on the Okanagan campus are available to meet with students for a confidential advising appointment to assess their situation, provide timely information and discuss financial support that the University can offer. The well-being of students from overseas is front and centre. While wellness is most often understood to encompass academic, physical, and emotional aspects—financial wellness is increasingly seen to play a crucial role in student development. See “Emergency Support” in Appendices for more information.

Work Learn/Work Study Programs

UBC Vancouver Work Learn and UBC Okanagan Work Study are signature work experience programs at UBC, which, in partnership with faculty and staff, offer a diverse range of outstanding workplace experiences for undergraduate and graduate students studying across all faculties and programs. Funding for these programs continues to enable students to gain valuable access to work experiences supporting research, campus life, experiential education, academic programs and administration. It furthers UBC's investment in career development and support for personal and professional growth in alignment with the aspirations set out in the Student Strategic Plan.

1) UBC Okanagan Work Study Program

This year, the Work Study program at UBC Okanagan has increased its offerings by 22% due to a surplus from the previous year, which stemmed from funding program changes aimed at expanding opportunities for students. These changes included a 20% reduction in the subsidy rate. This strategic adjustment reflects our ongoing commitment to providing more students with meaningful work experiences that enhance their academic and professional development. Another major adjustment was the redistribution of funds to better reflect the student population on the Okanagan campus—90% of funding is now allocated to undergraduate students and 10% to graduate students. While this has resulted in fewer graduate positions, it has enabled a planned increase in opportunities for both domestic and international undergraduate students. As the Work Study program continues to be strengthened, the focus remains on ensuring long-term sustainability and equitable access to work-integrated learning opportunities across both campuses. Ongoing investment in the program will allow for expanded student participation further and continue to align with UBC's broader commitment to career development and student success.

2) UBC Vancouver Work Learn Program

This year, the Work Learn program is operating with a 29% reduction in available funding. This change is primarily due to the conclusion of the Student Work Placement Program (SWPP) funding from the Government of Canada, which provided additional support during the pandemic. Last year marked the final year of the carryover from this funding. Despite this reduction, the \$9/hour subsidy for Work Learn positions, an initiative originally introduced with SWPP funding, has been maintained. While funding levels have shifted, the commitment to providing impactful student experiences remains strong.

Table 5. Work Learn/Work Study Programs Support Funding

The table shows the UBC Funding support given to Work Learn/Work Study program students from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus, by student type.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|--------------------|----------------|-------------|------|----------------|-------------|------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | \$530 | 13% | | \$815 | 15% | 54% | \$751 | 12% | (8%) | \$734 | 9% | (2%) | \$894 | 14% | 22% |
| Graduate | \$314 | 59% | | \$396 | 49% | 26% | \$274 | 36% | (31%) | \$209 | 28% | (24%) | \$102 | 11% | (51%) |
| Undergraduate | \$216 | 41% | | \$418 | 51% | 93% | \$477 | 64% | 14% | \$525 | 72% | 10% | \$792 | 89% | 51% |
| Vancouver | \$3,627 | 87% | | \$4,681 | 85% | 29% | \$5,700 | 88% | 22% | \$7,485 | 91% | 31% | \$5,301 | 86% | (29%) |
| Graduate | \$949 | 26% | | \$1,149 | 25% | 21% | \$1,392 | 24% | 21% | \$1,657 | 22% | 19% | \$1,324 | 25% | (20%) |
| Undergraduate | \$2,678 | 74% | | \$3,532 | 75% | 32% | \$4,309 | 76% | 22% | \$5,828 | 78% | 35% | \$3,976 | 75% | (32%) |
| Grand Total | \$4,157 | 100% | | \$5,495 | 100% | 32% | \$6,452 | 100% | 17% | \$8,220 | 100% | 27% | \$6,194 | 100% | (25%) |

Note(s): Blanks in %YOY denote the error when a number is divided by zero.

Table 6. Unique Recipients of Work Learn/Work Study Program Funding

The table shows the total number of Work Learn/Work Study program students that received assistance from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus, by student type.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|--------------------|--------------|-------------|------|--------------|-------------|------------|--------------|-------------|------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | 124 | 6% | | 208 | 6% | 68% | 273 | 8% | 31% | 250 | 5% | (8%) | 337 | 8% | 35% |
| Graduate | 64 | 52% | | 90 | 43% | 41% | 95 | 35% | 6% | 59 | 24% | (38%) | 36 | 11% | (39%) |
| Undergraduate | 60 | 48% | | 118 | 57% | 97% | 178 | 65% | 51% | 191 | 76% | 7% | 304 | 90% | 59% |
| Vancouver | 2,124 | 94% | | 3,021 | 94% | 42% | 3,120 | 92% | 3% | 4,298 | 95% | 38% | 3,752 | 92% | (13%) |
| Graduate | 488 | 23% | | 674 | 22% | 38% | 691 | 22% | 3% | 918 | 21% | 33% | 899 | 24% | (2%) |
| Undergraduate | 1,637 | 77% | | 2,347 | 78% | 43% | 2,430 | 78% | 4% | 3,401 | 79% | 40% | 2,854 | 76% | (16%) |
| Grand Total | 2,248 | 100% | | 3,229 | 100% | 44% | 3,391 | 100% | 5% | 4,548 | 100% | 34% | 4,089 | 100% | (10%) |

Note(s): Number of recipients is not unique and represents the count of recipients for awards. Because each unique recipient may have received multiple awards from various funding sources, the percentage of recipients across may exceed 100%. Blanks in %YOY denote the error when a number is divided by zero.

UBC Funding for Targeted Student Groups

Indigenous Students

UBC Funding for Indigenous students was \$7.9 million, a 12% increase YoY. Okanagan Indigenous UBC Funding was \$1.7 million, a 3% increase YoY. Vancouver Indigenous UBC Funding was \$6.2 million, a 15% increase from last year (see Table 7).

Table 7. UBC Funding for Indigenous Students by Campus, Student Type, and Award Type

The table shows the UBC Funding for Indigenous Students from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus, student type, and award type. Amount in thousands.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|----------------------|----------------|-------------|------|----------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|--------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | \$879 | 18% | | \$1,735 | 22% | 97% | \$1,425 | 21% | (18%) | \$1,616 | 23% | 13% | \$1,659 | 21% | 3% |
| Graduate | \$278 | 32% | | \$440 | 25% | 59% | \$482 | 34% | 10% | \$625 | 39% | 30% | \$822 | 50% | 32% |
| Merit | \$247 | 89% | | \$350 | 80% | 42% | \$420 | 87% | 20% | \$575 | 92% | 37% | \$790 | 96% | 37% |
| Need | \$26 | 10% | | \$45 | 10% | 68% | \$50 | 10% | 12% | \$31 | 5% | (38%) | \$30 | 4% | (2%) |
| Work Learn | \$5 | 2% | | \$46 | 10% | 852% | \$12 | 3% | (73%) | \$19 | 3% | 54% | \$2 | 0% | (89%) |
| Undergraduate | \$601 | 68% | | \$1,295 | 75% | 115% | \$943 | 66% | (27%) | \$991 | 61% | 5% | \$837 | 50% | (16%) |
| Merit | \$225 | 37% | | \$275 | 21% | 22% | \$257 | 27% | (6%) | \$278 | 28% | 8% | \$295 | 35% | 6% |
| Hybrid | \$88 | 15% | | \$154 | 12% | 74% | \$185 | 20% | 20% | \$225 | 23% | 22% | \$202 | 24% | (10%) |
| Need | \$288 | 48% | | \$849 | 66% | 195% | \$446 | 47% | (47%) | \$472 | 48% | 6% | \$314 | 38% | (33%) |
| Work Learn | \$0 | 0% | | \$17 | 1% | 6939% | \$55 | 6% | 219% | \$16 | 2% | (70%) | \$26 | 3% | 59% |
| Vancouver | \$3,930 | 82% | | \$6,228 | 78% | 58% | \$5,420 | 79% | (13%) | \$5,428 | 77% | 0% | \$6,225 | 79% | 15% |
| Graduate | \$1,212 | 31% | | \$1,428 | 23% | 18% | \$1,628 | 30% | 14% | \$1,975 | 36% | 21% | \$2,306 | 37% | 17% |
| Merit | \$1,050 | 87% | | \$1,234 | 86% | 18% | \$1,387 | 85% | 12% | \$1,851 | 94% | 33% | \$2,118 | 92% | 14% |
| Hybrid | \$23 | 2% | | \$18 | 1% | (22%) | \$14 | 1% | (24%) | \$12 | 1% | (15%) | \$48 | 2% | 321% |
| Need | \$118 | 10% | | \$145 | 10% | 23% | \$184 | 11% | 27% | \$74 | 4% | (60%) | \$102 | 4% | 37% |
| Work Learn | \$21 | 2% | | \$30 | 2% | 46% | \$44 | 3% | 44% | \$38 | 2% | (12%) | \$37 | 2% | (3%) |
| Undergraduate | \$2,719 | 69% | | \$4,800 | 77% | 77% | \$3,792 | 70% | (21%) | \$3,454 | 64% | (9%) | \$3,919 | 63% | 13% |
| Merit | \$853 | 31% | | \$1,008 | 21% | 18% | \$992 | 26% | (2%) | \$1,098 | 32% | 11% | \$1,201 | 31% | 9% |
| Hybrid | \$715 | 26% | | \$886 | 18% | 24% | \$967 | 26% | 9% | \$937 | 27% | (3%) | \$1,140 | 29% | 22% |
| Need | \$1,078 | 40% | | \$2,819 | 59% | 161% | \$1,718 | 45% | (39%) | \$1,256 | 36% | (27%) | \$1,465 | 37% | 17% |
| Work Learn | \$73 | 3% | | \$87 | 2% | 19% | \$114 | 3% | 32% | \$162 | 5% | 42% | \$112 | 3% | (31%) |
| Grand Total | \$4,810 | 100% | | \$7,963 | 100% | 66% | \$6,845 | 100% | (14%) | \$7,045 | 100% | 3% | \$7,885 | 100% | 12% |

Note(s): Blanks in %YOY denote the error when a number is divided by zero.

UBC Funding supported 1,139 unique Indigenous students across both Vancouver and Okanagan campuses, a combined 1% decrease YoY. The number of Indigenous recipients for UBC Okanagan Funding has decreased by 20% YoY to 281. The number of Indigenous recipients for UBC Vancouver Funding has increased 6% YoY to 859 (see Table 8).

Table 8. Unique Recipients of UBC Funding for Indigenous Students by Campus, Student Type, and Award Type

The table shows the total number of unique Indigenous students receiving UBC Funding from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus, award type, and student type.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|----------------------|------------|-------------|------|--------------|-------------|------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | 257 | 29% | | 375 | 30% | 46% | 301 | 29% | (20%) | 350 | 30% | 16% | 281 | 25% | (20%) |
| Graduate | 32 | 12% | | 47 | 13% | 47% | 45 | 15% | (4%) | 59 | 17% | 31% | 70 | 25% | 19% |
| Merit | 27 | 84% | | 39 | 83% | 44% | 37 | 82% | (5%) | 55 | 93% | 49% | 68 | 97% | 24% |
| Need | 5 | 16% | | 9 | 19% | 80% | 4 | 9% | (56%) | 13 | 22% | 225% | 4 | 6% | (69%) |
| Work Learn | 2 | 6% | | 11 | 23% | 450% | 8 | 18% | (27%) | 5 | 8% | (38%) | 1 | 1% | (80%) |
| Undergraduate | 225 | 88% | | 328 | 87% | 46% | 257 | 85% | (22%) | 291 | 83% | 13% | 212 | 75% | (27%) |
| Merit | 127 | 56% | | 148 | 45% | 17% | 148 | 58% | 0% | 147 | 51% | (1%) | 126 | 59% | (14%) |
| Hybrid | 14 | 6% | | 23 | 7% | 64% | 32 | 12% | 39% | 41 | 14% | 28% | 34 | 16% | (17%) |
| Need | 112 | 50% | | 218 | 66% | 95% | 96 | 37% | (56%) | 142 | 49% | 48% | 65 | 31% | (54%) |
| Work Learn | 1 | 0% | | 5 | 2% | 400% | 16 | 6% | 220% | 13 | 4% | (19%) | 12 | 6% | (8%) |
| Vancouver | 616 | 71% | | 866 | 70% | 41% | 749 | 71% | (14%) | 807 | 70% | 8% | 859 | 75% | 6% |
| Graduate | 163 | 26% | | 175 | 20% | 7% | 178 | 24% | 2% | 214 | 27% | 20% | 235 | 27% | 10% |
| Merit | 130 | 80% | | 158 | 90% | 22% | 150 | 84% | (5%) | 192 | 90% | 28% | 216 | 92% | 13% |
| Hybrid | 6 | 4% | | 3 | 2% | (50%) | 5 | 3% | 67% | 7 | 3% | 40% | 10 | 4% | 43% |
| Need | 49 | 30% | | 26 | 15% | (47%) | 27 | 15% | 4% | 26 | 12% | (4%) | 26 | 11% | 0% |
| Work Learn | 12 | 7% | | 23 | 13% | 92% | 22 | 12% | (4%) | 25 | 12% | 14% | 24 | 10% | (4%) |
| Undergraduate | 454 | 74% | | 691 | 80% | 52% | 571 | 76% | (17%) | 593 | 73% | 4% | 624 | 73% | 5% |
| Merit | 231 | 51% | | 257 | 37% | 11% | 251 | 44% | (2%) | 252 | 42% | 0% | 285 | 46% | 13% |
| Hybrid | 107 | 24% | | 116 | 17% | 8% | 131 | 23% | 13% | 138 | 23% | 5% | 148 | 24% | 7% |
| Need | 221 | 49% | | 563 | 81% | 155% | 291 | 51% | (48%) | 312 | 53% | 7% | 288 | 46% | (8%) |
| Work Learn | 40 | 9% | | 57 | 8% | 43% | 61 | 11% | 7% | 88 | 15% | 44% | 78 | 13% | (11%) |
| Grand Total | 873 | 100% | | 1,240 | 100% | 42% | 1,048 | 100% | (15%) | 1,156 | 100% | 10% | 1,139 | 100% | (1%) |

Note(s): Number of recipients is not unique and represents the count of recipients for awards. Because each unique recipient may have received multiple awards from various funding sources, the percentage of recipients across may exceed 100%. Blanks in %YOY denote the error when a number is divided by zero.

