

### SCHOLARSHIP/FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE APPLICATION

Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(last) (first) (mi)

SSN No. \_\_\_\_\_ Enrollment No. \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Address City State Zip

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_ Marital Status: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ No. of Dependents: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a Veteran? \_\_\_ yes \_\_\_ no Military Branch: \_\_\_\_\_

Jr High/High School Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Graduation or GED: \_\_\_\_\_

Classification of School you will be attending (please check one):

- \_\_\_ Incentive Assist \_\_\_ Vocational Training \_\_\_ Freshman \_\_\_ Sophomore \_\_\_ Junior \_\_\_ Senior  
\_\_\_ Graduate \_\_\_ Post-Graduate \_\_\_ HS Bridge \_\_\_ HS Prep

Type of Degree you will earn (check one):

- \_\_\_ AA/AS/AAS \_\_\_ Certificate \_\_\_ BA/BS \_\_\_ MA/MS \_\_\_ ED/PhD \_\_\_ Field Base \_\_\_ High School Diploma

School you plan to attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Minor: \_\_\_\_\_ Month/Year to Graduate: \_\_\_\_\_

I will be attending (please check one):

- \_\_\_ College Undergraduate Full Time (12+ hours) \_\_\_ College Undergraduate Part Time  
\_\_\_ College Graduate Full Time (9+ hours) \_\_\_ College Graduate Part Time  
\_\_\_ Full Time High School Student \_\_\_ High School Bridge Student \_\_\_ Other

Have you previously received a Nebraska Winnebago Scholarship?

\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No When: \_\_\_\_\_ Where: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Method of Contact:  Phone  Email

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

**NEBRASKA WINNEBAGO SCHOLARSHIP/FINANCIAL  
ASSISTANCE CONTRACT**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Type of Assistance: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

This contract is made and entered into for the academic school year. The student is making application to the Nebraska Winnebago Scholarship and Financial Assistance Programs hereinafter called the PROGRAM and the student applicant hereinafter called the SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT,

**ALL APPLICANTS SHALL:**

1. Complete and submit a Nebraska Winnebago scholarship application by April 15 for fall semester, October 15 for new students applying for Winter/Spring semester and by April 15 for summer term.
2. Submit an official Certificate of Indian Blood (CIB) by April 15 for fall semester, October 15 for Winter/Spring semester, and by April 15 for summer term.
3. Submit a copy of the Letter of Admission (LOA) from an accredited college/university/tech school or graduate school and degree program by July 15 for fall semester, November 15 for Winter/Spring semester, and by April 15 for summer term.
4. Be enrolled in a program that will lead to a certificate, diploma, or degree at any institution eligible to participate in the Pell Grant Program.
5. All first-time applicants must submit their official high school transcripts indicating a 2.50 cumulative grade point average (gpa); those who have not met the 2.50 gpa out of high school are placed on academic probation and must adhere to article 9 in the policy.
6. All continuing SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS must reapply each academic year and submit an official college transcript within 15 days after the end of each term.
7. The Completed Financial Needs Analysis (FNA) is due by July 15 for fall semester, November 15 for Winter/Spring semester, and April 15 for summer term. Submit all financial aid forms (CSS,ACT,PELL) as required by the institution.

**The SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT:**

1. The SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT shall abide by and comply with the specific policies, procedures and eligibility requirements of the PROGRAM. The SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT shall be responsible for understanding his/her rights and responsibilities regarding financial assistance and/or scholarship including the responsibility to be informed of program policies.

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2. The SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT shall sign the application for scholarship and/or financial assistance with the stated terms, conditions, and standards.
3. The SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT shall release his/her official academic transcripts information including the most recent academic grades, graduation date, academic major and type of degree being pursued.
4. The SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT shall immediately report any change in marital status, name, income, enrollment, withdrawal and transfer status to the PROGRAM. The SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT who misuses said funds shall be denied additional scholarship and/or financial assistance awards for one (1) academic year and shall repay the amount of misused funds.
5. The SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT shall notify the PROGRAM of his or her graduation date and certificate or degree to be conferred.
6. The SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT shall apply for other available grants and/or scholarships, such as federal, state, and institution aid from private sources, separate from the PROGRAM.
7. All continuing SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS shall comply with one of the following academic standards prior to receiving continued funding:

**(a) For full time undergraduate financial assistance**

- (i) Academic Term: Earn twelve (12) or more semester credit hours, or equivalent amount of quarter or trimester credit hours, with a term grade point average of 2.50. Freshman shall be allowed to take a maximum of twelve (12) credit hours of remedial courses, six (6) credit hours per academic term, including 100 level and below courses, within the first two academic terms;
- (ii) Summer session: Which may include internships/externships will be determined by the Institution.

