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EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

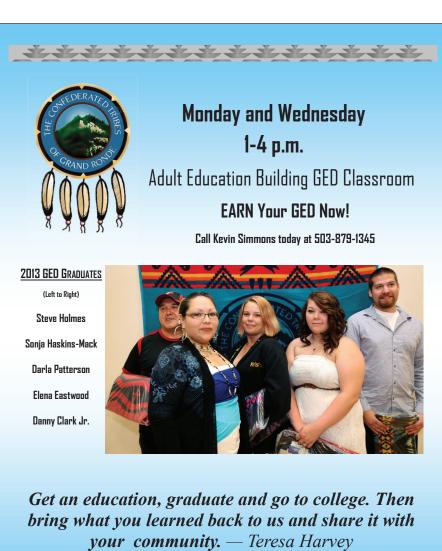
Important notice to full-time students

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.

Looking for scholarships?

There are numerous scholarship opportunities offered for students to apply to each year. The majority of scholarships for fall term/semester are due between January and April of each year. The Tribal Higher Education programs are here to assist you in your application process. If you use a scholarship search site, be sure to read the privacy policy to ensure you are using a site that will not sell your contact information. A recommended search site to use is www.kaarme.com.





College Placement Testing offered

College Placement Testing is offered on-site at the Adult Education Building for Chemeketa Community College, Linn-Benton Community College and Mount Hood Community College. The Placement Test is one of the first steps to beginning college classes.

Call 503-879-2282 to sign up for your placement test – allow about one week for scheduling purposes.

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

CTGR Higher Education Program deadlines set

There are now only two Higher Education programs depending on whether you are full-time or part-time. The deadline for the Full-Time College program is <u>at least 30 days</u> before the start of classes. The deadline for the Part-Time College program is <u>at least 10 days</u> before the start of class.

Visit the Tribal website for more program information and an application. www.grandronde.org/departments/education/higher-education/■



LIBRARY HOURS:

Monday – Friday: 9 A.M. – 6 P.M. (closed Monday - Friday: noon – 1 P.M.) Saturday: 10 A.M. – 2 P.M.

Movie Time @ **the Library:** Movies will be shown through December at 5:30 p.m. Youth age 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult. The schedule is:

- Tuesday, Nov. 18: "Legends of the Guardians"
- Tuesday, Dec. 9: "Miracle on 34th Street"

Annnouncing: The newly updated Learning Express Library database is up and running on the library computers. This is a valuable resource for school age through adult learners. Features of Learning Express include:

- Skill Building Centers for reading, writing and math for students & adults;
- College and Career Centers including test preparation for a wide range of standardized tests;
- High School Equivalency test prep including the GED test prep;
- · And much more!

The database available in English and Spanish

Donations: Many thanks to the following contributors to the library collection: Eirik Thorsgard, Bonnie Mercier, Shawn Hostler-Jones and Donn Grishaber. Special thanks to Alton Butler and Michelle Volz for helping us out with donations for our Summer Program activities and to Sol George for donating Native American art to the library. We appreciate the great additions to the library.

Reminder: Donated items must be clean and in good condition. Inter-library loan services: The Tribal Library partners with Oregon State Library to offer "library to library" inter-library loan services. By completing the inter-library loan form, library patrons may request items from the State Library collection. State Library lending policies apply for return of items.