See "Additional Awards" in Appendices for more awards for Indigenous students.

Black and People of Colour (BPOC) Students

UBC Funding for Black and People of Colour (BPOC) students was \$2.2 million, a 32% increase YoY. Okanagan BPOC UBC Funding was \$0.4 million, a 63% increase YoY. Vancouver BPOC UBC Funding was \$1.8 million, a 27% increase YoY (see Table 9).

Table 9. UBC Funding for Black and People of Colour Students by Campus, Student Type, and Award Type

The table shows the UBC Funding for Black and People of Colour Students from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus, student type, and award type. Amount in thousands.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|----------------------|-------------|-------------|------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|
| | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | | 0% | | \$45 | 12% | | \$157 | 17% | 251% | \$223 | 13% | 42% | \$364 | 17% | 63% |
| Undergraduate | | 0% | | \$45 | 12% | | \$157 | 17% | 251% | \$223 | 13% | 42% | \$364 | 17% | 63% |
| Merit | | 0% | | | 0% | | | 0% | | \$2 | 0% | | \$15 | 1% | 900% |
| Hybrid | | 0% | | \$30 | 8% | | \$142 | 16% | 366% | \$221 | 13% | 56% | \$346 | 16% | 57% |
| Need | | 0% | | \$14 | 4% | | \$15 | 2% | 5% | \$1 | 0% | (95%) | | | 0% |
| Work Learn | | 0% | | | 0% | | | 0% | | | 0% | | \$3 | 0% | |
| Vancouver | \$35 | 100% | | \$339 | 88% | 879% | \$748 | 83% | 121% | \$1,432 | 87% | 92% | \$1,813 | 83% | 27% |
| Graduate | | 0% | | | 0% | | \$30 | 3% | | \$41 | 2% | 38% | \$164 | 8% | 298% |
| Merit | | 0% | | | 0% | | \$30 | 3% | | \$41 | 2% | 38% | \$164 | 8% | 298% |
| Undergraduate | \$35 | 100% | | \$339 | 88% | 879% | \$718 | 79% | 112% | \$1,391 | 84% | 94% | \$1,649 | 76% | 19% |
| Merit | \$2 | 6% | | \$11 | 3% | 460% | \$74 | 8% | 560% | \$363 | 22% | 391% | \$332 | 15% | (8%) |
| Hybrid | \$30 | 87% | | \$188 | 49% | 527% | \$540 | 60% | 188% | \$882 | 53% | 63% | \$1,203 | 55% | 36% |
| Need | \$3 | 8% | | \$136 | 36% | 5146% | \$100 | 11% | (27%) | \$136 | 8% | 36% | \$101 | 5% | (26%) |
| Work Learn | | 0% | | \$3 | 1% | | \$3 | 0% | (9%) | \$10 | 1% | 215% | \$12 | 1% | 22% |
| Grand Total | \$35 | 100% | | \$384 | 100% | 1009% | \$904 | 100% | 136% | \$1,655 | 100% | 83% | \$2,177 | 100% | 32% |

Note(s): Blanks in %YOY denote the error when a number is divided by zero.

UBC Funding supported 163 unique Black Canadian students across both Vancouver and Okanagan campuses, a combined 11% increase YoY. The number of Black Canadian recipients for UBC Okanagan Funding has increased by 58% YoY to 19. The number of Black Canadian recipients for UBC Vancouver Funding has also increased 7% YoY to 144 (see Table 10).

Table 10. Unique Recipients of UBC Funding for Black and People of Colour Students by Campus, Student Type, and Award Type

The table shows the total number of unique students receiving UBC Funding for Black and People of Colour from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus, student type, and award type.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|----------------------|-----------|-------------|------|-----------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | | 0% | | 2 | 9% | | 8 | 14% | 300% | 12 | 8% | 50% | 19 | 12% | 58% |
| Undergraduate | | 0% | | 2 | 9% | | 8 | 14% | 300% | 12 | 8% | 50% | 19 | 12% | 58% |
| Merit | | 0% | | | 0% | | | 0% | | 3 | 2% | | 3 | 2% | 0% |
| Hybrid | | 0% | | 2 | 9% | | 8 | 14% | 300% | 12 | 8% | 50% | 19 | 12% | 58% |
| Need | | 0% | | 2 | 9% | | 2 | 3% | 0% | 3 | 2% | 50% | | 0% | |
| Work Learn | | 0% | | | 0% | | | 0% | | | 0% | | 2 | 1% | |
| Vancouver | 9 | 100% | | 21 | 91% | 133% | 51 | 86% | 143% | 135 | 92% | 165% | 144 | 88% | 7% |
| Graduate | | 0% | | | 0% | | 3 | 5% | | 7 | 5% | 133% | 3 | 2% | (57%) |
| Merit | | 0% | | | 0% | | 3 | 5% | | 7 | 5% | 133% | 3 | 2% | (57%) |
| Undergraduate | 9 | 100% | | 21 | 91% | 133% | 48 | 81% | 129% | 128 | 87% | 167% | 141 | 87% | 10% |
| Merit | 1 | 11% | | 2 | 9% | 100% | 11 | 19% | 450% | 74 | 50% | 573% | 71 | 44% | (4%) |
| Hybrid | 9 | 100% | | 20 | 87% | 122% | 42 | 71% | 110% | 68 | 46% | 62% | 80 | 49% | 18% |
| Need | 1 | 11% | | 13 | 57% | 1200% | 22 | 37% | 69% | 32 | 22% | 45% | 26 | 16% | (19%) |
| Work Learn | | 0% | | 2 | 9% | | 3 | 5% | 50% | 8 | 5% | 167% | 10 | 6% | 25% |
| Grand Total | 9 | 100% | | 23 | 100% | 156% | 59 | 100% | 157% | 147 | 100% | 149% | 163 | 100% | 11% |

Note(s): Number of recipients is not unique and represents the count of recipients for awards. Because each unique recipient may have received multiple awards from various funding sources, the percentage of recipients across may exceed 100%. Blanks in %YOY denote the error when a number is divided by zero.

Former-Youth-In-Care (FYIC) Students

UBC Funding for Former-Youth-In-Care (FYIC) students was \$0.5 million, a 3% decrease YoY. Okanagan FYIC UBC Funding was \$66k, a 41% increase YoY. Vancouver FYIC UBC Funding was \$454k, a 7% decrease YoY (see Table 11).

Table 11. UBC Funding for Former-Youth-In-Care Students by Campus, Award Type, and Student Type

The table shows the UBC Funding for Former-Youth-In-Care Students from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus, student type, and award type. Amount in thousands.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|----------------------|--------------|-------------|------|--------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|
| | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | \$33 | 13% | | \$192 | 28% | 484% | \$78 | 14% | (60%) | \$47 | 9% | (40%) | \$66 | 13% | 41% |
| Undergraduate | \$33 | 13% | | \$192 | 28% | 484% | \$78 | 14% | (60%) | \$47 | 9% | (40%) | \$66 | 13% | 41% |
| Merit | | 0% | | \$4 | 1% | | \$2 | 0% | (62%) | \$8 | 1% | 412% | \$17 | 3% | 121% |
| Hybrid | \$13 | 5% | | \$11 | 2% | (21%) | \$25 | 5% | 138% | \$10 | 2% | (60%) | \$24 | 5% | 136% |
| Need | \$20 | 8% | | \$177 | 26% | 810% | \$49 | 9% | (72%) | \$29 | 5% | (42%) | \$26 | 5% | (10%) |
| Work Learn | | 0% | | | 0% | | \$2 | 0% | | \$1 | 0% | (65%) | | 0% | |
| Vancouver | \$212 | 87% | | \$483 | 72% | 128% | \$459 | 86% | (5%) | \$488 | 91% | 6% | \$454 | 87% | (7%) |
| Undergraduate | \$212 | 87% | | \$483 | 72% | 128% | \$459 | 86% | (5%) | \$488 | 91% | 6% | \$454 | 87% | (7%) |
| Merit | \$10 | 4% | | \$22 | 3% | 121% | \$40 | 7% | 85% | \$59 | 11% | 49% | \$20 | 4% | (66%) |
| Hybrid | \$60 | 24% | | \$83 | 12% | 38% | \$149 | 28% | 79% | \$173 | 32% | 17% | \$224 | 43% | 29% |
| Need | \$140 | 57% | | \$373 | 55% | 167% | \$266 | 50% | (29%) | \$242 | 45% | (9%) | \$206 | 40% | (15%) |
| Work Learn | \$2 | 1% | | \$5 | 1% | 89% | \$5 | 1% | 3% | \$13 | 2% | 172% | \$3 | 1% | (74%) |
| Grand Total | \$245 | 100% | | \$674 | 100% | 175% | \$537 | 100% | (20%) | \$535 | 100% | (0%) | \$520 | 100% | (3%) |

Note(s): Blanks in %YoY denote the error when a number is divided by zero.

UBC Funding supported 94 unique FYIC students across both Vancouver and Okanagan campuses, a combined 11% increase YoY. FYIC recipients for UBC Okanagan Funding have increased by 33% YoY to 28. FYIC recipients for UBC Vancouver Funding have also increased 3% YoY to 66 (see Table 12).

Table 12. Unique Recipients of UBC Funding for Former-Youth-In-Care Students by Campus, Award Type, and Student Type

The table shows the total number of unique students receiving UBC Funding for Former-Youth-In-Care from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus, student type, and award type.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|----------------------|-----------|-------------|------|-----------|-------------|------------|-----------|-------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|------------|-----------|-------------|------------|
| | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | 19 | 34% | | 19 | 26% | 0% | 18 | 24% | (5%) | 21 | 25% | 17% | 28 | 30% | 33% |
| Undergraduate | 19 | 34% | | 19 | 26% | 0% | 18 | 24% | (5%) | 21 | 25% | 17% | 28 | 30% | 33% |
| Merit | | 0% | | 2 | 3% | | 2 | 3% | 0% | 6 | 7% | 200% | 6 | 6% | 0% |
| Hybrid | 3 | 5% | | 2 | 3% | (33%) | 2 | 3% | 0% | 1 | 1% | (50%) | 3 | 3% | 200% |
| Need | 18 | 32% | | 19 | 26% | 6% | 18 | 24% | (5%) | 21 | 25% | 17% | 22 | 23% | 5% |
| Work Learn | | 0% | | | 0% | | 1 | 1% | | 1 | 1% | 0% | | 0% | |
| Vancouver | 37 | 66% | | 54 | 74% | 46% | 58 | 76% | 7% | 64 | 75% | 10% | 66 | 70% | 3% |
| Undergraduate | 37 | 66% | | 54 | 74% | 46% | 58 | 76% | 7% | 64 | 75% | 10% | 66 | 70% | 3% |
| Merit | 4 | 7% | | 6 | 8% | 50% | 10 | 13% | 67% | 12 | 14% | 20% | 10 | 11% | (17%) |
| Hybrid | 8 | 14% | | 10 | 14% | 25% | 14 | 18% | 40% | 15 | 18% | 7% | 19 | 20% | 27% |
| Need | 35 | 63% | | 53 | 73% | 51% | 52 | 68% | (2%) | 55 | 65% | 6% | 49 | 52% | (11%) |
| Work Learn | 2 | 4% | | 4 | 5% | 100% | 4 | 5% | 0% | 8 | 9% | 100% | 3 | 3% | (63%) |
| Grand Total | 56 | 100% | | 73 | 100% | 30% | 76 | 100% | 4% | 85 | 100% | 12% | 94 | 100% | 11% |

Note(s): Number of recipients is not unique and represents the count of recipients for awards. Because each unique recipient may have received multiple awards from various funding sources, the percentage of recipients across may exceed 100%. Blanks in %YOY denote the error when a number is divided by zero.

Government Student Loans Programs

Canada Student Financial Assistance (CSFA) Program

All domestic undergraduate or graduate students can apply for Canadian government financial assistance from the Canada Student Financial Assistance (CSFA) Program through the provinces or territories where students have established residency. Student’s allowable costs and financial contributions (or resources) are assessed, where students with assessed financial need will be eligible for both non-repayable grants and repayable loans (see Tables 13 and 14).

