

WISCONSIN INDIAN EDUCATION ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION 2010 – 2011

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PURPOSE:

In keeping with its continuing commitment to higher education, the Wisconsin Indian Education Association is pleased to provide scholarship assistance to American Indian students attending institutes of higher education for the 2010–2011 academic year. This scholarship is an *achievement-based scholarship*, not based on financial need.

SCHOLARSHIP AMOUNT: \$1,000 (\$500/semester)

Four (4) scholarships will be awarded, one (1) in each of the following categories:

- 1. New or continuing student attending a vocational/technical/tribal college.
- 2. Entering freshman at a four-year college.
- 3. Undergraduate at a four-year college (second semester freshman, sophomore, junior or senior)
- 4. Graduate or Ph.D. student.

REQUIREMENTS: Must be a Wisconsin resident and provide proof of Tribal Enrollment.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

To complete the application process for this award, the applicant must provide the following:

- 1. Completed Application form.
- 2. Copy of current or most recent school transcript. <u>GED/HSED students are eligible only as continuing undergraduate or continuing technical college students.</u>
- 3. Two (2) sealed letters of recommendation, one from a teacher, employer or other professional familiar with your academic potential. No family or relative letters of support.
- 4. A one-page typed only personal essay focusing on how you will apply your education.

ONLY COMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE REVIEWED. THEY WILL BE SCORED AS

FOLLOWS: Letters of Recommendation

10 Pts. 25 Pts

Personal Essav 25

GPA 2.5 - 2.99 5 PTS / 3.0 - 3.49 10 PTS / 3.5 - 4.00 15 PTS

MAXIMUM POSSIBLE POINTS: 50

STUDENTS SCORING 25 POINTS OR LESS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED. NO APPLICATIONS WILL BE RETURNED.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: March 20, 2010 FAXES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED!

SEND COMPLETE PACKET TO:

Virginia Nuske, Scholarship Coordinator

WIEA

P.O. Box 910

Keshena, WI 54135

WIEA SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION CONTINUED

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RESPONSIBILITIES OF SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT:

- 1. Must meet application deadline with complete packet.
- 2. Must be maintaining at least a 2.50 Cumulative GPA.
- 3. Must be carrying sufficient credits to maintain full-time status
- Must send a copy of grades to WIEA Treasurer at the end of semester to receive next semester's award.
- 5. Scholarship must be used for educational purposes.

ALL INFORMATION SUBMITTED WITH THIS APPLICATION IS CONFIDENTIAL AND WILL BE AVAILABLE ONLY TO AUTHORIZED INDIVIDUALS.

RELEASE OF FUNDS:

Upon receipt of a copy of the student's semester course registration, \$500 will be released for the first semester. Upon receipt of the grade report and next semester's course registration, \$500 will be released. Submit information to WIEA Treasurer

RECIPIENTS ONLY WILL BE NOTIFIED BY MAIL AND INVITED TO ATTEND A WIEA BOARD MEETING OR ANNUAL CONFERENCE.

STUDENTS CAN ONLY RECEIVE SCHOLARSHIP AWARD ONE TIME IN EACH CATEGORY!



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PLEASE CHECK CATEGORY:New/Cont./tech/Tribal CollegeUndergrad.	Entering Freshman Grad/PHD.
PERSONAL DATA:	
Name:	
Address:	
City/State/Zip:	
Telephone: ()Area Code	
EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION: College:	Telephone:()
College Address:	
City/State/Zip:	
Major/Program:	
Date you will begin:AnticipatedGraduation/Completion:	
	Date
My signature verifies the information provided	is correct.
Copy of Tribal Certification or signature of cert	ifying official
I hereby certify that the above named applicant is enrolled according to available records.	in theTribe,
Signature/Certifying Official	Date
Signature/Certifying Official	
APPLICATION CHECKLIST Application formTranscriptsProof of Tribal Enrollment(2) Letters of Recommendation	END ALL FIVE (5) DOCUMENTS TO: Virginia Nuske, Scholarship Coordinator WIEA PO Box 910 Keshena, WI 54135