



Connecticut Native American Intertribal Urban Council

Mailing address: 545 Whalley Ave New Haven, Ct. 06511

Scholarship Application Instructions

This scholarship was developed to assist Native American students residing in and attending school in Massachusetts, Connecticut, or Rhode Island. The applicant must be enrolled in or accepted to a Nursing or Pharmacy Program. This scholarship is being funded by CVS Pharmacy

The following information and application should be read and filled out completely to be eligible for consideration of an award.

Eligibility

- ✚ Applicants must be Native American.
- ✚ All applications **must** be postmarked or hand delivered to 545 Whalley Ave New Haven, Ct. 06511 Attn: Scholarship Committee no later than **Monday April 30, 2012** to be considered eligible.
- ✚ The applicant **must** reside in Massachusetts, Connecticut, or Rhode Island (proof of residence is required)
- ✚ All applicants **must** be enrolled in or accepted to a School of Pharmacy or a Nursing Program.(Proof of enrollment, prior to the time of award recognition is required)
- ✚ All applicants **must** supply proof of Native American ancestry through written documentation (acceptable forms of documentation–Ancestry/Genealogy chart, Census records, Birth and Death records, etc.)
- ✚ Scholarships are open to family members of CT-NAIUC
- ✚ Two letters of recommendation (one of which should be from a Native American, where possible)
- ✚ Students need solid grades plus community services or work related to field of interest
- ✚ All applicants **must** have at least a **2.0** GPA
- ✚ **CNA programs and Pharmacy Assistant and Technician programs are excluded**
- ✚ **Registered members of a Federally Recognized tribes are excluded**

Judging Criteria

All applications that are completed and signed will be judged by the committee based on the following criteria:

- ✚ Student's scholastic record
- ✚ Student's multimedia project/essay (How well they developed the topic, Creativity, Grammar / Spelling and overall presentation)
- ✚ Students community service and work experience
- ✚ Other student achievements

Requirements

- ✚ Application
- ✚ 2 letters of recommendation
- ✚ Essay/Multimedia Project
- ✚ Official transcript
- ✚ Proof of Native American Ancestry
- ✚ Proof of residency
- ✚ Proof of acceptance into a Nursing or Pharmacy program
- ✚ Awardees will be required to have their picture taken receiving the awards

Instructions

- ✚ Applicant's name should appear on all items submitted
- ✚ All documents should be typewritten double-spaced
- ✚ All judging will be done by (non-related) members of the Scholarship Committee
- ✚ All finalist will be notified by mail by **Thursday May 31, 2012** and requested to accept the award at the Pow -Wow
- ✚ Applicants not accepted will be notified also
- ✚ Selections will be completed by **Thursday May 31, 2012**
- ✚ Awards will be presented at the Pow-Wow exact date and time will be determined by the council. Awardees will be contacted prior to that date

All awards will be voted on by the committee and approved by the Council Chairperson

The Awards are based on the number of applications received each year. All awards will be selected according to the criteria above.

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All materials submitted for consideration will become the property of The Connecticut Native American Intertribal Urban Council

The Council is not responsible for lost, misdirected, damaged or otherwise illegible submissions. No phone calls will be accepted to check the status of or information given regarding applications until the final list is developed.

By signing and submitting an application, the applicant agrees that their information will be reviewed by committee members, and their pictures and/or award amount may be used in a publication or newsletter. Awardees may also be asked to attend a special meeting or promotional event regarding their award. Personal information contained on the application is for the purpose of this award only and will not be disclosed, sold or used in any manner by any others persons. All information will be kept confidential.