Table 13. Canada Student Financial Assistance Program Funding by Campus and Student Type

The table shows the Canada Student Financial Assistance Program Funding from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus, and student type. Amount in thousands.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|----------------------|------------------|-------------|------|------------------|-------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|------------|------------------|-------------|------------|------------------|-------------|-----------|
| | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | \$39,393 | 18% | | \$36,912 | 18% | (6%) | \$38,489 | 18% | 4% | \$47,443 | 17% | 23% | \$48,995 | 17% | 3% |
| Graduate | \$3,138 | 8% | | \$2,580 | 7% | (18%) | \$2,919 | 8% | 13% | \$4,144 | 9% | 42% | \$4,159 | 8% | 0% |
| Repayable Loans | \$2,764 | 88% | | \$2,190 | 85% | (21%) | \$2,476 | 85% | 13% | \$3,764 | 91% | 52% | \$3,786 | 91% | 1% |
| Non-Repayable Grants | \$375 | 12% | | \$390 | 15% | 4% | \$443 | 15% | 14% | \$380 | 9% | (14%) | \$373 | 9% | (2%) |
| Undergraduate | \$36,255 | 92% | | \$34,332 | 93% | (5%) | \$35,570 | 92% | 4% | \$43,298 | 91% | 22% | \$44,836 | 92% | 4% |
| Repayable Loans | \$24,035 | 66% | | \$21,378 | 62% | (11%) | \$22,600 | 64% | 6% | \$32,728 | 76% | 45% | \$34,485 | 77% | 5% |
| Non-Repayable Grants | \$12,220 | 34% | | \$12,954 | 38% | 6% | \$12,971 | 36% | 0% | \$10,570 | 24% | (19%) | \$10,351 | 23% | (2%) |
| Vancouver | \$182,807 | 82% | | \$165,033 | 82% | (10%) | \$174,572 | 82% | 6% | \$228,176 | 83% | 31% | \$238,200 | 83% | 4% |
| Graduate | \$21,764 | 12% | | \$18,357 | 11% | (16%) | \$19,953 | 11% | 9% | \$29,648 | 13% | 49% | \$31,851 | 13% | 7% |
| Repayable Loans | \$20,075 | 92% | | \$16,479 | 90% | (18%) | \$17,983 | 90% | 9% | \$27,352 | 92% | 52% | \$29,466 | 93% | 8% |
| Non-Repayable Grants | \$1,688 | 8% | | \$1,878 | 10% | 11% | \$1,969 | 10% | 5% | \$2,296 | 8% | 17% | \$2,385 | 7% | 4% |
| Undergraduate | \$161,043 | 88% | | \$146,676 | 89% | (9%) | \$154,619 | 89% | 5% | \$198,528 | 87% | 28% | \$206,349 | 87% | 4% |
| Repayable Loans | \$103,732 | 64% | | \$87,013 | 59% | (16%) | \$92,907 | 60% | 7% | \$146,507 | 74% | 58% | \$155,213 | 75% | 6% |
| Non-Repayable Grants | \$57,311 | 36% | | \$59,663 | 41% | 4% | \$61,713 | 40% | 3% | \$52,021 | 26% | (16%) | \$51,137 | 25% | (2%) |
| Grand Total | \$222,200 | 100% | | \$201,945 | 100% | (9%) | \$213,061 | 100% | 6% | \$275,619 | 100% | 29% | \$287,195 | 100% | 4% |

Note(s): Blanks in %YOY denote the error when a number is divided by zero.

Table 14. Unique Recipients of Canada Student Financial Assistance Program Funding by Campus and Student Type

The table shows the number of unique students who received the Canada Student Financial Assistance Program from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus and student type.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|----------------------|---------------|-------------|------|---------------|-------------|-----------|---------------|-------------|------------|---------------|-------------|------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|
| | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | 2,588 | 19% | | 2,663 | 18% | 3% | 2,730 | 18% | 3% | 2,963 | 18% | 9% | 2,963 | 18% | 0% |
| Graduate | 160 | 6% | | 160 | 6% | 0% | 182 | 7% | 14% | 209 | 7% | 15% | 204 | 7% | (2%) |
| Repayable Loans | 156 | 98% | | 154 | 96% | (1%) | 177 | 97% | 15% | 201 | 96% | 14% | 199 | 98% | (1%) |
| Non-Repayable Grants | 71 | 44% | | 79 | 49% | 11% | 92 | 51% | 16% | 91 | 44% | (1%) | 84 | 41% | (8%) |
| Undergraduate | 2,428 | 94% | | 2,504 | 94% | 3% | 2,550 | 93% | 2% | 2,755 | 93% | 8% | 2,761 | 93% | 0% |
| Repayable Loans | 2,326 | 96% | | 2,391 | 95% | 3% | 2,452 | 96% | 3% | 2,680 | 97% | 9% | 2,702 | 98% | 1% |
| Non-Repayable Grants | 2,028 | 84% | | 2,068 | 83% | 2% | 2,033 | 80% | (2%) | 2,225 | 81% | 9% | 2,172 | 79% | (2%) |
| Vancouver | 11,330 | 81% | | 11,787 | 82% | 4% | 12,135 | 82% | 3% | 13,270 | 82% | 9% | 13,370 | 82% | 1% |
| Graduate | 1,336 | 12% | | 1,347 | 11% | 1% | 1,435 | 12% | 7% | 1,578 | 12% | 10% | 1,617 | 12% | 2% |
| Repayable Loans | 1,312 | 98% | | 1,324 | 98% | 1% | 1,411 | 98% | 7% | 1,551 | 98% | 10% | 1,590 | 98% | 3% |
| Non-Repayable Grants | 443 | 33% | | 438 | 33% | (1%) | 450 | 31% | 3% | 522 | 33% | 16% | 526 | 33% | 1% |
| Undergraduate | 9,995 | 88% | | 10,441 | 89% | 4% | 10,703 | 88% | 3% | 11,694 | 88% | 9% | 11,755 | 88% | 1% |
| Repayable Loans | 9,582 | 96% | | 9,972 | 96% | 4% | 10,219 | 95% | 2% | 11,362 | 97% | 11% | 11,444 | 97% | 1% |
| Non-Repayable Grants | 8,921 | 89% | | 9,126 | 87% | 2% | 9,258 | 86% | 1% | 10,133 | 87% | 9% | 9,985 | 85% | (1%) |
| Grand Total | 13,913 | 100% | | 14,444 | 100% | 4% | 14,862 | 100% | 3% | 16,231 | 100% | 9% | 16,331 | 100% | 1% |

Note(s): Number of recipients is not unique and represents the count of recipients for awards. Because each unique recipient may have received multiple awards from various funding sources, the percentage of recipients across may exceed 100%. Blanks in %YOY denote the error when a number is divided by zero.

1) Canada Student Loans (Repayable)

Both federal and provincial governments offer student loans to full-time post-secondary students. Canada Student Loans have extended an increase in the weekly maximum of up to \$300 per week for another year to 2024-25. Additionally, for BC Student Loans, students without dependents can receive up to a maximum of up to \$220 per week, and students with dependents up to \$280 per week with a top-up of \$160 per week if the award is below need. The total combined maximum is \$520 per week for students without dependents and \$740 per week for students with dependents.

2) Canada Student Grants (Non-Repayable)

Canada Student Grants (CSG) offers non-repayable grant funding for Full-Time Students, Full-Time Students with Dependents, Students with Disabilities, Part-Time Studies and Part-Time Studies with Dependents. As part of affordability measures, CSG has temporarily increased to 40% above pre-pandemic levels. Of all the CSGs, the Canada Student Grant for Full-Time Students is assessed and has provided most students with the most benefits. It is a single-progressive, non-repayable financial assistance to students from low and middle-income families, automatically based on students' prior year total family income, family size, and length of study period. An income threshold is used to determine the amount of grant funding to be awarded, which means that students whose total family income falls below the respective income threshold may be eligible for a partial grant.

3) Canada Student Financial Assistance Program Interest Rate and Loan Repayments

Effective April 1, 2023, the Government of Canada has permanently eliminated the accumulation of interest on Canada Student Loans, joining interest-free BC Government-issued student loans from February 19, 2019.

4) Canada Student Loan Repayment Rate ⁴

Every year since 2013, UBC students have demonstrated a repayment rate that exceeds the national average. In 2024, UBC achieved a repayment rate of 97.8%. It represents the amount of principle that has either been paid in full or in good standing at the time of loan consolidation between August 1, 2022 and July 31, 2023. The total loan dollar value was \$95.9 million, with 4,952 borrowers meeting their obligation (see Table 15).

Table 15. Debt Repayment Trend

The table shows the debt repayment trend from 2020 to 2024, categorized by cohort.

| Year Measured | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2023 | 2024 |
|----------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Cohort | 2018-19 | 2019-20 | 2020-21 | 2021-22 | 2022-23 |
| Principal at Consolidation | \$81.6 | \$81.1M | \$81.5M | \$98.0M | \$95.9M |

⁴ <http://tools.canlearn.ca/cs/sgs-scpsc/cfn-cln/rtr-rrr/details-eng.do?rateYear=2020>

| | | | | | |
|---------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Number of Borrowers | 4,665 | 4,632 | 4,392 | 4,874 | 4,952 |
| UBC Repayment Rate | 95.1% | 96.5% | 97.0% | 97.2% | 97.8% |
| National Threshold | 85.2% | 85.2% | 85.2% | 85.2% | 85.2% |
| Minimum Threshold | 60.0% | 60.0% | 60.0% | 60.0% | 60.0% |

US Federal Direct Loans

In FY2025, the US Federal Direct Loan program disbursed \$7.2 million to UBC students, representing a 16% increase YoY. UBC Okanagan administered \$0.5 million, and UBC Vancouver administered \$6.7 million (see Table 16).

Table 16. US Federal Direct Loan Funding by Campus and Student Type

The table shows the US Federal Direct Loan Funding from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus, and student type. Amount in thousands.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|--------------------|----------------|-------------|------|----------------|-------------|------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|----------------|-------------|--------------|----------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | \$653 | 10% | | \$815 | 12% | 25% | \$827 | 12% | 1% | \$745 | 12% | (10%) | \$502 | 7% | (33%) |
| Graduate | | 0% | | \$12 | 1% | | | 0% | | \$12 | 2% | | \$44 | 9% | 277% |
| Undergraduate | \$653 | 100% | | \$804 | 99% | 23% | \$827 | 100% | 3% | \$733 | 98% | (11%) | \$458 | 91% | (38%) |
| Vancouver | \$5,789 | 90% | | \$6,167 | 88% | 7% | \$6,073 | 88% | (2%) | \$5,497 | 88% | (9%) | \$6,745 | 93% | 23% |
| Graduate | \$1,832 | 32% | | \$1,998 | 32% | 9% | \$1,913 | 32% | (4%) | \$1,352 | 25% | (29%) | \$1,452 | 22% | 7% |
| Undergraduate | \$3,957 | 68% | | \$4,169 | 68% | 5% | \$4,160 | 68% | (0%) | \$4,145 | 75% | (0%) | \$5,293 | 78% | 28% |
| Grand Total | \$6,442 | 100% | | \$6,982 | 100% | 8% | \$6,900 | 100% | (1%) | \$6,242 | 100% | (10%) | \$7,247 | 100% | 16% |

Note(s): Blanks in %YOY denote the error when a number is divided by zero.

In FY2025, the US Federal Direct Loan program disbursed funds to 205 UBC students, representing a 9% decrease YoY. US Funding for UBC Okanagan students was provided to 17 students. US Funding for UBC Vancouver students went to 188 students (see Table 17).

Table 17. Unique Recipients of US Federal Direct Loan Program Funding by Campus and Student Type

The table shows the number of unique students who received the US Federal Direct Loan Program from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus, and student type.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|--------------------|------------|-------------|------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|--------------|------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | 28 | 10% | | 32 | 12% | 14% | 31 | 13% | (3%) | 25 | 11% | (19%) | 17 | 8% | (32%) |
| Graduate | | 0% | | 2 | 6% | | | 0% | | 1 | 4% | | 1 | 6% | 0% |
| Undergraduate | 28 | 100% | | 30 | 94% | 7% | 31 | 100% | 3% | 24 | 96% | (23%) | 16 | 94% | (33%) |
| Vancouver | 247 | 90% | | 231 | 88% | (6%) | 211 | 87% | (9%) | 201 | 89% | (5%) | 188 | 92% | (6%) |
| Graduate | 92 | 37% | | 87 | 38% | (5%) | 84 | 40% | (3%) | 70 | 35% | (17%) | 60 | 32% | (14%) |
| Undergraduate | 155 | 63% | | 144 | 62% | (7%) | 127 | 60% | (12%) | 131 | 65% | 3% | 128 | 68% | (2%) |
| Grand Total | 275 | 100% | | 263 | 100% | (4%) | 242 | 100% | (8%) | 226 | 100% | (7%) | 205 | 100% | (9%) |

Note(s): Number of recipients is not unique and represents the count of recipients for awards. Because each unique recipient may have received multiple awards from various funding sources, the percentage of recipients across may exceed 100%. Blanks in %YOY denote the error when a number is divided by zero.

1) US Federal Direct Loan Interest Rates and Repayments

UBC is an approved Title IV institution, which means that UBC students who are US citizens or eligible noncitizens (including US nationals and permanent residents) can access the US Federal Direct Loan program, including direct subsidized and direct unsubsidized loans. Direct subsidized loans are based on financial need, and the US Department of Education pays the interest on the loan while the student is registered and throughout a grace period. Unsubsidized loans offer low, fixed interest rates and flexible repayment terms.

