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HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR **GRADUATION ASSISTANCE** **Available for Cheyenne & Arapaho Tribal Students**

Cheyenne and Arapaho seniors who will be eligible to graduate in May can receive \$100 graduation assistance to be applied toward senior expenses, after we have received the following documents:

FOUR THINGS ONLY.

1. a letter from the school registrar or counselor stating the senior has enough credit hours and will be eligible to graduate with his/her class in May.
2. a CDIB (certificate of degree of Indian Blood) from the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes Enrollment Office, not a copy of your tribal i.d. card (if you do not have a copy of your CDIB you may call our enrollment office at 405-422-7600) to request one to be to our office. They can also send on to you. There is no charge for CDIBs.
3. a copy of the order form or invoice with a balance due, and be sure the company or vendor address is clearly listed. The payment will be mailed directly to the vendor or company in approximately two weeks. The assistance will be no more than \$100. If there is a balance due, then that will be the parent's responsibility.
4. a completed Education Gaming application. The gaming application can also be copied from our website www.c-a-tribes.org/education . Simply google Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes then click on programs, click on Department of Education then click on Higher Education. The form can also be mailed or faxed.

You may fax the items to 405-422-8211 and be sure to mail the originals to PO Box 167, Concho, OK 73022 ATTENTION: Higher Education. If you cannot mail the items, ask your counselor or advisor at your school to assist you in mailing the four documents to our office. You may contact our office at the numbers listed above. Once we have received the four items, your name will also be placed on our list of graduates to be invited to our graduation banquet in May. Thank you.



Cheyenne Arapaho Education Department Higher Education Gaming Application

Academic Year 20____ - 20____ Date of Application _____

Which of the following categories are you applying for funds?

(Please read and check one of the following. If you are unsure of which category to check, please read "EDUCATION DEPARTMENT PROGRAMS GAMING ALLOCATION PLAN 2005".

- ____ 1. Direct College Expenses - This includes those students who are not eligible under the BIA HE Contract guidelines with demonstrated need, full time student expenses such as tuition, fees. Emergency Supplemental Scholarship is available.
- ____ 2. Part Time Student Expenses – Tuition and fees for part time students at approved college, which includes but not limited to non-service areas students.
- ____ 3. College GPA Incentive Awards - based on semester GPA for full time students
- ____ 4. HS Senior Expenses – not to exceed \$100 per student for High School Senior graduation and related expenses.
- ____ 5. Graduation from GED, HS and College Incentives -
- ____ 6. College Prep Expenses - ACT and SAT Fees, Workshop Participation, College Campus Tours, Cheyenne Arapaho Scholars Program (student who participate in the OHLAP program (Oklahoma Higher Learning Access Program), College Concurrent Enrollment and College Admission fees.
- ____ 7. Correspondence Courses/Certification Fees required as part of the student’s degree plan for graduation. Summer School fees for high school and college students who need to attend summer school to graduate on schedule.
- ____ 8. Enrichment Programs - Assistance for Students who have been selected to participate in an academic program or camp.
- ____ 9. Haskell and SIPI Expenses – Fees – No travel allowed, but students may contact our office to inquire of HOPE assistance.
- ____ 10. Special Circumstances and Special Requests for Assistance

PART 1 – TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT or PARENT/GUARDIAN OF STUDENT

STUDENT’S NAME _____ SS# _____

DATE OF BIRTH _____ AGE _____ GRADE _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

MESSAGE PH _____ PHONE _____ SEX ___M ___F E-mail address _____

MARITAL STATUS: ()SINGLE ()MARRIED ()DIVORCED ()DEPENDENTS(not including student) _____ TRIBAL ROLL# _____ PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF YOUR CDIB.

PARENTS/GUARDIANS NAMES AND ADDRESS: _____

STATEMENT OF PRIVACY

The Cheyenne – Arapaho Tribes of Oklahoma has a contract with the Bureau of Indian Affairs Higher Education Assistance Program which operates under the general authority of 24 USC Chapter 13, 42 Stat. 208 P.L. 67-85 with specific legislation contained in 25 USC, Subchapter E, Part E. Administration of Educational Loans, Grants, and Other Assistance for Higher Education. In accordance with the accountability required for the Administration of the funds appropriated for the program and in order to provide services to recipients, and to declare eligibility, certain information is needed of applicants. This form solicits the required information. Use of personal data will be available to authorized sources upon request. The applicant should understand that the intent of collecting and maintaining this data on individuals is for determining eligibility of the applicant and to provide the means for producing certain statistical records required of this office. Failure on the part of the applicant to provide the requested information will preclude the applicant from eligibility in obtaining higher education assistance under this program.

I have read the statement on privacy listed with this application form. I hereby provide the required information and authorize the use of such information to the extent of the uses specified in the statement.

Student Signature: _____ Parent Signature _____

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