# **Application:**

2023-24 SY Nez Perce Higher Education Scholarship Program

#### Summary

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## Nez Perce Higher Education Scholarship Application (SY '23/'24

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SURVEY INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. With SurveyMonkey Apply online application, you don't have to complete it in one session. Ensure that you SAVE your work.
- It's important to complete the full page and push "Next" or "Done," because this will save your information. If you push "Previous" or exit survey before you get to the last page, your information will not be saved.
- 3. All questions with an \* (astericks) are required to answer.
- 4. Active scholarship recipients (funded in Spring 2023 and continued in Fall 2023) will not have to complete page 12 and New/Transfer students will not do page 13.
- 5. The last page is a "Frequently Asked Questions" page. This has information on when checks will be processed and other important details that students often ask.
- 6. If you have any problems completing the survey, please contact the Education Manager for assistance.

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

# Form for "Nez Perce Higher Education Scholarship Application

Please provide updated information for the 2023/24 School Year.

## Personal Background

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Please provide us updated personal background information for the 2023-24 school year.

#### **Personal Information**

Provide the following information:

First Name	
Middle Name	
Last Name	
Maiden Name &/or Aliases (if applicable)	
Current Age	
Hometown	
High School or GED Program Name	
High School or GED Graduation Date (Mos/Yr, eg. 06/2016)	
Current Degree Start Date (Mos/Yr, e.g. 08/2021)	

First Generation College Student

Definition: an individual whose parent or parents did not attend college. If raised by a single parent, then only consider that parent's status.

Question: Are you a first generation college student?



#### **Contact Information**

Provide the following contact information.

Important to provide the most accurate information. We will use the mailing address to send you official documents (including tribal check) or your phone number or email address to request information or send updates.

Mailing Address	
City/Town	
State	
Zip Code	
Personal Email Address	
Personal Phone Number	
Parents or Message Phone Number	

## Previous College(s)

Please list all previous colleges you have attended. Write "N/A" in line 1, if you have no previous college experience.

1st College & Years Attended	
2nd College & Years Attended	
3rd College & Years Attended	
4th College & Years Attended	
5th College & Years Attended	

## Projected Degree Completion Timeline

What is your Projected Degree Completion Timeline? Select from list below.

Term

## Degree Type

Note: Two-year students, double check how your degree is classified by your college, i.e. Associates (academic) or Vocational Technical (aka Professional Technical or Associates of Applied Science).

Please select your Degree Type:

## Majors / Minors

Please list your Major(s) and Minor(s), if applicable: (e.g. Direct Transfer, Business, Education, etc.)

Major(s)	
Minor(s)	
<b>College information.</b> Provide updated information on your college and start date	e
College Name	
Official Address	
City/Town	
State	
Zip Code	
Date classes start	

#### Year in College

#### How long have you been working on your current degree?

First Year= Completed under 2 semesters or 3 quarters

Second Year= Completed 2 semesters or 3 quarters, but under 4 semesters or 6 quarters

Third Year= Completed 4 semesters or 6 quarters, but under 6 semesters or 9 quarters (Reminder: Third Year Students Need a Degree Audit with their application)

Fourth Year= Completed 6 semesters or 9 quarters, but under 8 semesters or 12 quarters

Fifth Year= Completed 8 semesters or 12 quarters, but under 10 semesters or 15 quarters

#### Graduation

Are you going to graduate in the 2023/24 school year?

**First Term Funded** 

What terms are you applying to first receive tribal scholarship funding?



## READ THIS ENTIRE DESCRIPTION TO AVOID ERRORS IN SELECTING YOUR STUDENT TYPE!

Depending on the "type" of student you are (see below), you will answer a different set of questions and will submit a different set of documents.

Please review the following definitions carefully. If you are not sure how to answer, contact the Education Manager.

## **DEFINITIONS**:

1) Active Scholarship Student: STUDENTS FUNDED CONSECUTIVELY WITH ONE TERM PRIOR TO CURRENT TERM and...

a. Fall Quarter/Semester 2023- Continued from Spring 2023 or Summer 2023.

Winter Quarter/Spring Semester 2024- Continued from Fall 2023.

Spring Quarter- Continued from Winter 2024.

b. Working on the same academic degree (Associates, Bachelors, Masters, Doctorate/Professional) or vocational technical program from the last school term

c. Not transferring to new school

(2) New Student: STUDENTS NOT FUNDED IONE TERM PRIOR TO CURRENT TERM (See examples above in 1a) and...

a. First time student

b. Student returning after a break in study

c. Student who completed one degree and is moving on to the next level degree (i.e. AA to Bachelors, Bachelors to Masters, etc.)

(3) Transfer Student: a. Student transferring from one academic or vocational technical institution to another

## **Student Type**

What is your student type (per definitions above)?