The fixed interest rates ⁵ for Direct Loans first disbursed on or after July 1, 2024, and before July 1, 2024 are:

- 6.53% for Undergraduate students borrowing Direct Subsidized Loans and Direct Unsubsidized Loans
- 8.08% for Graduate or Professional students borrowing Direct Unsubsidized Loans
- 9.08% for Parents and Graduate or Professional Students borrowing Direct PLUS Loans.

⁵ <https://studentaid.gov/understand-aid/types/loans/interest-rates>

Total Student Financial Support

In FY2025, \$475.4 million in total student financial support (Government Funding, UBC Operating Funding, Donor Funding and External Funding) was provided to UBC students, representing a \$11.8 million (3%) increase year over year (YoY). Of the \$475.4 million, Government Funding accounted for \$299.7 million, followed by UBC Operating Fund of \$114.7 million, Donor Funding of \$30.0 million, and External Funding of \$31.0 million. Compared to the prior year, FY2025 Government Funding increased by 4%, UBC Operating Fund decreased by 7%, Donor Funding increased by 6%, and External Funding increased by 20%. UBC Funding, the terminology used to represent the combination of UBC Operating Fund and Donor Funding, was \$144.8 million, decreased by 4%, or \$6.3 million, compared to the prior year (see Table 18).

Table 18. Total Student Financial Support by Funding Source

The table shows the total student financial support from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by funding source. Amount in thousands.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|-----------------------|------------------|-------------|------|------------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|------------|------------------|-------------|-----------|
| | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY |
| Government Funding | \$232,924 | 59% | | \$210,138 | 53% | (10%) | \$221,763 | 56% | 6% | \$286,806 | 62% | 29% | \$299,652 | 63% | 4% |
| UBC Operating Funding | \$109,447 | 28% | | \$130,988 | 33% | 20% | \$120,670 | 31% | (8%) | \$122,723 | 26% | 2% | \$114,710 | 24% | (7%) |
| Donor Funding | \$24,908 | 6% | | \$27,650 | 7% | 11% | \$27,574 | 7% | (0%) | \$28,311 | 6% | 3% | \$30,056 | 6% | 6% |
| External Funding | \$25,051 | 6% | | \$24,023 | 6% | (4%) | \$24,329 | 6% | 1% | \$25,755 | 6% | 6% | \$31,013 | 7% | 20% |
| Grand Total | \$392,330 | 100% | | \$392,799 | 100% | 0.1% | \$394,336 | 100% | 0.4% | \$463,595 | 100% | 18% | \$475,431 | 100% | 3% |

Note(s): Blanks in %YOY denote the error when a number is divided by zero.

A total of 33,672 UBC students received at least one form of financial assistance, representing 46% of the full-time student population (N=72,692⁶). Compared to the prior year, the total number of unique students supported in FY2025 decreased by 4% YoY (see Table 19).

Table 19. Unique Recipients of Total Student Financial Support by Funding Source

The table shows the total number of unique students receiving financial support from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by funding source.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|-----------------------|---------------|-------------|------|---------------|-------------|------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|-----------|---------------|-------------|-------------|
| | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY |
| Government Funding | 14,588 | 47% | | 14,944 | 44% | 2% | 15,327 | 47% | 3% | 17,179 | 49% | 12% | 17,279 | 51% | 1% |
| UBC Operating Funding | 17,975 | 58% | | 23,544 | 69% | 31% | 20,155 | 62% | (14%) | 20,932 | 60% | 4% | 19,211 | 57% | (8%) |
| Donor Funding | 7,124 | 23% | | 6,654 | 20% | (7%) | 6,986 | 22% | 5% | 8,210 | 23% | 18% | 7,266 | 22% | (11%) |
| External Funding | 2,417 | 8% | | 2,394 | 7% | (1%) | 2,439 | 8% | 2% | 2,522 | 7% | 3% | 2,537 | 8% | 1% |
| Grand Total | 30,863 | 100% | | 34,030 | 100% | 10% | 32,389 | 100% | (5%) | 34,994 | 100% | 8% | 33,672 | 100% | (4%) |

Note(s): Number of recipients is not unique and represents the count of recipients for awards. Because each unique recipient may have received multiple awards from various funding sources, the percentage of recipients across may exceed 100%. Blanks in %YOY denote the error when a number is divided by zero.

Total Student Financial Support, by Campus and Funding Source

UBC Okanagan students received \$73.0 million (15% of \$475.4 million) in total student financial support, representing \$0.6 million, or a 1% increase YoY (see Table 20 Okanagan). Of the \$73.0 million in UBC Okanagan's total student financial support, \$51.7 million was from Government Funding, \$16.3 million from UBC Operating Fund, \$2.0 million from Donor Funding, and \$3.0 million from External Funding. Okanagan UBC Funding, the terminology used to represent the combination of Okanagan UBC Operating Fund and Donor Funding, was \$18.3 million, decreased by 5%, or \$1.0 million, compared to the prior year.

UBC Vancouver students received \$402.4 million (85% of \$475.4 million) in student financial support, representing \$11.2 million, a 3% increase YoY (see Table 20 Vancouver). Of the \$402.4 million in UBC Vancouver's total student financial support, \$248.0 million came from Government Funding, \$98.4 million from UBC Operating Fund, \$28.1 million from Donor Funding, and \$28.0 million from External Funding. Vancouver UBC Funding, the terminology used to represent the combination of Vancouver UBC Operating Fund and Donor Funding, is \$126.4 million, which decreased by 4%, or \$5.3 million, compared to the prior year.

⁶ Based on FY2025 UBC Annual Enrolment Report, Table 4: Overall Student Headcount, By Year, By Campus

Table 20. Total Student Financial Support by Campus and Funding Source

The table shows UBC's total student financial support from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus and funding source. Amount in thousands.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|-----------------------|------------------|-------------|------|------------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|------------|------------------|-------------|-----------|
| | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | \$58,629 | 15% | | \$63,107 | 16% | 8% | \$61,776 | 16% | (2%) | \$72,378 | 16% | 17% | \$73,010 | 15% | 1% |
| Government Funding | \$40,468 | 69% | | \$38,023 | 60% | (6%) | \$39,622 | 64% | 4% | \$50,222 | 69% | 27% | \$51,675 | 71% | 3% |
| UBC Operating Funding | \$13,639 | 23% | | \$20,978 | 33% | 54% | \$17,446 | 28% | (17%) | \$17,106 | 24% | (2%) | \$16,339 | 22% | (4%) |
| Donor Funding | \$2,036 | 3% | | \$1,796 | 3% | (12%) | \$2,247 | 4% | 25% | \$2,245 | 3% | (0%) | \$2,007 | 3% | (11%) |
| External Funding | \$2,486 | 4% | | \$2,310 | 4% | (7%) | \$2,460 | 4% | 6% | \$2,806 | 4% | 14% | \$2,989 | 4% | 7% |
| Vancouver | \$333,701 | 85% | | \$329,693 | 84% | (1%) | \$332,561 | 84% | 1% | \$391,217 | 84% | 18% | \$402,422 | 85% | 3% |
| Government Funding | \$192,456 | 58% | | \$172,115 | 52% | (11%) | \$182,141 | 55% | 6% | \$236,584 | 60% | 30% | \$247,977 | 62% | 5% |
| UBC Operating Funding | \$95,808 | 29% | | \$110,010 | 33% | 15% | \$103,224 | 31% | (6%) | \$105,617 | 27% | 2% | \$98,371 | 24% | (7%) |
| Donor Funding | \$22,872 | 7% | | \$25,854 | 8% | 13% | \$25,326 | 8% | (2%) | \$26,066 | 7% | 3% | \$28,050 | 7% | 8% |
| External Funding | \$22,565 | 7% | | \$21,713 | 7% | (4%) | \$21,870 | 7% | 1% | \$22,949 | 6% | 5% | \$28,025 | 7% | 22% |
| Grand Total | \$392,330 | 100% | | \$392,799 | 100% | 0.1% | \$394,336 | 100% | 0.4% | \$463,595 | 100% | 18% | \$475,431 | 100% | 3% |

Note(s): Blanks in %YOY denote the error when a number is divided by zero.

For Okanagan, in FY2025, 5,751 students, or 49% of UBC Okanagan students (N=11,748 ⁷), have received at least one form of student financial support. It also represents about 17% of the total 33,672 unique recipients system-wide and a 15% decrease YoY (see Table 21 Okanagan).

For Vancouver, in FY2025, 27,929, or 46% of UBC Vancouver students (N=60,944 ⁸), have received at least one form of student financial support. It also represents 83% of the total 33,672 unique recipients system-wide and a 1% decrease YoY (see Table 21 Vancouver).

Table 21. Unique Recipients of Total Student Financial Support by Campus and Funding Source

The table shows UBC's unique students receiving total financial support from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus and funding source.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|-----------------------|---------------|-------------|------|---------------|-------------|------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | 5,868 | 19% | | 6,562 | 19% | 12% | 6,043 | 19% | (8%) | 6,729 | 19% | 11% | 5,751 | 17% | (15%) |
| Government Funding | 2,679 | 46% | | 2,754 | 42% | 3% | 2,800 | 46% | 2% | 3,407 | 51% | 22% | 3,402 | 59% | (0%) |
| Donor Funding | 1,303 | 22% | | 579 | 9% | (56%) | 668 | 11% | 15% | 1,195 | 18% | 79% | 605 | 11% | (49%) |
| External Funding | 500 | 9% | | 447 | 7% | (11%) | 446 | 7% | (0%) | 505 | 8% | 13% | 490 | 9% | (3%) |
| UBC Operating Funding | 3,560 | 61% | | 4,970 | 76% | 40% | 4,069 | 67% | (18%) | 4,304 | 64% | 6% | 2,821 | 49% | (34%) |
| Vancouver | 25,001 | 81% | | 27,482 | 81% | 10% | 26,357 | 81% | (4%) | 28,274 | 81% | 7% | 27,929 | 83% | (1%) |
| Government Funding | 11,914 | 48% | | 12,196 | 44% | 2% | 12,530 | 48% | 3% | 13,774 | 49% | 10% | 13,880 | 50% | 1% |
| Donor Funding | 5,821 | 23% | | 6,075 | 22% | 4% | 6,318 | 24% | 4% | 7,016 | 25% | 11% | 6,661 | 24% | (5%) |
| External Funding | 1,917 | 8% | | 1,947 | 7% | 2% | 1,993 | 8% | 2% | 2,017 | 7% | 1% | 2,047 | 7% | 1% |
| UBC Operating Funding | 14,415 | 58% | | 18,582 | 68% | 29% | 16,093 | 61% | (13%) | 16,631 | 59% | 3% | 16,393 | 59% | (1%) |
| Grand Total | 30,863 | 100% | | 34,030 | 100% | 10% | 32,389 | 100% | (5%) | 34,994 | 100% | 8% | 33,672 | 100% | (4%) |

Note(s): Number of recipients is not unique and represents the count of recipients for awards. Because each unique recipient may have received multiple awards from various funding sources, the percentage of recipients across may exceed 100%. Blanks in %YOY denote the error when a number is divided by zero.

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⁷ Based on FY2025 UBC Annual Enrolment Report, Table 4 Okanagan: Overall Student Headcount, By Year, By Campus

⁸ Based on FY2025 UBC Annual Enrolment Report, Table 4 Vancouver: Overall Student Headcount, By Year, By Campus

Appendices

Glossary

1) Funding Sources

There are four types of funding sources used to categorize student financial support: Government Funding, UBC Funding, Donor Funding, and External Funding:

- **Government Funding** encompasses support received through government-funded programs administered by UBC according to government guidelines, including student loans, grants, and targeted funding initiatives.
- **UBC Operating Fund** represents the allocation from tuition revenue specifically designated for scholarships, awards and bursaries.
- **Donor Funding** denotes contributions received annually from donors or through endowment investment income.
- **External Funding** pertains to awards adjudicated by external agencies channeled through UBC for disbursements to students, such as awards provided by Universities Canada and the federal Tri-Agencies (CIHR, NSERC and SSHRC).
- **UBC Funding** comprises of UBC Operating Fund and Donor Funding

2) Award Types

Award types describe the nature of the adjudication criteria applied, as defined by UBC University Awards Policies and Regulations.⁹

- **Hybrid** financial support is student awards where neither financial need nor academic achievement is the sole criterion considered. The requirements for hybrid awards include, but are not limited to, service, leadership, research, a combination of academic and other achievements, or a combination of academic or other achievements and financial need. These hybrid awards include “full-ride” awards where the financial support is commensurate with the student’s financial need as determined by the estimated academic and non-academic costs of tuition, fees, books and living expenses, less any financial contribution that the student or their family can make toward those costs.
- **Merit-based** financial support is student awards based on academic merit, other academic achievements, or other achievements, such as service, leadership, or research.
- **Need-based** financial supports are based solely on the student's financial need, with a common assessment mechanism defined by UBC Policy LR10 – *Financial Aid Policy*.¹⁰

⁹ UBC University Awards Policies and Regulations <http://www.calendar.ubc.ca/vancouver/index.cfm?tree=3,299,0,0>

¹⁰ https://universitycounsel.ubc.ca/files/2022/05/Financial-Aid-Policy_LR10.pdf

Detailed Award Data

1) UBC Funding by Campus, by Campus, Student Type, and Award Type

Table 22. UBC Funding by Campus, by Campus, Student Type, and Award Type

The table shows the UBC Funding from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus, student type, fund category, and award type. Amount in thousands.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|-----------------------|------------------|-------------|------|------------------|-------------|------------|------------------|-------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|-------------|
| | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | \$15,675 | 12% | | \$22,774 | 14% | 45% | \$19,693 | 13% | (14%) | \$19,351 | 13% | (2%) | \$18,346 | 13% | (5%) |
| Graduate | \$5,274 | 34% | | \$7,589 | 33% | 44% | \$6,502 | 33% | (14%) | \$7,378 | 38% | 13% | \$7,407 | 40% | 0% |
| UBC Operating Funding | \$4,965 | 94% | | \$7,206 | 95% | 45% | \$6,090 | 94% | (15%) | \$6,928 | 94% | 14% | \$7,037 | 95% | 2% |
| Merit | \$3,987 | 80% | | \$5,627 | 78% | 41% | \$5,034 | 83% | (11%) | \$6,167 | 89% | 23% | \$6,375 | 91% | 3% |
| Hybrid | | 0% | | | 0% | | | 0% | | | 0% | | \$1 | 0% | |
| Need | \$663 | 13% | | \$1,183 | 16% | 78% | \$782 | 13% | (34%) | \$552 | 8% | (29%) | \$558 | 8% | 1% |
| Work Learn | \$314 | 6% | | \$396 | 5% | 26% | \$274 | 4% | (31%) | \$209 | 3% | (24%) | \$102 | 1% | (51%) |
| Donor Funding | \$309 | 6% | | \$383 | 5% | 24% | \$412 | 6% | 8% | \$450 | 6% | 9% | \$371 | 5% | (18%) |
| Merit | \$188 | 61% | | \$261 | 68% | 39% | \$323 | 78% | 24% | \$355 | 79% | 10% | \$321 | 87% | (9%) |
| Hybrid | \$42 | 14% | | \$24 | 6% | (43%) | \$20 | 5% | (17%) | \$10 | 2% | (50%) | | 0% | |
| Need | \$79 | 26% | | \$97 | 25% | 23% | \$69 | 17% | (29%) | \$85 | 19% | 23% | \$50 | 13% | (41%) |
| Undergraduate | \$10,401 | 66% | | \$15,185 | 67% | 46% | \$13,191 | 67% | (13%) | \$11,973 | 62% | (9%) | \$10,939 | 60% | (9%) |
| UBC Operating Funding | \$8,675 | 83% | | \$13,772 | 91% | 59% | \$11,356 | 86% | (18%) | \$10,178 | 85% | (10%) | \$9,303 | 85% | (9%) |
| Merit | \$5,488 | 63% | | \$5,943 | 43% | 8% | \$5,870 | 52% | (1%) | \$5,184 | 51% | (12%) | \$4,615 | 50% | (11%) |
| Hybrid | \$1,389 | 16% | | \$2,019 | 15% | 45% | \$2,213 | 19% | 10% | \$2,421 | 24% | 9% | \$2,380 | 26% | (2%) |
| Need | \$1,581 | 18% | | \$5,392 | 39% | 241% | \$2,795 | 25% | (48%) | \$2,048 | 20% | (27%) | \$1,516 | 16% | (26%) |
| Work Learn | \$216 | 2% | | \$418 | 3% | 93% | \$477 | 4% | 14% | \$525 | 5% | 10% | \$792 | 9% | 51% |
| Donor Funding | \$1,726 | 17% | | \$1,413 | 9% | (18%) | \$1,835 | 14% | 30% | \$1,795 | 15% | (2%) | \$1,636 | 15% | (9%) |
| Merit | \$734 | 43% | | \$723 | 51% | (2%) | \$1,074 | 59% | 49% | \$902 | 50% | (16%) | \$914 | 56% | 1% |
| Hybrid | \$291 | 17% | | \$365 | 26% | 26% | \$379 | 21% | 4% | \$401 | 22% | 6% | \$425 | 26% | 6% |
| Need | \$701 | 41% | | \$326 | 23% | (54%) | \$383 | 21% | 18% | \$491 | 27% | 28% | \$297 | 18% | (40%) |
| Vancouver | \$118,680 | 88% | | \$135,864 | 86% | 14% | \$128,550 | 87% | (5%) | \$131,683 | 87% | 2% | \$126,420 | 87% | (4%) |
| Graduate | \$56,766 | 48% | | \$60,607 | 45% | 7% | \$59,915 | 47% | (1%) | \$59,700 | 45% | (0%) | \$59,879 | 47% | 0% |
| UBC Operating Funding | \$47,673 | 84% | | \$50,495 | 83% | 6% | \$50,590 | 84% | 0% | \$50,683 | 85% | 0% | \$49,683 | 83% | (2%) |
| Merit | \$43,147 | 91% | | \$46,488 | 92% | 8% | \$46,733 | 92% | 1% | \$47,405 | 94% | 1% | \$46,482 | 94% | (2%) |
| Hybrid | \$193 | 0% | | \$132 | 0% | (31%) | \$74 | 0% | (44%) | \$79 | 0% | 6% | \$66 | 0% | (16%) |
| Need | \$3,384 | 7% | | \$2,726 | 5% | (19%) | \$2,391 | 5% | (12%) | \$1,543 | 3% | (35%) | \$1,810 | 4% | 17% |
| Work Learn | \$949 | 2% | | \$1,149 | 2% | 21% | \$1,392 | 3% | 21% | \$1,657 | 3% | 19% | \$1,324 | 3% | (20%) |
| Donor Funding | \$9,093 | 16% | | \$10,112 | 17% | 11% | \$9,325 | 16% | (8%) | \$9,017 | 15% | (3%) | \$10,197 | 17% | 13% |
| Merit | \$6,661 | 73% | | \$7,449 | 74% | 12% | \$7,595 | 81% | 2% | \$8,112 | 90% | 7% | \$7,518 | 74% | (7%) |
| Hybrid | \$1,215 | 13% | | \$1,431 | 14% | 18% | \$911 | 10% | (36%) | \$290 | 3% | (68%) | \$2,146 | 21% | 640% |
| Need | \$1,217 | 13% | | \$1,232 | 12% | 1% | \$818 | 9% | (34%) | \$615 | 7% | (25%) | \$533 | 5% | (13%) |
| Undergraduate | \$61,914 | 52% | | \$75,257 | 55% | 22% | \$68,635 | 53% | (9%) | \$71,983 | 55% | 5% | \$66,541 | 53% | (8%) |
| UBC Operating Funding | \$48,135 | 78% | | \$59,515 | 79% | 24% | \$52,633 | 77% | (12%) | \$54,934 | 76% | 4% | \$48,688 | 73% | (11%) |
| Merit | \$26,952 | 56% | | \$24,761 | 42% | (8%) | \$26,430 | 50% | 7% | \$26,366 | 48% | (0%) | \$22,000 | 45% | (17%) |
| Hybrid | \$10,080 | 21% | | \$10,164 | 17% | 1% | \$10,268 | 20% | 1% | \$10,779 | 20% | 5% | \$11,301 | 23% | 5% |
| Need | \$8,426 | 18% | | \$21,058 | 35% | 150% | \$11,626 | 22% | (45%) | \$11,961 | 22% | 3% | \$11,410 | 23% | (5%) |
| Work Learn | \$2,678 | 6% | | \$3,532 | 6% | 32% | \$4,309 | 8% | 22% | \$5,828 | 11% | 35% | \$3,976 | 8% | (32%) |
| Donor Funding | \$13,779 | 22% | | \$15,743 | 21% | 14% | \$16,002 | 23% | 2% | \$17,049 | 24% | 7% | \$17,853 | 27% | 5% |
| Merit | \$6,727 | 49% | | \$7,243 | 46% | 8% | \$8,098 | 51% | 12% | \$8,759 | 51% | 8% | \$8,388 | 47% | (4%) |
| Hybrid | \$2,854 | 21% | | \$2,736 | 17% | (4%) | \$2,418 | 15% | (12%) | \$2,485 | 15% | 3% | \$3,151 | 18% | 27% |
| Need | \$4,198 | 30% | | \$5,764 | 37% | 37% | \$5,485 | 34% | (5%) | \$5,805 | 34% | 6% | \$6,315 | 35% | 9% |
| Grand Total | \$134,355 | 100% | | \$158,638 | 100% | 18% | \$148,243 | 100% | (7%) | \$151,034 | 100% | 2% | \$144,766 | 100% | (4%) |

Table 23. Unique Recipients of UBC Funding by Campus, Student Type, and Award Type

The table shows the unique students receiving UBC Funding from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus, student type, fund category, and award type.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|-----------------------|---------------|-------------|------|---------------|-------------|------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|-------------|------------|---------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | 4,267 | 20% | | 5,117 | 20% | 20% | 4,335 | 19% | (15%) | 4,839 | 19% | 12% | 3,109 | 14% | (36%) |
| Graduate | 771 | 18% | | 1,078 | 21% | 40% | 881 | 20% | (18%) | 1,009 | 21% | 15% | 937 | 30% | (7%) |
| UBC Operating Funding | 736 | 95% | | 1,076 | 100% | 46% | 859 | 98% | (20%) | 971 | 96% | 13% | 926 | 99% | (5%) |
| Merit | 631 | 86% | | 941 | 87% | 49% | 766 | 89% | (19%) | 890 | 92% | 16% | 882 | 95% | (1%) |
| Hybrid | | 0% | | | 0% | | | 0% | | | 0% | | 1 | 0% | |
| Need | 179 | 24% | | 299 | 28% | 67% | 77 | 9% | (74%) | 150 | 15% | 95% | 55 | 6% | (63%) |
| Work Learn | 64 | 9% | | 90 | 8% | 41% | 95 | 11% | 6% | 59 | 6% | (38%) | 36 | 4% | (39%) |
| Donor Funding | 120 | 16% | | 93 | 9% | (23%) | 75 | 9% | (19%) | 192 | 19% | 156% | 61 | 7% | (68%) |
| Merit | 18 | 15% | | 29 | 31% | 61% | 31 | 41% | 7% | 46 | 24% | 48% | 37 | 61% | (20%) |
| Hybrid | 10 | 8% | | 4 | 4% | (60%) | 2 | 3% | (50%) | 1 | 1% | (50%) | | 0% | |
| Need | 96 | 80% | | 61 | 66% | (36%) | 42 | 56% | (31%) | 147 | 77% | 250% | 24 | 39% | (84%) |
| Undergraduate | 3,496 | 82% | | 4,040 | 79% | 16% | 3,456 | 80% | (14%) | 3,831 | 79% | 11% | 2,180 | 70% | (43%) |
| UBC Operating Funding | 2,824 | 81% | | 3,894 | 96% | 38% | 3,212 | 93% | (18%) | 3,334 | 87% | 4% | 1,903 | 87% | (43%) |
| Merit | 2,167 | 77% | | 2,662 | 68% | 23% | 2,572 | 80% | (3%) | 2,373 | 71% | (8%) | 1,135 | 60% | (52%) |
| Hybrid | 53 | 2% | | 67 | 2% | 26% | 69 | 2% | 3% | 164 | 5% | 138% | 209 | 11% | 27% |
| Need | 793 | 28% | | 1,645 | 42% | 107% | 676 | 21% | (59%) | 983 | 29% | 45% | 440 | 23% | (55%) |
| Work Learn | 60 | 2% | | 118 | 3% | 97% | 178 | 6% | 51% | 191 | 6% | 7% | 304 | 16% | 59% |
| Donor Funding | 1,183 | 34% | | 486 | 12% | (59%) | 593 | 17% | 22% | 1,003 | 26% | 69% | 544 | 25% | (46%) |
| Merit | 224 | 19% | | 213 | 44% | (5%) | 337 | 57% | 58% | 263 | 26% | (22%) | 287 | 53% | 9% |
| Hybrid | 149 | 13% | | 104 | 21% | (30%) | 65 | 11% | (38%) | 97 | 10% | 49% | 83 | 15% | (14%) |
| Need | 876 | 74% | | 199 | 41% | (77%) | 215 | 36% | 8% | 679 | 68% | 216% | 186 | 34% | (73%) |
| Vancouver | 17,221 | 80% | | 20,682 | 80% | 20% | 19,004 | 81% | (8%) | 20,173 | 81% | 6% | 19,530 | 86% | (3%) |
| Graduate | 7,451 | 43% | | 7,580 | 37% | 2% | 7,544 | 40% | (0%) | 7,747 | 38% | 3% | 7,559 | 39% | (2%) |
| UBC Operating Funding | 7,097 | 95% | | 7,241 | 96% | 2% | 7,165 | 95% | (1%) | 7,317 | 94% | 2% | 7,208 | 95% | (1%) |
| Merit | 5,937 | 84% | | 6,460 | 89% | 9% | 6,567 | 92% | 2% | 6,704 | 92% | 2% | 6,565 | 91% | (2%) |
| Hybrid | 146 | 2% | | 49 | 1% | (66%) | 45 | 1% | (8%) | 30 | 0% | (33%) | 26 | 0% | (13%) |
| Need | 1,629 | 23% | | 976 | 13% | (40%) | 442 | 6% | (55%) | 310 | 4% | (30%) | 331 | 5% | 7% |
| Work Learn | 488 | 7% | | 674 | 9% | 38% | 691 | 10% | 3% | 918 | 13% | 33% | 899 | 12% | (2%) |
| Donor Funding | 1,594 | 21% | | 1,462 | 19% | (8%) | 1,478 | 20% | 1% | 1,579 | 20% | 7% | 1,568 | 21% | (1%) |
| Merit | 1,069 | 67% | | 1,161 | 79% | 9% | 1,215 | 82% | 5% | 1,293 | 82% | 6% | 1,324 | 84% | 2% |
| Hybrid | 91 | 6% | | 85 | 6% | (7%) | 87 | 6% | 2% | 78 | 5% | (10%) | 118 | 8% | 51% |
| Need | 544 | 34% | | 276 | 19% | (49%) | 229 | 15% | (17%) | 260 | 16% | 14% | 186 | 12% | (28%) |
| Undergraduate | 9,778 | 57% | | 13,114 | 63% | 34% | 11,468 | 60% | (13%) | 12,458 | 62% | 9% | 11,983 | 61% | (4%) |
| UBC Operating Funding | 7,323 | 75% | | 11,350 | 87% | 55% | 8,932 | 78% | (21%) | 9,344 | 75% | 5% | 9,194 | 77% | (2%) |
| Merit | 3,316 | 45% | | 3,311 | 29% | (0%) | 4,065 | 46% | 23% | 4,193 | 45% | 3% | 4,265 | 46% | 2% |
| Hybrid | 773 | 11% | | 452 | 4% | (42%) | 432 | 5% | (4%) | 464 | 5% | 7% | 451 | 5% | (3%) |
| Need | 2,194 | 30% | | 6,607 | 58% | 201% | 2,854 | 32% | (57%) | 2,351 | 25% | (18%) | 2,477 | 27% | 5% |
| Work Learn | 1,637 | 22% | | 2,347 | 21% | 43% | 2,430 | 27% | 4% | 3,401 | 36% | 40% | 2,854 | 31% | (16%) |
| Donor Funding | 4,228 | 43% | | 4,614 | 35% | 9% | 4,843 | 42% | 5% | 5,437 | 44% | 12% | 5,094 | 43% | (6%) |
| Merit | 2,560 | 61% | | 2,679 | 58% | 5% | 2,805 | 58% | 5% | 2,985 | 55% | 6% | 2,550 | 50% | (15%) |
| Hybrid | 395 | 9% | | 446 | 10% | 13% | 465 | 10% | 4% | 641 | 12% | 38% | 721 | 14% | 12% |
| Need | 1,597 | 38% | | 1,879 | 41% | 18% | 1,948 | 40% | 4% | 2,302 | 42% | 18% | 2,349 | 46% | 2% |
| Grand Total | 21,486 | 100% | | 25,790 | 100% | 20% | 23,331 | 100% | (10%) | 25,006 | 100% | 7% | 22,636 | 100% | (9%) |

