



## ANNUAL MENOMINEE TRIBAL SCHOLARSHIP

2019-2020 ACADEMIC YEAR

**Deadline to apply: May 31, 2019 @ 4:30 PM**

**Attention students: The Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin will be awarding four (4) \$1,000 scholarships for the 2019-2020 school year.** Scholarships will be made payable to the college/university in the amount of \$500/semester.

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One \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded to a Menominee student in each the following categories:

1. 2019 Graduating high school senior
2. Vocational/Technical/Tribal College student
3. Undergraduate student attending a 4-year college/university
4. Graduate student

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### REQUIRED INFORMATION

- High School Seniors & New Students:** Letter of acceptance from the college/university and most recent transcript. Must maintain full-time status.
- Continuing Students:** Submit most recent grade report/transcript. Must maintain full-time status and maintain satisfactory academic progress (2.00 GPA or better).
- Letter of Recommendation:** Minimum of one (1) letter from counselor or advisor.
- Essay:** One (1) to two (2) page typed essay, explaining how your education will benefit you and your community. Include community service and extracurricular activities. Do not focus on financial need; the committee is aware that all students have financial needs.
- Proof of Menominee Tribal Enrollment:** Copy of certified Indian Grant Application, Menominee Tribal enrollment card, or completed certification statement by Menominee Tribal Enrollment Department.
- Applications must be submitted to the Menominee Tribal Education Department** by fax (715)799-5102; emailed to [smchapman@mitw.org](mailto:smchapman@mitw.org); or postmarked by May 31<sup>st</sup> and mailed to P.O. Box 910 Keshena, WI 54135.

### SCORING

Members of the award committee will be leaders from the tribal community. Applications will be scored based upon:

- ✓ Transcript: Up to 15 points Cumulative GPA: 4.00-3.50/15 points; 3.49-3.00/10 points; 2.99-2.00/5 points.
- ✓ Letter of Recommendation: Up to 10 points
- ✓ Essay: Up to 25 points

### AWARDING OF SCHOLARSHIPS

- ❖ Students who receive the highest scores will receive the awards. *Note: The quality and content of the essay, as well as academic achievement, will have a strong bearing on the total score.*
- ❖ Scholarship recipients will be notified within a week after the committee reviews and scores the applications.
- ❖ Fall award: The first half of the scholarship will be sent to the school upon proof of enrollment/registration for the fall semester (i.e. course schedule).
- ❖ Spring award: The second half of the scholarship will be sent to the school upon receipt of fall grade report and proof of registration for the spring semester (i.e. course schedule). Fall grades must show satisfactory academic progress (2.0 GPA or better). If you will not be attending the spring semester, please notify our office.

**NOTE: Students can receive a scholarship award one time in each category.**

**ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CALL THE TRIBAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT AT 715-799-5110 OR 5118.**



## MENOMINEE TRIBAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

### CHECK WHICH CATEGORY YOU ARE APPLYING FOR:

- Graduating high school senior
- Vocational/Technical/Tribal College student
- Undergraduate student attending a 4-year college/university
- Graduate student

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number \_\_\_\_\_ Email address \_\_\_\_\_

### EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

School \_\_\_\_\_ Program/Major \_\_\_\_\_

Year in school \_\_\_\_ Freshman \_\_\_\_ Sophomore \_\_\_\_ Junior \_\_\_\_ Senior \_\_\_\_ Graduate Student

Anticipated graduation date \_\_\_\_\_

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**Applicant Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

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**Certification statement from Menominee Tribal Enrollment Department:** To be completed by Menominee Tribal Enrollment Department Official unless other documentation of tribal enrollment is provided.

I hereby certify that the above named applicant is an enrolled member of the Menominee Indian Tribe.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of certifying official & Date

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Applicant's tribal enrollment number

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**Only complete applications will be considered. Make sure you have each item ready for submission, along with this application:**

- \_\_\_\_ Letter of acceptance (High School Senior/New Student)
- \_\_\_\_ Most recent grade report/transcript
- \_\_\_\_ Letter of recommendation
- \_\_\_\_ Typewritten essay
- \_\_\_\_ Proof of tribal enrollment

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