



Basic and Additional Canada Education Savings Grant and Canada Learning Bond Application - Subscriber(s) Only

Basic CESG
 Additional CESG
 Canada Learning Bond

Declaration and Consent – Subscriber is also Custodial Parent or Legal Guardian and Primary Caregiver

This form is to be used when a Subscriber who applies for the Basic Canada Education Savings Grant, the Additional Canada Education Savings Grant, the Canada Learning Bond or any combination of these incentives is also the Custodial Parent and the Primary Caregiver of the Beneficiary.

Subscriber (Individual or Agency)	Last Name: or Name of Agency:		
	First Name:	S.I.N.: <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	
	Name of Agency Representative:	B.N.:	
Joint Subscriber	Last Name:		
	First Name:		
Beneficiary	Last Name:		
	First Name:	S.I.N.: <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> - <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	
	Date of Birth: <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	Year Month Day	

RESP	Specimen Plan Number:		Contract Number:	
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Read this document carefully. For information regarding the Basic and Additional Canada Education Savings Grant and the Canada Learning Bond, please ask your Promoter.

Explanation of Key Words

Beneficiary – Beneficiary means the individual (usually a child) who will receive the money to help pay for his or her post-secondary education (college, university, or trade school), if they qualify under the terms of the Registered Education Savings Plan (RESP). The money received from the RESP is known as the Educational Assistance Payment.

Custodial Parent or Legal Guardian – A Custodial Parent or Legal Guardian is an individual, department, agency, or institution that has the legal right to make decisions affecting a child's interests, and the responsibility of taking care of the child.

Primary Caregiver – The individual who receives the Canada Child Tax Benefit, which may also include the National Child Benefit Supplement, or the department, agency or institution that receives a special allowance payable under the *Children's Special Allowances Act*.

Promoter – The Promoter can be any person or organization offering a Registered Education Savings Plan to the public, and who will open a RESP for the Subscriber.

Subscriber – The Subscriber is the person or Child Care Agency who opens a RESP with the Promoter. The Subscriber names one or more Beneficiaries and may deposit money into the RESP. These deposits are called contributions.

Trustee – The Trustee is the financial organization that takes care of the money in the RESP for the Beneficiary. The Trustee invests, administers and distributes the money.

NOTE: These explanations are provided for your information only. In the event of a discrepancy, the legal definitions found in the *Canada Education Savings Act* shall prevail.

Your Privacy Rights

Human Resources and Skills Development Canada protects the confidentiality of your personal information. We cannot give your personal information to any person or organization without your written consent, except where authorized by legislation. You (or your authorized representative) have the right to request a copy of the information in your file.

The personal information about you and the other information included on this form will be kept in:

- Personal Information Bank "HRSDC PPU 506" of Human Resources and Skills Development Canada;
- Personal Information Bank "SDC PPU 390" of Human Resources Development Canada.

Instructions for making a formal request are available in *Info Source*. You can get a printed copy of *Info Source* at Human Resources Centres of Canada or by calling 1 800 O-Canada (1 800 622-6232). You may also view the information electronically on the web at www.infosource.gc.ca.

Call us or visit our Internet site if you need more information about the Canada Education Savings Program:

- By phone**
- 1 888 276-3624
 - 1 800 465-7735 for TTY users only
- By e-mail**
- cesp-pcee@hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca
- Internet**
- www.hrsdc-rhdcc.gc.ca



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When completing this form, make sure that you:

1. Check off the appropriate box at the bottom of the next page, sign, and date the declaration;
2. Make a photocopy for your records; and
3. Return the original to the Promoter: _____

(Promoter Name and Address)

By signing below, I:

