



UAIC COMMUNITY GIVING COMMITTEE
NATIVE AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

GUIDELINES - 2020

The United Auburn Indian Community's (UAIC) Community Giving Committee established its Native American Scholarship Program to support the educational aspirations of other Indians in UAIC's six county service area by giving scholarships to selected Indians enrolled in higher education programs.

Eligibility Requirements

- The applicant must be enrolled in an approved post-secondary educational institution.
- Live in one of the following six counties: Placer, Nevada, Yuba, Sutter, Sacramento or El Dorado.
- Provide documented proof of enrollment in a BIA federally recognized Native American tribe; or provide a tribal I.D card or provide proof of lineal descent.
- Have a minimum G.P.A. of 2.5

Ineligible for Funding

The UAIC Native American Scholarship Program is not intended to fund:

- Loans
- Deficits or retroactive schooling
- Personal or institutional sponsorships
- Umbrella or Pass-through Agencies
- Any applicant enrolled in less than three units
- Non-native students

Required Attachments

Please include the following items with your application:

- A typed personal essay, not to exceed two pages. The essay should include your background information, personal and academic achievements and any community/volunteer/leadership activities you have been involved with. You should also list the reasons you are in college and what your overall goals are.
- A copy of your official transcript
- A letter of recommendation from a teacher, counselor or advisor
- PROOF OF YOUR INDIAN HERITAGE

Deadline

The Community Giving Committee will begin accepting applications for the UAIC Native American Scholarship Program on **Jan. 15, 2020**. All applications are to be submitted online or to the address below no later than 5:00 p.m. on **May 1, 2020**:

UAIC Community Giving Program
Attention: Danielle Ashmun
10720 Indian Hill Road – Building C
Auburn, California 95603