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Haley Case-Scott

## UO's donor-funded scholarship program for low-income Oregonians turns 10

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Haley Case-Scott says her PathwayOregon scholarship has transformed her life.

"It's not likely that I would have come to the UO otherwise," says the political science major from Chiloquin. "My family is extremely proud of me because I am the first to go to college.

Haley felt isolated when she first arrived on campus, but says the advising, workshops and social events that come with a PathwayOregon scholarship brought her out.

"They helped me find my community," she says. "I've been a peer advisor for PathwayOregon for the past two years and it's really cool to help support the building of that community even more."

Haley, a member of the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians, is also a descendent of the Klamath Tribes, the Sokaogon Band of Chippewa Indians and the Yurok Tribe. She worked during the summer as a student research assistant with the Tribal Climate Change Project. In the long term, she plans to work on behalf of indigenous people – ideally, where she grew up.

"What I'm focused on right now is climate change issues and how they affect indigenous people," Haley says. "I believe indigenous people are being affected first-hand. I'm really worried about the loss of first foods and the complete uprooting of tribal lifeways and cultures."

Whatever the future brings, she's grateful for the opportunities she received through PathwayOregon.

"They've helped me in so many ways and supported me throughout my time here," she says. "I'm going to really miss it."

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Happy 16<sup>th</sup> Birthday to Cintah Butler! You're becoming such an amazing young woman and we're so proud of you! We hope this year will be the best one yet, angel! We love you so much.

Love, Mom, Dad Raymond, Isaiah, Ivan, Austin, Jules and Emaay xOxO

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Happy 8<sup>th</sup> Birthday to my beautiful, sassy lil red head! You were and still are my curve ball that taught me not all children are the same and continue to keep me on my toes. We love you, Bella Boo.

Love, Mom, Dad, Tyee, Tamiya and Penelope



Happy 12<sup>th</sup> Birthday to my first-born daughter, Tamiya! My sweet girl and biggest helper, you've grown into such a beautiful and talented young lady. We love you very much, my Mia Mia Mona Pia.

Love, Mom, Dad, Tyee, Isabella and Penelope



### Ribbon Skirts • Domestic Violence Awareness Month • Siletz Clinic

Photos by Andy Taylor

Above: Tina Retasket (center) shows Noel Butler and Francisca "Sissy" Rilatos how to sew ribbons on a skirt.

Above right: Danica Lundy helps Jenifer Metcalf keep the needle going in a straight line.

Below: Kathy Kentta shows Tasheena Jackson how to follow the patterns on a ribbon skirt.

Below right: Kira Woosley lays out fabric for a skirt.