1. Request that the Trustee apply for the Basic and/or Additional Canada Education Savings Grant and/or the Canada Learning Bond in respect of the Beneficiary.
2. Confirm that I am the Custodial Parent or Legal Guardian and the Primary Caregiver of the Beneficiary.
3. Designate the RESP indicated in this document to receive, in trust, any payments of the Additional Canada Education Savings Grant and/or Canada Learning Bond.
4. Understand that for a Basic and/or Additional Canada Education Savings Grant and/or Canada Learning Bond to be paid, the following conditions must be met:
 - For the Basic and/or Additional Canada Education Savings Grant, the Beneficiary must be a Canadian resident at the time of any contribution to the RESP; and
 - For the Canada Learning Bond, the Beneficiary must be a Canadian resident at the time of Canada Learning Bond payments into the RESP.
5. Understand that in order for an Additional Canada Education Savings Grant and/or Canada Learning Bond to be paid, the RESP must be for one Beneficiary or, if more than one, every Beneficiary must be a brother or sister of every other Beneficiary.
6. Agree to inform the Trustee if, at any time, there is any change in the Beneficiary's circumstances.
7. Understand that if the Beneficiary is 16 or 17, at least one of the following must have occurred in order to be eligible for the Basic and/or Additional Canada Education Savings Grant:
 - In any four years before the end of the year in which the Beneficiary turned 15, a total of at least \$100 per year must have been contributed to one or more RESPs in respect of the Beneficiary, and not withdrawn; or
 - A total of at least \$2,000 must have been contributed to one or more RESPs in respect of the Beneficiary before the end of the year in which the Beneficiary turns 15, and not withdrawn.
8. Understand that the authority to collect, use, and share personal information and other information included on this form for the purposes described below is provided under the *Canada Education Savings Act*, the *Income Tax Act* and the *Privacy Act*. Once under the control of Human Resources and Skills Development Canada, that information is administered in accordance with the *Canada Education Savings Act* and the *Privacy Act*. Once under the control of Canada Customs and Revenue Agency, that information is administered in accordance with the *Income Tax Act* and the *Privacy Act*.
9. Understand that the following information may be used by and shared with Human Resources and Skills Development Canada, Human Resources Development Canada, Canada Customs and Revenue Agency, the Promoter, and the Trustee to administer the Canada Education Savings Program and to conduct policy analysis, research and program evaluation:
 - personal information about the Beneficiary (name, date of birth, gender, Social Insurance Number);
 - post-secondary education information (the academic year, length and start date, program length, type and year, and the educational institution's postal code); and
 - information about Educational Assistance Payments from the RESP.
10. Understand that personal information about the Beneficiary (name, date of birth, Social Insurance Number, amount of Educational Assistance Payments from the RESP) will also be shared with and used by the following:
 - the Promoter for the purpose of having Educational Assistance Payments paid out of the RESP for the Beneficiary; and
 - Canada Customs and Revenue Agency for purposes of policy analysis, research, and compliance with the *Income Tax Act*.



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11. Understand that Human Resources and Skills Development Canada will use the personal information about me and the other information included on this form for policy analysis and research, and will share that information with Human Resources Development Canada to administer and evaluate the Canada Education Savings Program:
- my name;
 - RESP contract information (the Promoter's name and Business Number, the plan name and identification number, the contract identification number, date created);
 - RESP transaction information (the Promoter's transaction identifier, transaction date and type, and the date sent to the Canada Education Savings Program);
 - contribution amounts; and
 - total RESP assets.
12. Understand that the following information will be shared with and used by the Promoter, Trustee, and Canada Customs and Revenue Agency for income tax purposes:
- my name;
 - information about the RESP contract (the Promoter's name and Business Number, the plan name and identification number, contract identification number, and date created).
13. Understand that either my name and Social Insurance Number or the name and Business Number of the department, agency or institution that maintains the Beneficiary will be used by and shared with:
- the Promoter, the Trustee, Human Resources and Skills Development Canada, Human Resources Development Canada and Canada Customs and Revenue Agency for the administration of the Canada Education Savings Program; and
 - Human Resources and Skills Development Canada and Canada Customs and Revenue Agency for the verification of my adjusted net family income.
14. Understand that in order for a payment of the Additional Canada Education Savings Grant and/or Canada Learning Bond to be made, my adjusted net family income will be verified with the Canada Customs and Revenue Agency unless the Beneficiary is maintained by a department, agency or institution. My adjusted net family income information will be provided to Human Resources and Skills Development Canada by Canada Customs and Revenue Agency.
15. Confirm that I have read and understood this document. I understand that the *Privacy Act* gives me (or my authorized representative) the right to access my personal information kept in my government file.

I consent to the use and sharing of my personal information and the personal information of the Beneficiary as mentioned above.

I do not consent to the use and sharing of my personal information nor of the personal information of the Beneficiary as mentioned above.

NOTE: I understand that I am not required to give my consent; however, if I do not, Human Resources and Skills Development Canada cannot pay the Basic and/or Additional Canada Education Savings Grant and/or the Canada Learning Bond to the Trustee in respect of the RESP Beneficiary.

Signature of Subscriber who is also the Custodial Parent or Legal Guardian and the Primary Caregiver

Date

Signature of Joint Subscriber (if applicable)

Date