#### Last School Attended

Provide information on the last school you attended. (High School, GED Program, or College/University)

## References #1

References [Three (3) people, who are not related to you, who may be contacted as a reference about your character, personality, leadership, and scholastic qualities]

Name
Address
City/Town
State
Zip Code
Phone Number

#### References #2

References [Three (3) people, who are not related to you, who may be contacted as a reference about your character, personality, leadership, and scholastic qualities]

Name	
Address	
City/Town	
State	
Zip Code	
Phone Number	

#### References #3

References [Three (3) people, who are not related to you, who may be contacted as a reference about your character, personality, leadership, and scholastic qualities]

Name	
Address	
City/Town	
State	
Zip Code	
Phone Number	

# Self-Report on Financial Aid

## Self-Report on Financial Aid

We want to ensure that each student understands his or her responsibility to FULLY FUND his or her own education. This involves meeting application deadlines and working with one's school Financial Aid office. Tribal scholarships will only cover part of the cost.

## FAFSA

Have you submitted your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)? (related to Pell Grant)? If Yes, please list date.

## **Other Financial Aid Resources**

Have you been awarded other financial aid resources? If "Yes" or "Pending," please list other financial aid awards.

#### **Expected Costs**

Fill in your expected costs for the 2023/24 school year. Note: One can access these costs on your school's website under Financial Aid.

Note: Not fully completing this section will result in a delay in processing your scholarship.

Tuition & Fees	
Room & Board	
Books & Supplies	
Transportation	
Personal Expenses	
Other	
Total Costs	
Room & Board Books & Supplies Transportation Personal Expenses Other	

#### **Expected Income**

Fill in your expected income for the 2023/24 school year.

Note: One can use his or her financial aid award letters and reports. Note: Not fully completing this section will result in a delay in processing your scholarship.

Scholarships	
Grants (e.g. Pell)	
Employment (e.g. Work Study)	
Loans (e.g. Stafford)	
Parent Contribution	
Student Contribution	
Total Income	

## Percentage Full Education Costs Funded

Based on your self-assessment, of your financial aid resources for the upcoming school year, what percentage of your full education costs do you have funded?

#### **Plan of Action**

If you are not currently 100% funded for the upcoming school year, what Plan of Action do you have to reach this goal? Write N/A if you are fully funded.

## **Release Information to Potential Employers**

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Verify if you would like background on your higher education degree released to potential employers within the Nez Perce tribal government, enterprises, affiliates, or partners. In the instance, where they are searching for candidates for jobs and are looking for tribal members in certain degree or major programs.

#### Approval

I approve releasing my name, degree, major, college, year in school, and contact information to the following selected entities for purpose of employment recruitment only:

# **Certifications**

#### Certifications

To receive the Nez Perce Tribal Higher Education Scholarships, all tribal students must agree to the following certifications. Indicate your acceptance of the certification by clicking on "Yes" and by supplying an electronic signature.

#### **Certification #1**

I certify that the information I provided for this electronic scholarship renewal are true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that any false information may cause my application to be disqualified.

## **Responses Selected:**

YES
Certification #2
I understand that "successful completion of a term" is maintaining a 2.0 GPA or better and completing the credit hours required for the scholarships awarded.
Responses Selected:
YES

## **Certification #3**

I verify that I will read and adhere to the Nez Perce Higher Education Scholarship Plan of Operation.

## **Responses Selected:**

YES

## **Certification #4**

If I do not successfully complete the funded quarters/semesters or I knowingly provided false information to secure funding, I agree to repay the amount funded through a contract repayment plan or shall forfeit all per capita payments, lease, or rental monies to which I may be entitled until the total amount is repaid. I authorize the appropriate Tribal and Federal agencies to withhold and release such funds to the Nez Perce Tribe in order to satisfy my repayment obligation. I further understand that I will not be eligible for funding until I have met this repayment obligation.

## **Responses Selected:**

YES

#### **Certification #5**

I understand that these certifications will apply to my entire academic career.

## **Responses Selected:**

YES

## **Student Electronic Signature**

Must complete electronic signature for application to be complete.

## **Attach Admission Letter**

#### Completed -

Please attach the Admission Letter received from your college, university, or trade school. This may be a hard copy letter or email.

# Attach Transcript(s)

#### Completed -

We will accept unofficial transcript(s), but they must be legible (clear, appropriate size).

From the Scholarship Plan of Operation (Section 5K, Application, Required Documents) :

#### Semester/quarter transcript, must include:

- student name,
- institution name,
- semester/quarter,
- grades and
- credits completed and attempted

If you submit a transcript that is missing required information, your application is not complete. We will contact you to resubmit so this can cause a delay in your scholarship application process.

Note: New/Transfer students must attach a transcript for <u>each</u> institution they attended previously while receiving higher education funding.

Filename: Size:

## **Attach Class Schedule**

Completed -

We will accept unofficial class schedules, but they must be legible (clear, appropriate size) .

From the Scholarship Plan of Operation (Section 5K, Application, Required Documents) :

## Course schedule for next semester/quart, must include:

- student name,
- institution name,
- number of hours registered, and
- schedule of classes.

Make sure the term is listed (Fall, Winter, Spring, Summer) .

If you submit a class schedule that is missing required information, your application is not complete. We will contact you to resubmit so this can cause a delay in your scholarship application process.

Filename: Size:

# Attach tribal ID or CIB

Completed

Please provide a clear and legible copy of your Nez Perce tribal ID or Certificate of Indian Blood (CIB). Thank you.

Filename: Size:

## Attach Personal Letter

Completed -

Please provide personal letter stating your educational goals and future plans. Thank you.

Filename: Size: