Abbotsford Student Success



Abbotsford graduates have gone on to study at outstanding universities across Canada and around the world. If students are smart, motivated, and work hard, they can achieve great success. Some of the schools our students have attended are:

Oxford - Rhodes Scholarship Stanford Brown University of British Columbia John Hopkins McGill Seoul National University Harvard Cornell MIT University of Toronto Penn State Princeton Simon Fraser UC Berkeley Seton Hall Clemson Purdue Notre Dame Law Parson's School of Design Cambridge

and many more ...

Students have gone on to the highest levels of academics and to exciting top level careers

- ✓ MD/PhD at Penn State conducting Spaceflight Medical research for NASA
- ✓ PhD at Stanford now working on Government Policy in the Senate in Washington DC
- ✓ MBA at **Oxford** now CFO, secretary, vice-president of Business Development and Director
- ✓ PhD at Johns Hopkins now working as an associate professor in Economics at Fordham University
- ✓ PhD in chemical physics at Stanford
- ✓ Harvard Medical School graduate now working as an Emergency Medicine Resident at OHSU
- PhD in Neuroscience at Case Western Reserve University now working as an Associate Professor at Harvard University in the department of Molecular and Cellular Biology
- ✓ PhD in Astrophysics at U of T, now teaching at MIT
- ✓ PhD in Computer Science at UC Berkeley, now working for Google Translate
- ✓ UBC Engineer at Rolls Royce Canada Aerospace

Shane Lloyd - NASA

"Students in Abbotsford have just as much opportunity to be successful in the sciences as anyone else at any other school. I have had a number of opportunities to work with NASA over the years, and it is definitely the coolest science experience I have had. Mentors in the science department were instrumental in my pursuit of a career in science & medicine."

Scholarships – Abbotsford students (including International Students) have won a wide range of scholarships to elite schools (including a Rhodes Scholarship to Oxford) – some have received "full rides" and funding in excess of \$240 000USD.

Academic Competitions - Multiple students have competed and medalled in national and international Math competitions, and have been on National Chemistry and Physics Olympiad Teams which compete internationally. One student won silver at the Moscow Chemistry Olympics, and another recent graduate scored in the 100th Percentile on the MCAT.

Nafeel Ahmed – 100 Percentile on MCAT

"Just wanted to let you know that I got my MCAT results back yesterday and I scored in the 100th percentile! I wouldn't be nearly as successful today without everything you taught us not only about chemistry but also about reasoning in exams rather than just memorizing."