

Preschool-12th Grade Education Assistance Scholarship

The purpose of the Preschool – 12th Grade Education Assistance Scholarship program is to assist with the cost of the educational needs for all LTBB students in Preschool and kindergarten through 12th grade. This program is Tribally funded.

Program Criteria:

1. A scholarship is available to all Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal members who provide proof of enrollment in a preschool program (qualifying preschool programs such as *Head Start*, *Great Start School Readiness Program*, or *Public School affiliated programs* must be accredited by a State Dept. of Education and follow National program standards and outcomes), grades K-12, or a home school program.
2. A completed application must be submitted for **each** student and signed by the legal parent or guardian, unless the student is 18, in which the student may sign his/her own application.
3. An application for a child who is in foster care or is a ward of the Court must be completed by the appropriate Department and signed by the Director of Tribal Court and/or Human Services as deemed necessary.
4. Each student will receive a scholarship award of \$100.00 for educational and/or extracurricular expenses.
5. A scholarship is available only **once per academic year per student**; the academic year is defined as August 1 -July 31.
6. Additional documentation may be required to process the scholarship application.

Application Criteria:

1. Name of Student
2. Enrollment number
3. Date of Birth
4. Mailing Address
5. Phone Number
6. School/program name
7. School address
8. School phone number
9. Enrolled grade
10. Legal parent/guardian's printed name
(unless a student is 18 yrs of age, as noted above in Program Criteria #2)
11. Parent/Guardian Social Security #
12. Legal parent/guardian signature
(Unless a student is 18 yrs of age, as noted above in Program Criteria #2)
13. Director's signature
(Human Services/Tribal Court, if necessary)
14. Spending Plan

Expenditure Criteria:

The goal of the Preschool-12th Grade Education Assistance Scholarship program is to supplement, assist and enhance the student's educational opportunities. The legal parent/guardian will be requested to complete a brief "spending plan" regarding how the scholarship award will be used to enhance the child's education.

Submitting Applications:

1. Through our new online fillable forms!
2. Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians
Education Department
7500 Odawa Circle
Harbor Springs, MI 49740
3. Fax: 231-242-1490



Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians
Education Department
Preschool - 12th Grade Education Scholarship Application

Name of Student _____

Enrollment # _____ Date of Birth _____

Mailing Address* _____

City/State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone Number _____ Grade _____

Name of School _____

Address of School _____

City/State of School _____

School Zip _____ School Phone # _____

Parent/Guardian (please print) _____

Parent/Guardian E-mail** _____

Parent/Guardian Social Security # _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Director's Signature (*Human Serv/Tribal Court if necessary*) _____

It is our plan to use the scholarship award for the following educational expenses: _____

*Checks will be sent only to address listed on application and not available for pick-up

For office use only:

Date Received: _____ Date Approved: _____ Initial _____

Check #: _____ Check Sent: _____ Initial: _____