



**Kenaitze Indian Tribe  
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## **Tribal Scholarship Application**

### **Kahtnuht'ana Dena'ina Values**

**Education: Passing down cultural knowledge and traditions and supporting formal education**

The Tribal Scholarship is for the specific purpose of financially assisting eligible applicants who are enrolled in an accredited college, university, or trade school and are pursuing a degree/certification. Eligibility is based on Kenaitze Indian Tribe membership.

### **Application Deadlines**

Applications will be accepted year round.

### **Required Documents:**

Please provide copies of the documentation listed below. If copies of the documentation are not submitted with this application or the application is incomplete, **your application will not be processed.**

- Application form **completely filled out and signed**
- Official** transcripts of high school or college
- Budget Forecast form
- Signed Tribal Scholarship Program Guidelines
- Verification of Kenaitze Indian Tribe(Tribal Card)
- Picture of yourself
- Letter of Acceptance to school you are attending
- Letter stating your goals and education plans
- Class Schedule
- Driver's License/State ID
- Social Security Card
- Completed FAFSA Application

Thank you,  
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### General Information:

|                                                                     |              |              |                       |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------------|
| Email Address:                                                      |              |              |                       |
| Contact Phone Number while at school:                               |              |              |                       |
| Last Name                                                           | First Name   | M.I.         | Gender<br>M ___ F ___ |
| Address                                                             | City         | State        | Zip                   |
| Native Corporation                                                  | Native Tribe | SSN          | DOB                   |
| Marital Status<br>Single ___ Married ___ Divorced ___ Separated ___ |              | Phone Number |                       |

### Previous Education:

Highest grade of school completed: 8th \_\_\_ 9th \_\_\_ 10th \_\_\_ 11th \_\_\_ 12th \_\_\_

|                     |                                   |                 |     |
|---------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-----|
| High School Name    | Years Attended<br>From ___ to ___ | Graduation Date |     |
| High School Address | City                              | State           | Zip |

### **Please list all educational institutions: Colleges/Universities/Trade Schools you have attended:**

Highest level of college completed: None \_\_\_ Trade School \_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_ AA/AAS \_\_\_ BA/BS \_\_\_ M.A. \_\_\_ Ph.D. \_\_\_

|                            |                |       |     |
|----------------------------|----------------|-------|-----|
| College/University Name    | Years Attended |       |     |
| College/University Address | City           | State | Zip |

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**Current Education:**

**Current College/University:**

|                                    |      |                    |     |
|------------------------------------|------|--------------------|-----|
| College/University Name            |      | Major:             |     |
| College/University Address         | City | State              | Zip |
| Financial Aid Office Phone Number: |      | F.A. Office Email: |     |

|                                                           |                                                     |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| Have you applied for admissions? Y___ N___                | Have you been accepted for admissions? Y___ N___    |
| School Year: Semesters___ Quarters___                     | Class Standing: FR___ SO___ JR___ SR___ Graduate___ |
| Certificate/Degree sought: 2 year___ 4 year___ Other_____ |                                                     |

**Please list the scholarships or financial aid you've applied for:**

| Name of Scholarship | Amount Applied For | Amount Awarded |
|---------------------|--------------------|----------------|
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**\*\*\*\*\*This section should be completed by the school Financial Aide Officer\*\*\*\*\***

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Forecast for term beginning: \_\_\_\_\_ and ending: \_\_\_\_\_

**Anticipated Resources**

**Anticipated Expenses**

|                                |    |                                 |    |
|--------------------------------|----|---------------------------------|----|
| Alaska Native Scholarship      | \$ | Tuition                         | \$ |
| BEOG                           | \$ | Fees                            | \$ |
| College/Univ. Scholarship      | \$ | Dorm room deposit               | \$ |
| Parent Contribution            | \$ | Rent                            | \$ |
| Private Scholarship            | \$ | Board                           | \$ |
| Salary/part-time employment    | \$ | Meals                           | \$ |
| SEOG                           | \$ | Books                           | \$ |
| Social Security Administration | \$ | Supplies                        | \$ |
| State Student                  | \$ | Tools                           | \$ |
| Student Contribution           | \$ | <b>Transportation (itemize)</b> |    |
| Tuition Grant (Alaska)         | \$ |                                 | \$ |
| Veterans Administration        | \$ |                                 | \$ |
| Vocational Rehabilitation      | \$ |                                 | \$ |
| Work Study Scholarship         | \$ |                                 | \$ |
| Workforce Investment           | \$ | Total transportation expenses   | \$ |
| <b>Federal Resources</b>       |    | Other expenses                  | \$ |
| Federal Pell Grants            | \$ | <b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>           | \$ |
| FSEOG                          | \$ | Subtract TOTAL RESOURCES        | \$ |
| FWS                            | \$ | <b>TOTAL NEED from BIA</b>      | \$ |
| Perkins Loans                  | \$ |                                 |    |
| Stafford Loans                 | \$ |                                 |    |
| SLS                            | \$ |                                 |    |
| Other resources                | \$ |                                 |    |
| <b>TOTAL RESOURCES</b>         | \$ |                                 |    |

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

F.A. Officer Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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## **Tribal Scholarship Guidelines**

### **Eligibility**

To be eligible for the Tribal Scholarship, an applicant must be:

- A member of Kenaitze Indian Tribe.
- Enrolled in an accredited college, university, or trade school and are pursuing a degree/certificate/certification.
- Continuing undergraduate applicants who meet the academic requirements will be funded first.
- All other undergraduate students will be funded on first-come, first-serve basis until all funds are expended.
- Summer school students may be funded if funds are available.
- Graduate Students may be funded if funds are available and all other funding sources have been exhausted.

### **Academic Requirements:**

- Students must maintain an minimum of a 2.0 grade point average (GPA).

### **Academic Probation/Suspension:**

- If a student does not meet the required cumulative GPA or withdraws from a degree/certificate seeking program, they may be placed on Academic Probation for one term. The expectation is that the student will return to their previous degree/certificate seeking status and maintain a 2.5 GPA for the following term.
- Once a students funding has been suspended, the student will not be considered for future funding until the student, **through other funding sources**, earns a minimum a 2.5 GPA for the term in which he/she is enrolled.

### **Notice and Payment of Award:**

- Kenaitze Indian Tribe will notify applicants in writing within 30 days after all paperwork is submitted. Notification will specify the award amount.
- Payments of scholarships will be made to the financial aid office at the college or university the student is attending
- If a student does not enter, or drops from the institution, the institution shall refund all the remaining fund to the Kenaitze Indian Tribe.

### **Recommendations:**

- All applicants must complete and submit a financial aid package to the Kenaitze Indian Tribe as soon as possible to enhance funding possibilities.
- All students must send or have the college/university send the grade transcripts as soon as possible after each term so as not to delay next term's funding.

I have read and agreed to the terms and conditions provided above.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Student Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date