



Kohkəmæssənena Scholarship

(Our Grandmother)

This annual scholarship was established to assist one Penobscot tribal member pursuing post-secondary education at an accredited, non-profit institution. This includes undergraduate as well as graduate programs. One award of \$2000.00 will be granted for the Spring 2018 semester and paid directly to the College or University. Awards are based on financial need for un-met tuition expenses only. **Awards will not be based on academic achievement/ grades.**

Eligibility:

1. Must be an enrolled Penobscot Nation tribal member
2. Must complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)
3. Must be accepted into a post-secondary, non-profit institution and enrolled for a minimum of 9 credit hours
4. Must have an un-met financial need for tuition expenses

Instructions:

1. Complete the scholarship application, including essay, acceptance letter and FAFSA Student Aid Report (SAR).
2. Complete applications must be submitted to: Kohkəmæssənena Scholarship, Penobscot Nation Department of Education, 12 Wabanaki Way, Indian Island, ME 04468, by September 1, 2017, 4pm (Eastern Time).

Applications received after this date, or incomplete, will not be considered.

Kohkəmæssənena Scholarship Application

Please print clearly:

Name: _____ Telephone: _____

Mailing Address: _____

E-mail: _____

College or University you (plan to) attend: _____

Program or Major: _____

Check one: 4 yr. degree 2 yr. degree Master Other: _____

How many classes are you taking during the Spring 2018 semester: _____

Anticipated date of graduation: _____

Estimated tuition expenses for 1 year: \$ _____

How are you currently planning to finance your education? _____

Please attach the following:

1. An essay (double-spaced, 12 font), no more than 2 pages, describing your financial need, goals for your future and how your education may or may not impact your community.
2. Acceptance letter from College / University or unofficial transcripts or verification from Registrar’s Office, stating you are a current student or will be in the Spring 2018 semester.
3. Financial need demonstrated by the applicant’s Student Aid Report (SAR).
*It is imperative that students submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) in time to receive the Student Aid Report (SAR) back from the federal government. The SAR must be submitted with the scholarship application.

I declare that all the information provided on this application is true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge.

If I am granted the Kohkəmæssənena Scholarship, I agree to submit to the Board a copy of my Spring 2018 course schedule, showing credit hours, at the beginning of the Spring 2018 semester and an unofficial grade report for the semester in which the scholarship was issued within one month of semester completion.

All materials will be held in the strictest confidence by the Kohkəmæssənena Scholarship Board.

Applicant’s Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian’s Signature (if under 18): _____

Date: _____

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Submit Applications to:

Penobscot Nation Department of Education
& Career Services
Attn.: Kohkəmæssənena Scholarship
12 Wabanaki Way
Indian Island, ME 04468

Or:

Candi.Ewer@penobscotnation.org

Any questions can be directed to:

Penobscot Nation Dept. of Education &
Career Services: Candi Ewer at
(207) 817-7348

Or:

Indian Island School: Guidance Department,
Tracey Nute at (207) 827-4285