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2) UBC Bursary Access Promise by Campus, Student Type, and Award Type

Table 24. UBC Access Promise Financial Support

The table shows the total bursary and the number of students supported through UBC Access Promise Financial Support from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus. Amount in thousands.

| | FY2021 | | FY2022 | | FY2023 | | FY2024 | | FY2025 | |
|--------------------|-------------|-----------|----------------|------------|--------------|------------|--------------|------------|--------------|------------|
| | Amount | Recipient | Amount | Recipient | Amount | Recipient | Amount | Recipient | Amount | Recipient |
| Okanagan | \$36 | 16 | \$368 | 97 | \$122 | 54 | \$54 | 51 | \$56 | 54 |
| Non-Indigenous | \$7 | 7 | \$263 | 74 | \$84 | 41 | \$21 | 34 | \$28 | 39 |
| Indigenous | \$29 | 9 | \$105 | 23 | \$38 | 13 | \$33 | 17 | \$27 | 15 |
| Vancouver | \$37 | 32 | \$1,276 | 539 | \$319 | 166 | \$110 | 104 | \$194 | 129 |
| Non-Indigenous | \$19 | 24 | \$1,188 | 523 | \$265 | 148 | \$76 | 90 | \$119 | 106 |
| Indigenous | \$18 | 8 | \$88 | 16 | \$54 | 18 | \$34 | 14 | \$74 | 23 |
| Grand Total | \$73 | 48 | \$1,644 | 636 | \$441 | 220 | \$164 | 155 | \$249 | 183 |

3) Average UBC Bursary by Campus, and Student Type

Table 25. Average UBC Bursary Funding by Campus, and Student Level

The table shows the average value of the UBC Bursary program from UBC Bursary Funding received from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus and student level.

| Average Bursary | FY2021 | FY2022 | FY2023 | 2023WS | 2024WS |
|--------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Okanagan | \$3,442 | \$6,134 | \$5,130 | \$3,883 | \$4,702 |
| Graduate | \$7,178 | \$14,479 | \$10,765 | \$8,879 | \$11,459 |
| Undergraduate | \$2,908 | \$5,481 | \$4,454 | \$3,399 | \$3,919 |
| Vancouver | \$4,455 | \$5,648 | \$4,591 | \$4,586 | \$5,000 |
| Graduate | \$5,411 | \$7,580 | \$6,072 | \$4,563 | \$6,211 |
| Undergraduate | \$4,305 | \$5,422 | \$4,372 | \$4,589 | \$4,867 |
| Grand Total | \$4,287 | \$5,724 | \$4,676 | \$4,479 | \$4,964 |

4) Emergency Support by Campus, and Student Type

Table 26. Emergency Support by Campus, Student Type, and Funding Type

The table shows total emergency bursary funding from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus, student type, and funding type. Amount in thousands.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|-----------------------|----------------|-------------|------|----------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|----------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY | Amount | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | \$1,118 | 25% | | \$1,896 | 73% | 70% | \$288 | 33% | (85%) | \$542 | 51% | 88% | \$79 | 14% | (85%) |
| Graduate | \$249 | 22% | | \$473 | 25% | 90% | \$45 | 16% | (90%) | \$105 | 19% | 131% | \$22 | 28% | (79%) |
| Government Funding | \$6 | 2% | | \$5 | 1% | (4%) | \$2 | 4% | (66%) | \$1 | 1% | (50%) | \$3 | 12% | 183% |
| Donor Funding | \$60 | 24% | | \$60 | 13% | (1%) | \$38 | 84% | (37%) | \$68 | 65% | 80% | \$18 | 81% | (74%) |
| UBC Operating Funding | \$183 | 74% | | \$408 | 86% | 123% | \$6 | 13% | (99%) | \$36 | 34% | 533% | \$2 | 7% | (96%) |
| Undergraduate | \$869 | 78% | | \$1,423 | 75% | 64% | \$242 | 84% | (83%) | \$436 | 81% | 80% | \$57 | 72% | (87%) |
| Government Funding | \$45 | 5% | | \$65 | 5% | 42% | \$29 | 12% | (55%) | \$29 | 7% | 2% | \$23 | 41% | (21%) |
| Donor Funding | \$456 | 53% | | \$110 | 8% | (76%) | \$110 | 45% | 0% | \$240 | 55% | 118% | \$33 | 59% | (86%) |
| UBC Operating Funding | \$367 | 42% | | \$1,249 | 88% | 240% | \$103 | 43% | (92%) | \$167 | 38% | 61% | | 0% | |
| Vancouver | \$3,419 | 75% | | \$718 | 27% | (79%) | \$574 | 67% | (20%) | \$512 | 49% | (11%) | \$479 | 86% | (6%) |
| Graduate | \$2,499 | 73% | | \$154 | 21% | (94%) | \$166 | 29% | 8% | \$96 | 19% | (42%) | \$117 | 24% | 22% |
| Government Funding | \$40 | 2% | | \$49 | 32% | 22% | \$8 | 5% | (84%) | \$10 | 10% | 27% | \$5 | 5% | (45%) |
| Donor Funding | \$438 | 18% | | \$7 | 4% | (98%) | \$10 | 6% | 42% | \$7 | 8% | (22%) | \$9 | 8% | 26% |
| UBC Operating Funding | \$2,021 | 81% | | \$98 | 64% | (95%) | \$149 | 90% | 51% | \$79 | 82% | (47%) | \$103 | 87% | 30% |
| Undergraduate | \$919 | 27% | | \$564 | 79% | (39%) | \$408 | 71% | (28%) | \$416 | 81% | 2% | \$362 | 76% | (13%) |
| Government Funding | \$153 | 17% | | \$132 | 23% | (14%) | \$77 | 19% | (42%) | \$70 | 17% | (9%) | \$62 | 17% | (12%) |
| Donor Funding | \$154 | 17% | | \$1 | 0% | (99%) | \$7 | 2% | 500% | \$18 | 4% | 154% | \$43 | 12% | 136% |
| UBC Operating Funding | \$612 | 67% | | \$430 | 76% | (30%) | \$324 | 79% | (25%) | \$328 | 79% | 1% | \$257 | 71% | (22%) |
| Grand Total | \$4,536 | 100% | | \$2,613 | 100% | (42%) | \$862 | 100% | (67%) | \$1,054 | 100% | 22% | \$558 | 100% | (47%) |

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Table 27. Unique Recipient of Emergency Bursary by Campus, Student Type, and Visa Type

The table shows the total number of unique students receiving Emergency Bursary Funding from FY2021 to FY2025, categorized by campus, student type, and funding type.

| | FY2021 | | | FY2022 | | | FY2023 | | | FY2024 | | | FY2025 | | |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------|------|--------------|-------------|--------------|------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY | Recipient | % | %YOY |
| Okanagan | 1,312 | 34% | | 1,353 | 69% | 3% | 180 | 30% | (87%) | 1,183 | 76% | 557% | 84 | 20% | (93%) |
| Graduate | 186 | 14% | | 275 | 20% | 48% | 32 | 18% | (88%) | 222 | 19% | 594% | 22 | 26% | (90%) |
| Government Funding | 8 | 4% | | 5 | 2% | (38%) | 2 | 6% | (60%) | 1 | 0% | (50%) | 4 | 18% | 300% |
| Donor Funding | 88 | 47% | | 45 | 16% | (49%) | 28 | 88% | (38%) | 143 | 64% | 411% | 15 | 68% | (90%) |
| UBC Operating Funding | 122 | 66% | | 258 | 94% | 111% | 3 | 9% | (99%) | 90 | 41% | 2900% | 3 | 14% | (97%) |
| Undergraduate | 1,126 | 86% | | 1,078 | 80% | (4%) | 148 | 82% | (86%) | 961 | 81% | 549% | 62 | 74% | (94%) |
| Government Funding | 45 | 4% | | 70 | 6% | 56% | 37 | 25% | (47%) | 35 | 4% | (5%) | 27 | 44% | (23%) |
| Donor Funding | 762 | 68% | | 91 | 8% | (88%) | 87 | 59% | (4%) | 579 | 60% | 566% | 40 | 65% | (93%) |
| UBC Operating Funding | 410 | 36% | | 975 | 90% | 138% | 40 | 27% | (96%) | 409 | 43% | 923% | | 0% | |
| Vancouver | 2,567 | 66% | | 594 | 31% | (77%) | 414 | 70% | (30%) | 368 | 24% | (11%) | 343 | 80% | (7%) |
| Graduate | 1,708 | 67% | | 111 | 19% | (94%) | 83 | 20% | (25%) | 60 | 16% | (28%) | 58 | 17% | (3%) |
| Government Funding | 35 | 2% | | 34 | 31% | (3%) | 8 | 10% | (76%) | 11 | 18% | 38% | 6 | 10% | (45%) |
| Donor Funding | 295 | 17% | | 5 | 5% | (98%) | 4 | 5% | (20%) | 7 | 12% | 75% | 6 | 10% | (14%) |
| UBC Operating Funding | 1,427 | 84% | | 81 | 73% | (94%) | 75 | 90% | (7%) | 50 | 83% | (33%) | 50 | 86% | 0% |
| Undergraduate | 859 | 33% | | 483 | 81% | (44%) | 331 | 80% | (31%) | 308 | 84% | (7%) | 286 | 83% | (7%) |
| Government Funding | 156 | 18% | | 144 | 30% | (8%) | 98 | 30% | (32%) | 86 | 28% | (12%) | 73 | 26% | (15%) |
| Donor Funding | 203 | 24% | | 2 | 0% | (99%) | 4 | 1% | 100% | 16 | 5% | 300% | 23 | 8% | 44% |
| UBC Operating Funding | 563 | 66% | | 387 | 80% | (31%) | 275 | 83% | (29%) | 250 | 81% | (9%) | 232 | 81% | (7%) |
| Grand Total | 3,879 | 100% | | 1,947 | 100% | (50%) | 594 | 100% | (69%) | 1,549 | 100% | 161% | 427 | 100% | (72%) |

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Additional Awards Information

1) Indigenous

Undergraduate Students

Indigenous Presidential Scholars Awards (Merit-Based, Both Campuses)

In 2024-25, UBC offered \$442,500 Indigenous Presidential Scholars Awards to 31 new Indigenous students. UBC Vancouver offered \$362,500 to 25 Indigenous students, of which \$357,500 was funded by UBC, and \$5,000 was funded by donors. UBC Okanagan offered \$80,000 to 5 Indigenous students.

Indigenous Centennial Entrance Scholars Awards (Hybrid, Both Campuses)

In 2024-25, UBC offered \$761,700 Indigenous Centennial Entrance Scholars Awards to 71 Indigenous students. UBC Vancouver offered \$686,700 to 61 Indigenous students, of which \$543,000 was funded by UBC and \$143,700 was funded by donors. UBC Okanagan offered \$75,000 in donor funding to 10 students.