**(b) For part time scholarship**

- (i) Part time undergraduates are eligible for the cost of books, tuition and fees only and shall earn a grade point average of 2.50 or higher for each course per academic term funded to be considered for continued eligibility.
- (ii) Part time graduates shall earn a grade point average of 3.00 or higher for each course per academic term funded to be considered for continued eligibility.

**(c) For full time graduate or post-graduate**

- (i) Academic Term: Earn nine (9) or more semester credit hours, or equivalent amount of Quarter or Trimester credit hours, with a term grade point average of 3.00 or higher.
- (ii) Summer session: Which may include internships/externships will be determined by the Institution.

**(d) Adult vocational trainees**

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## THE PROGRAM:

1. The SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT who officially or unofficially withdrew from college or university shall be interviewed and counseled by the PROGRAM to determine whether the reason(s) given is justified. If the reason(s) is not justifiable, the applicant shall be disqualified.

FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS Applying for High School Bridge Program or the High School Preparatory Program  
Please note in addition to this application: both high school programs also require:

1. Two (2) Letters of Recommendation
2. National norms test scores
3. Student Essay: Requirements (Why attending prep school or bridge program is important to me) - One page long, no less than a paragraph.
4. Parent's Essay (Why my child deserves this scholarship) - One page long, no less than a paragraph.

These additions DO NOT have to be added unless you are a high school student applying for the High School Preparatory or the High School Bridge Program

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ASSISTANCE CONTRACT**

PURSUANT TO ARTICLE 6, POLICIES AND PROCEDURES,  
YOU MUST SIGN THIS CONTRACT

If and when this application is approved, I \_\_\_\_\_

shall accept and abide by the conditions stipulated in the terms above and shall be bound by the responsibilities and consequences thereof. I understand that once I accept educational funds, and I do not follow through with my education plan, I am obligated to repay the total amount disbursed to me; and said amount shall be deducted from any tribal dividend I am eligible to received.

**\* I give permission to the school to release my test scores, mid-term grades, semester transcripts financial aid information and enrollment status to the Nebraska Winnebago Scholarship/Financial Assistance Program.**

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

ADULT VOCATIONAL TRAINEES: Required tools and/or training equipment purchased by the program will remain the property of the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska until student completes training.

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**OFFICE USE ONLY**

Approved \_\_\_\_\_

Denied \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Staff Signature \_\_\_\_\_





CERTIFICATION OF INDIAN BLOOD  
REQUEST FORM

WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA  
ENROLLMENT, P.O. BOX 687  
WINNEBAGO, NE 68071  
402-878-2028

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Dear Enrollment Officer:

The Nebraska Winnebago Tribal Scholarship Office is requesting an official seal on this Certificate of Indian Blood. This is required for any student applying for a grant.

The following information is herewith submitted:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Enrollment Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Mothers Maiden Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Fathers Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Please forward this Certificate of Indian Blood with seal affixed to:

Scholarship/Financial Assistance Department  
P.O. Box 687  
Winnebago, NE 68071

\_\_\_\_\_  
Students Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**WINNEBAGO TRIBE of NEBRASKA**

Higher Education Program P.O. BOX 687 WINNEBAGO, NE 68071

Telephone (402)878-2631 Fax (420)878-2637

**Education Plan**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Degree: \_\_\_\_\_

Academic Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

The Nebraska Winnebago Scholarship Financial Assistance Program Policy Procedures stipulate that degree seeking students complete their undergraduate degree in 4 years; but not more than 5 years. To meet this expectation, students must plan in consultation with an academic advisor and meet the benchmark. Students are required to map out individualized four-year or 2 year degree plans consistent with these guidelines.

FRESHMAN YEAR	FALL/20__	Cr.Hrs	SPRING/20__	Cr.Hrs
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	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER CREDITS</b>	_____	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER CREDITS</b>	_____

SOPHOMORE YEAR	FALL/20__	Cr.Hrs	SPRING/20__	Cr.Hrs
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	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER CREDITS</b>	_____	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER CREDITS</b>	_____

JUNIOR YEAR	FALL/20 ____	Cr.Hrs	SPRING/20 ____	Cr.Hrs
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	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER CREDITS</b>	_____	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER CREDITS</b>	_____

SENIOR YEAR	FALL/20 ____	Cr.Hrs	SPRING/20 ____	Cr.Hrs
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	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER CREDITS</b>	_____	<b>TOTAL SEMESTER CREDITS</b>	_____

Academic Advisor Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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