

EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Important notice to full-time students

All full-time students must submit verification that they have applied to a scholarship outside the Tribe BEFORE funding will be released for the term/semester. Verification can include a scholarship award or denial letter, e-mail verification that an application was submitted, a copy of the application or the financial aid award letter that lists an outside scholarship. Please contact Education at 1-800-422-0232, ext. 2275, if you have any questions.

Higher Education Web page updated

Check out the new Higher Education program Website at www.grandronde.org/departments/education/higher-education/. Program information, updates, newsletters, scholarship info and more!

OSAC scholarships

The Oregon Student Assistance Commission is now accepting applications for the 2012 process. OSAC administers more than 400 scholarships through their single application for Oregon students. Students who are members of Oregon Tribes and live out of state also are eligible to apply if they plan on attending college in Oregon. Visit <http://getcollegefunds.org/eApp.html> to apply. This application has an early bird deadline of Feb. 16, 2012, and a final deadline of March 1. Early bird applicants are entered into a \$500 scholarship drawing just for turning their application in early.

Best Buy scholarship

Best Buy will award up to 1,200 students a \$1,000 scholarship each. Applicants must be a 9-12 grade student who plans to attend post-secondary education, have solid grades and are involved in community service or work experience. The 2012 application deadline is Feb. 15. For more information and to apply, visit www.at15.com/contests_scholarships/at15_scholarship.

Oregon University System admissions and scholarship deadlines

The OUS schools have their own priority deadline for admissions. This is also their university scholarship deadline. Don't miss your opportunity to attend your top school choice and a chance to receive a scholarship.

- Eastern Oregon University: March 1
- Oregon Institute of Technology: March 1
- Oregon State University: Feb. 1
- Portland State University: Feb. 1
- Southern Oregon University: Feb. 15
- University of Oregon: Jan. 15
- Western Oregon University: Feb. 1

Chafee Education and Training Grant

The Chafee Education & Training Grant deadline for Spring Term 2012 is Feb. 1. Applicants must currently be in foster care, or have been in foster care for at least 180 days (six months) after their 14th birthday and exited substitute care at age 16 or older and participate in the voucher program by their 21st birthday. Applicants are eligible for up to \$1,000 per academic year (\$3,000 maximum per year). For more information and to apply, visit www.oregonstudentaid.gov/chafeeetv.aspx. Contact the Tribal Scholarship Office if you need assistance with your application at 1-800-422-0232, ext. 1345.

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UO NATIVE AMERICAN OPPORTUNITIES PROGRAM

University of Oregon representative LINDSEY X. WATCHMAN will be visiting the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde to show students the many opportunities at the UO to help inspire them to change the world.

Wednesday, Feb. 22, 2012
5:30-8:00 P.M.

Youth Education Building
9615 Grand Ronde Road
Grand Ronde, Oregon

admissions.uoregon.edu
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