Bachelor of Nsyilxcn Language Fluency Degree Undergraduate Entrance Award (Okanagan)

In 2024-25, awards totalling \$30,675 were offered to 11 Indigenous students enrolled in UBC Okanagan's Bachelor of Nsyilxcn Language Fluency degree.

Trek Excellence Scholarships for Continuing Indigenous Students of Canada (Merit-Based, Vancouver)

The Trek Excellence Scholarships for Continuing Indigenous Students of Canada are offered to the top 10% of undergraduate First Nations, Inuit, or Métis students. In 2024-25, \$60,000 was awarded to 44 students.

Musqueam First Nation Scholarships (Merit-Based, Vancouver)

The scholarship supports students from the Musqueam First Nation studying at UBC in their undergraduate, post-baccalaureate (including Medicine, Dentistry, Law, Education, Pharmacy, Nursing, Midwifery, and Social Work), and graduate studies. In 2024-25, \$49,500 was awarded to 9 students.

UBC-Langara Indigenous Transfer Partnership (Merit-Based, Need-Based, Vancouver)

The UBC-Langara Indigenous Transfer Partnership provides a pathway for Indigenous students to transfer from Langara College into various UBC Vancouver Faculties – Arts, Applied Science, Sauder School of Business, Forestry, Land and Food Systems, and Science. In 2024-25, \$90,000 was awarded to 19 students.

Indigenous Students' Awards Program (Merit-Based, Hybrid, Need-Based, Both Campuses)

The Indigenous Students' Awards Program consists of 27 awards, bursaries, and scholarships to support Indigenous students in various programs and community activities. In 2024-25, \$109,500 was awarded to 81 students on the Vancouver campus, and \$41,450 in donor funding was awarded to 7 Indigenous students on the Okanagan campus.

Graduate Students

Indigenous Student Fellowships (Merit-Based, Vancouver)

UBC Vancouver offers multi-year fellowships to Indigenous Master's and doctoral students, selected on the basis of academic merit through an annual competition administered by the Faculty of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies. Fellowships provide a stipend of \$25,000 per year plus tuition for up to 4 years for doctoral students or \$17,500 per year plus tuition for up to 2 years for Master's students. With support from the Academic Excellence Fund, the IGF program also supports for (i) students in course-based Master's programs, (ii) fifth-year doctoral students and (iii) research and travel expenses for graduate students whose work will contribute directly or indirectly to community engagement and relationship building with Indigenous communities. More than \$1.3 million was awarded in the 2024-25 competition.

UBC Okanagan Indigenous Graduate Fellowship (Merit-Based, Okanagan)

The UBC Okanagan Indigenous Graduate Fellowship is a merit-based fellowship that is awarded to incoming full-time Indigenous students entering or continuing in a research-based graduate program. The Award is for First Nations, Métis, and Inuit people of Canada, in accordance with section 35(2) of the Constitution Act, 1982. These awards will also consider Indigenous people of a

transborder Indigenous nation (American Indian or Alaska Native). The Fellowship provides funding for up to two years for master's students and up to five years for PhD students (at \$20,000 per year plus tuition).

UBC Okanagan Indigenous Scholars Award (Merit-Based, Okanagan)

The UBC Okanagan Indigenous Scholars Award is an award to support incoming full-time Indigenous students entering or continuing in a research-based graduate program. The Award is for First Nations, Métis, and Inuit people of Canada, in accordance with section 35(2) of the Constitution Act, 1982. These awards will also consider Indigenous people of a transborder Indigenous nation (American Indian or Alaska Native). The Award provides funding for up to two years for master's students and up to five years for PhD students (at \$10,000 per year).

British Columbia Graduate Scholarship (Both Campuses)

One British Columbia Graduate Scholarship, funded by Government Funding, is reserved for incoming Indigenous graduate students.

2) Domestic Undergraduate Students

Need-Based Awards

Beedie Luminaries Foundation (Both Campuses)

The Beedie Luminaries Scholarship is for students with potential who are facing financial and other life adversities. Beedie offers five comprehensive programs that support Grade 12 students (SHINE), single parents (SPARK), refugees and immigrants (RISE), graduate students, and aspiring tradespeople (BUILD) in their pursuit of further education. To date, the Beedie Luminaries Scholarship program has awarded over 800 deserving students coming from over 120 high schools across 45 municipalities. These students have taken on life challenges and adversities with determination and optimism. The renewable (SHINE) scholarships are valued at \$44,000 over 4 years (for a bachelor's degree program) and a network of student support, mentorship, and summer paid internship opportunities. Over 60 new students join UBC each year through the Beedie Luminaries program.

3) International Undergraduate Students

Merit-Based Awards

Faculty Specific Entrance Awards (Both Campuses)

To attract and retain a diverse cohort of exceptionally bright international students to those programs that charge tuition that is above the base tuition for UBC, the International Major Entrance Scholarship and the Outstanding International Student Award, funded with UBC Operating Funding, are offered in collaboration with the Sauder School of Business and the Vancouver School of Economics entrance awards to qualified international students. These awards are presented as one-time or renewable awards that range in value from \$10,000 to \$20,000 per year. Seven students commenced in the 2024 Winter Session with these awards recognizing their academic accomplishments.

Go Global Award (Vancouver)

Further to Go Global Awards support to all domestic and international students, international students at the Vancouver campus have awards of up to \$1,500 for those who wish to participate in International Service Learning and/or Exchange opportunities with partner universities. The Go Global Pathfinder International Student Award is available at both campuses and provides up to \$5,000 each for financially vulnerable international students wishing to participate in exchange who may face financial barriers.

Co-Op Grants Program (Okanagan)

The Co-Op Grants program has been developed to support international undergraduate students at the Okanagan campus who are participating in their faculty Co-Op program. The grant is provided as a wage subsidy for employers to encourage local businesses to employ international students where they otherwise may not be able to secure funding to do so. For 2024, a total of \$75,000 was allocated to the Co-Op Grants Program.

End of Appendices

2024-25 Student Financial Support Annual Report

June 3, 2025

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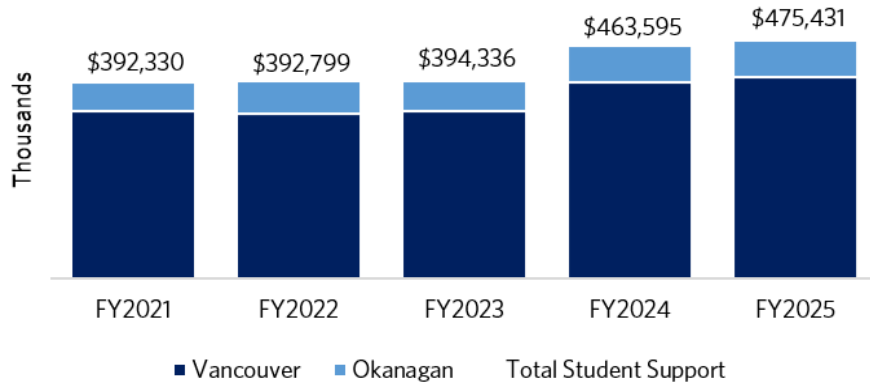
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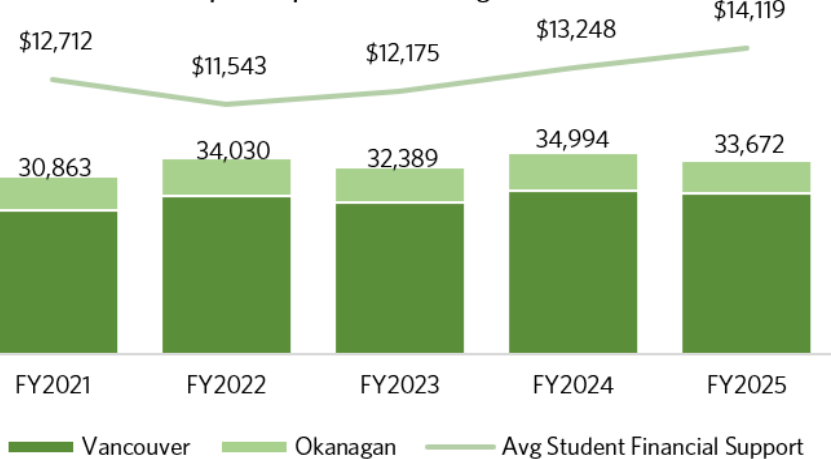
2024-25 Total Student Financial Support



5-Year Total Student Financial Support (SFS), By Campus



5-Year Unique Recipients And Average Total SFS Received



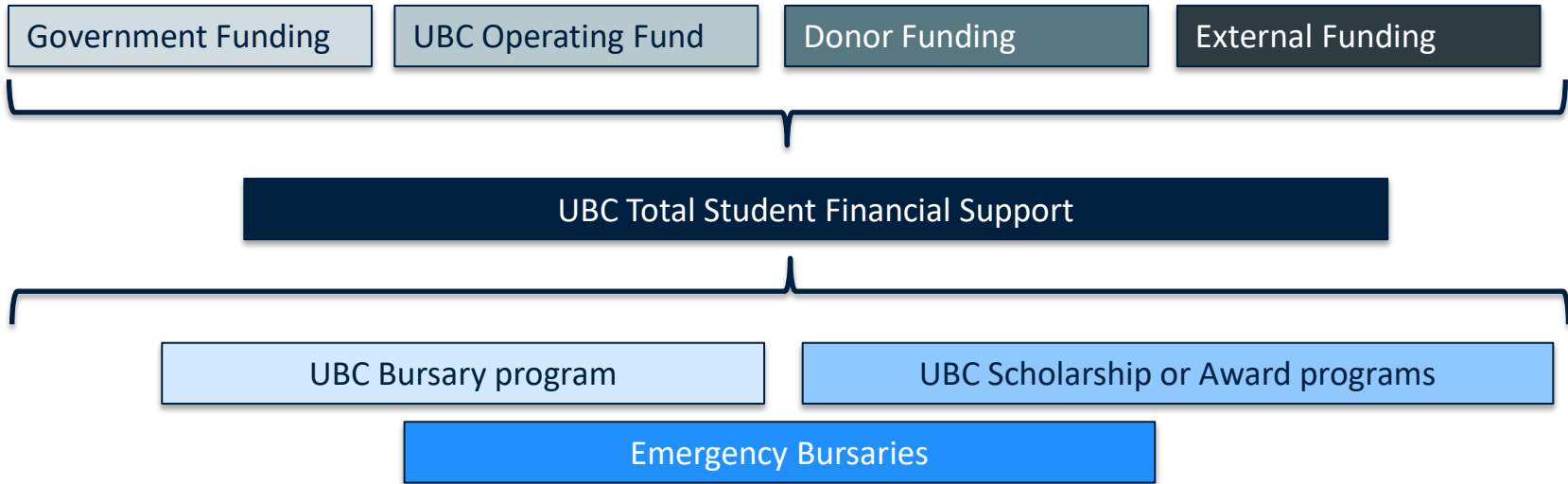
Total Student Financial Support (SFS) has increased by 3% over the past year and 21% over the past 5 years.

- Okanagan SFS increased by 1% over the past year, and 24% over the past 5 years
- Vancouver SFS increased by 3% over to past year, and 20% over the past 5 years

The total number of recipients increased by 9% over the past 5 years but declined by 4% in FY2025.

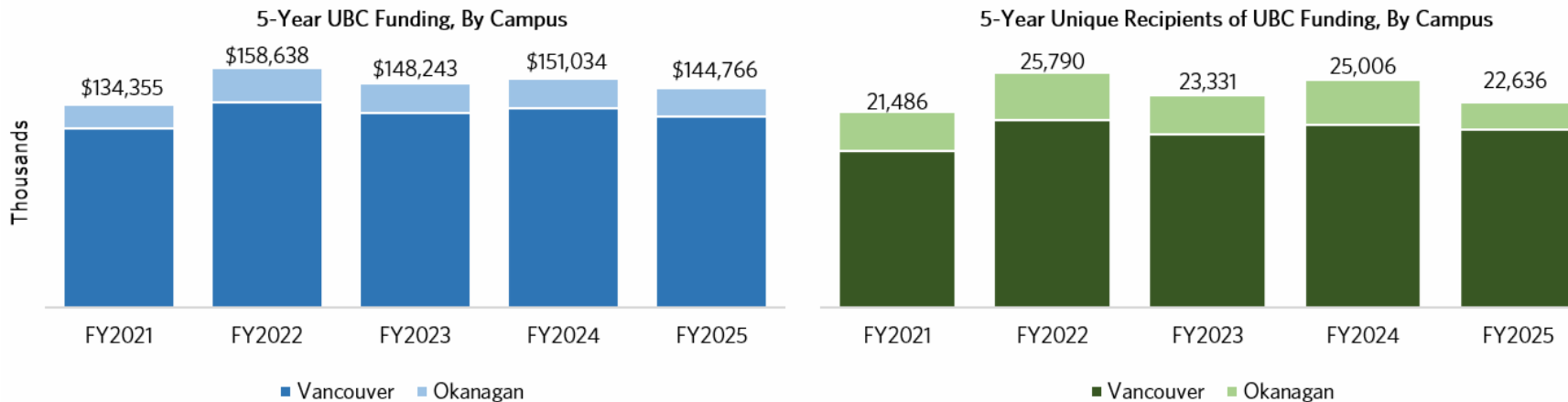
- Okanagan accounted for 17% (5,751)

Total Student Financial Support - Funding Sources



UBC's total student financial support is funded by four sources: government, UBC Operating Fund, donors, and external funding. These funds support UBC bursaries, various scholarship and award programs, and emergency bursaries.

