

Important information for college-bound Tribal seniors

December

- If you haven't already done so, take this last SAT test for seniors.
- Get FAFSA forms, available for federal and state financial aid.
- Apply for FAFSA pin number – student/parents must apply separately.
- Mail or submit all revised, complete college applications before the holiday break.
- Start scholarship essays.
- Start OSAC (Oregon Student Assistance Commission).

January

- FAFSA forms can be submitted Jan. 1! Do not delay – do this ASAP.
- Complete scholarships that are due.
- Check for Student Aid Report (SAR) on the FAFSA website several days after filing out the FAFSA).
- Request mid-year transcripts be sent to colleges to which you have applied.
- Request transcripts needed for OSAC scholarship application.

For more information about the Siletz Tribal language program, please visit siletzlanguage.org.

CTSI Jobs

Tribal employment information is available at ctsi.nsn.us.

Outside Scholarships for NATIVE AMERICAN STUDENTS

Cobell Scholarship

<http://cobellscholar.org/>
various scholarships available
*essay required

Open to descendants/enrolled members

American Indian Services

<https://www.americanindianservices.org/>
various scholarships available
*essay may be required

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American Indian College Fund

<http://www.collegefund.org/>
various scholarships available
*essay required

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Bureau of Indian Education

<http://www.bie.edu/ParentsStudents/Grants/>
various scholarships available
*essay may be required

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Native American Scholarship Fund

<http://catchingthedream.org/>
various scholarships available
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- Send thank you notes to people who have helped you.
- Students who plan to apply for Tribal assistance for college must apply for FAFSA no later than Jan. 31 at fafsa.ed.gov.

February

- First semester grades and mid-year reports are sent to some colleges.
- Check your school counseling office or ASPIRE center for scholarship information.
- Complete scholarships.
- Check with colleges applied to for verification they have received all necessary documents. Continue to monitor status of submitted applications.
- Check to see if your mid-year transcripts have been sent to the schools to which you have applied.
- Wrap up any scholarship application, essays and activities chart (for OSAC). Early bird deadline is in February for OSAC.

Internships

- NOAA 2019 Climate Change and Global Change Post-Doctoral Fellowship
Deadline: Jan. 4, 2019
- Oregon Community Foundation/Oregon Humanities Fields Artist Fellowship
Deadline: Jan. 14, 2019
- Univ. of Oregon Sapsik'wa'la Teacher Education Program
Deadline: Jan. 15, 2019
- White House Fellowship
Deadline: Jan. 16, 2019
- Udall Foundation Native American Congressional Internship
Deadline: Jan. 31, 2019
- Northern Arizona University Institute for Tribal Environmental Professionals 2019 Summer Internship
Deadline: Feb. 25, 2019
- HP 3D Printing Engineering Intern
Deadline: Open until filled
- Pearson Packaging Systems Engineering Internship
Deadline: Open until filled
- Wisdom of the Elders Agricultural Incubator Internship
Deadline: Various
- NW Native American Research Centers for Health Research Support Fellowship
Deadline: Rolling
- Northwestern University's Center for Native American and Indigenous Research Undergraduate Fellowships
Deadline: Rolling
- Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center Post-Doctoral Research Fellow
Deadline: Multiple
- Saturday Academy Internships
Deadline: Multiple

March

- Check for three Tribal scholarships at ctsi.nsn.us.
- Complete scholarships.
- Start working on Tribal higher education or adult vocational training grant application. This can be found on the Tribe's website and is due June 30.
- Review the Student Aid Report (SAR).
- You should start receiving admission responses.

April

- Send thank you notes to people who have helped you.
- Make final decision about which college or university you will attend.
- If you decide to decline enrollment to a college or university to which you have been accepted, send notice indicating this to the college's admissions office.

Scholarships

- Fastweb (scholarship search engine)
- Big Future (scholarship search engine)
- Pacific Northwest Scholarship Guide (scholarship search engine)
- OregonStudentAid.gov
- Minority Scholarship in Classics and Classical Archaeology
Deadline: Dec. 16, 2018
- Society for American Archaeology Arthur Parker Scholarship
Deadline: Dec. 17, 2018
- Society for American Archeology Native American Undergraduate and Graduate Archaeology Scholarships
Deadline: Dec. 17, 2018
- American Geosciences Institute's Harriet Evelyn Wallace Scholarship
Deadline: Jan. 4, 2019
- American Water Works Association Scholarship
Deadline: Jan. 11, 2019
- Architects Foundation Diversity Advancement Scholarship
Deadline: Jan. 16, 2019
- PSU Dean's Scholarship Fund for Public Health
Deadline: Feb. 1, 2019
- State of Washington American Indian Endowed Scholarship
Deadline: Feb. 1, 2019
- Catching the Dream 2019 Summer Scholarship
Deadline: March 15, 2019
- Intertribal Timber Council Truman D. Picard Scholarship
Deadline: March 15, 2019
- University of Idaho College of Natural Resources McCall Outdoor Science School Scholarships
Deadline: Rolling
- American Indian College Fund: TCU Scholarship
Deadline: Contact TCU Financial Aid Office

May

- This is the deadline for final decisions for universities.
- Send letter of intent to registrar.
- Line up a summer job.
- Attend your Senior Awards Night.
- Review any award letters and be sure you understand the terms and conditions that accompany each type of aid.
- If necessary, arrange for housing and a meal plan (at school).
- Send thank you notes to any person/committee from which you received a scholarship.

June

- Tribal higher education and adult vocational training applications are due June 30!
- Attend graduation – congratulations!
- Make arrangements for your final grades to be sent to colleges and universities.
- Good luck!

Other Opportunities

- President's Environmental Youth Award Program
Deadline: Feb. 1, 2019
- 2019 UNITY Mid-Year Conference
Feb. 15-18, 2019
- Center for Native American Youth at the Aspen Institute – Generation Indigenous Network Youth Ambassador
- National Youth Leadership Forum STEM Program Nomination Form
Deadline: Various
- The Student Conservation Association

2018/2019 HUNTING/FISHING/GATHERING INCENTIVES

Reminder to all Siletz Tribal members: Please report all harvests of deer, elk, salmon and shellfish to the Natural Resources Department. The name on the tag/permit will be submitted into a drawing after the season's end and could receive one of the following Cabela's gift card incentives.

HUNTING INCENTIVES

\$100 ~ \$75 ~ \$50
CABELA'S GIFT CARDS

FISHING INCENTIVE

\$50
CABELA'S GIFT CARD

SHELLFISH INCENTIVE

\$50
CABELA'S GIFT CARD

Please report all harvests to:

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