2024-25 UBC Funding (UBC Operating & Donor Funding)



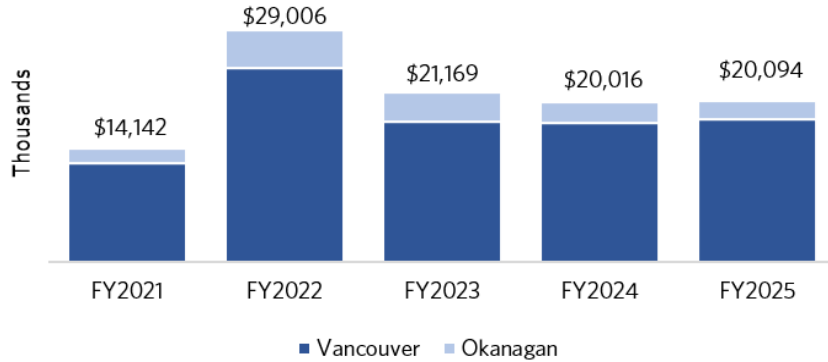
- **UBC Funding** has increased by 8% over the past 5 years.
 - UBC Okanagan accounts for 13% of the total funding.
- The **number of recipients** has increased by 5% over the past 5 years.
 - UBC Okanagan accounts for 14% of the total recipients.

The year-to-year funding fluctuations are driven by variations in uptake of international undergraduate merit-based awards, bursary applications, and available Work Learn funding.

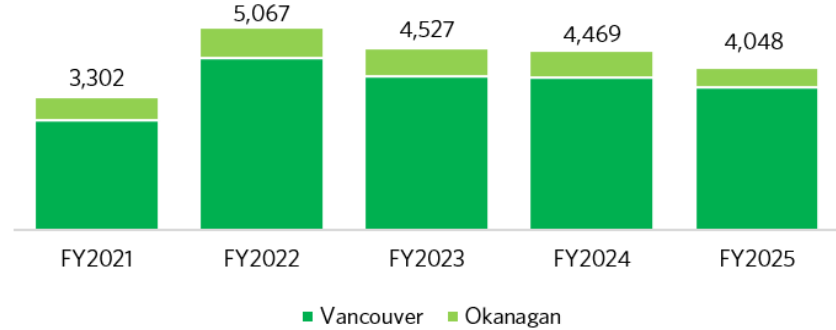
UBC Funded Bursary Program



5-Year UBC Bursary Program, By Campus



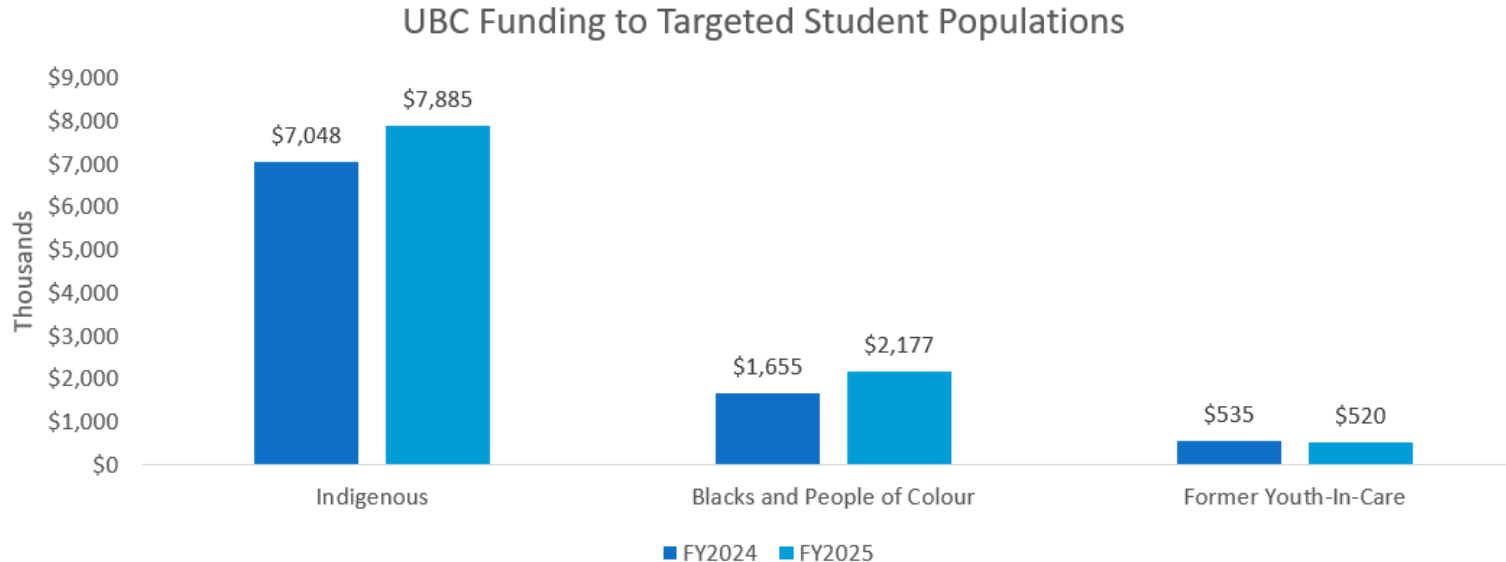
5-Year Unique Recipients of UBC Bursary Program, By Campus



| Okanagan | FY2025 | % Prior Year | % 5-Year | Okanagan | FY2025 | % Prior Year | % 5-Year |
|--------------------------|----------------|--------------|------------|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|
| Graduate | \$0.6M | 10% | 18% | Graduate | 51 | -15% | -26% |
| Undergraduate | \$1.7M | -17% | 24% | Undergraduate | 446 | -28% | -8% |
| Sub-Total | \$2.3M | -12% | 23% | Sub-Total | 497 | -27% | -11% |
| Vancouver | FY2025 | % Prior Year | % 5-Year | Vancouver | FY2025 | % Prior Year | % 5-Year |
| Graduate | \$2.2M | 8% | 9% | Graduate | 352 | -21% | -5% |
| Undergraduate | \$15.6M | 1% | 52% | Undergraduate | 3,200 | -4% | 35% |
| Sub-Total | \$17.8M | 2% | 45% | Sub-Total | 3,552 | -6% | 29% |
| UBC Total Bursary | \$20.1M | 0.4% | 42% | UBC Total Bursary | 4,048 | -9% | 23% |

While the overall bursary funding for FY25 remained comparable to FY24, the number of unique recipients decreased by 9% across both campuses, likely due to a 26% decrease in overall bursary application.

UBC Funding to Targeted Student Populations



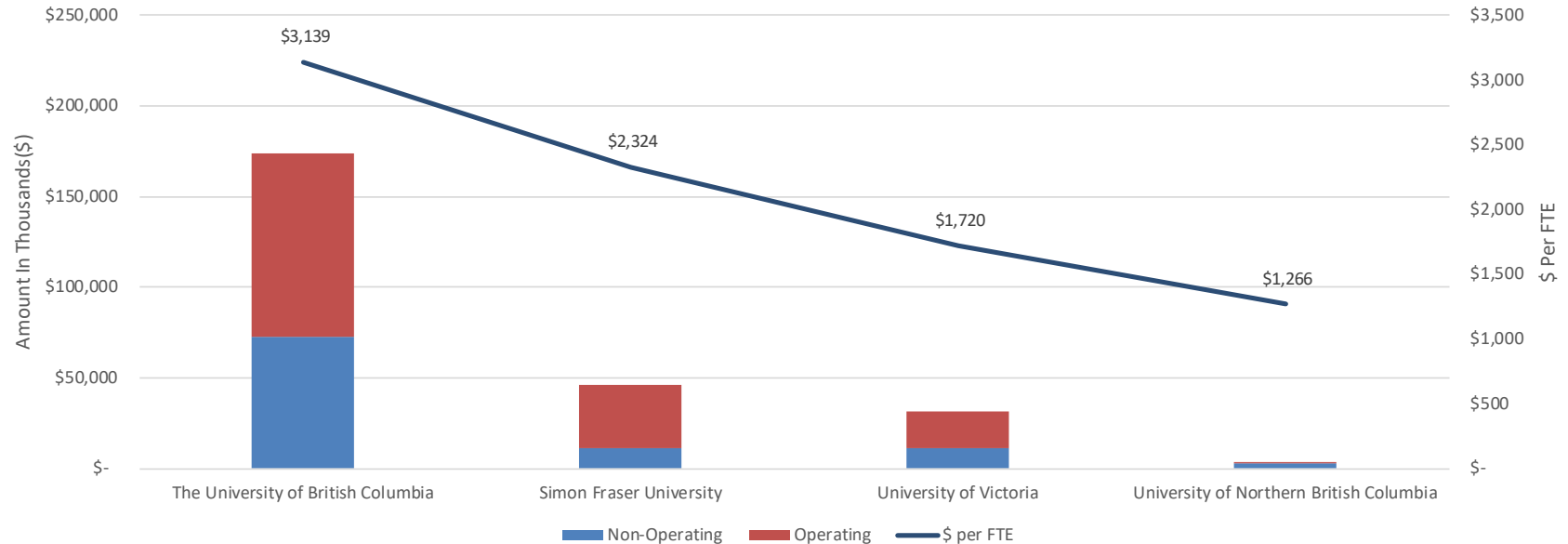
UBC continues to expand targeted financial support for priority student populations, with notable year-over-year changes including:

- A 12% increase in funding to Indigenous students;
- A 32% increase in funding to Black and other racialized students; and
- A 3% decrease in funding to Former Youth in Care students

2022-23 Student Financial Support Benchmarking: BC Research Institutions



BC Research Universities Award Funding Level Comparator

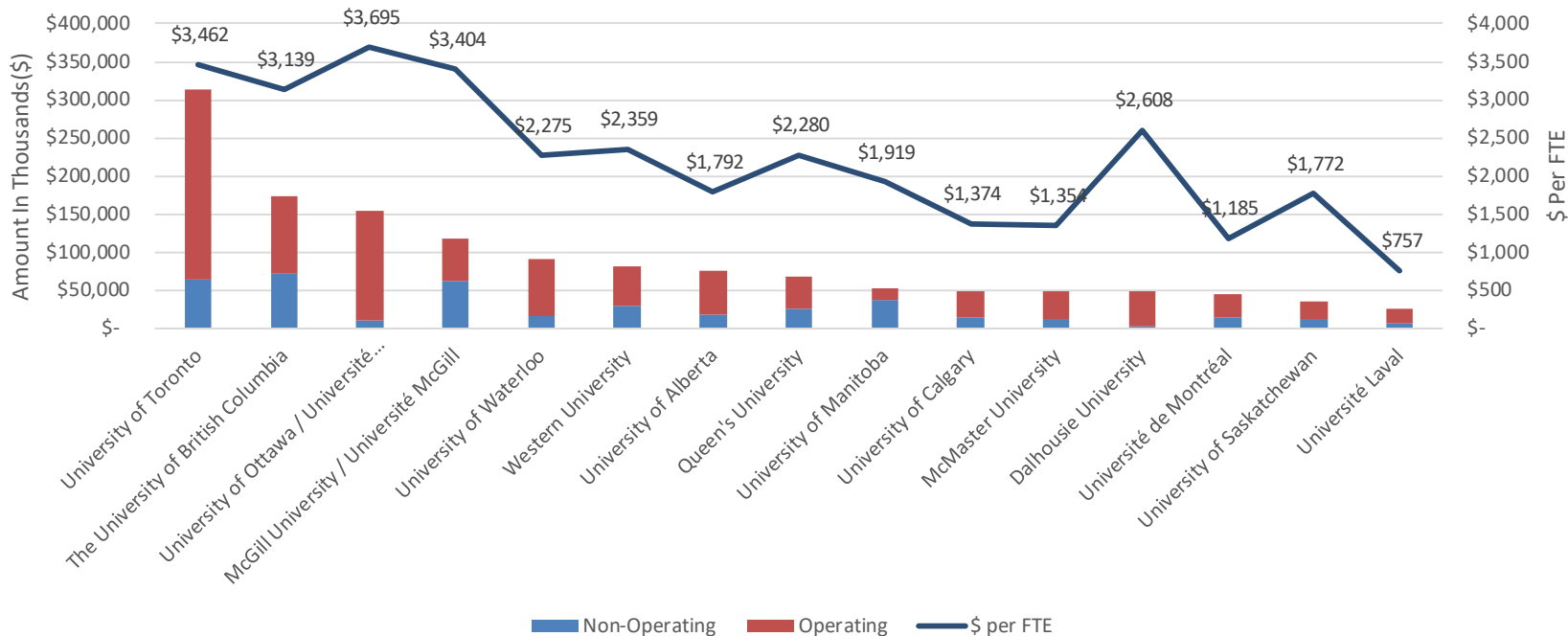


UBC remains the leader in BC in terms of total Student Financial Support per FTE, funded by both operating and non-operating funds.

2022-23 Student Financial Support Benchmarking: U15 Institutions



U15 Award Funding Level Comparator



Compared to its U15 peers, UBC provides one of the highest levels of student financial support per student, trailing only slightly behind the University of Toronto, University of Ottawa, and McGill University.



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