NATIVE AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIPS

Available from sources other than tribal nations

Please note that due dates are subject to change and you should consult the websites for up-to-date information.

DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION SCHOLARSHIPS - JAN 31

Multiple available, must be enrolled full-time and have 3.25 or higher GPA and financial need. Open to graduate or undergraduate students.

Link: dar.org/national-society/scholarships/american-indian

JACKIE ROBINSON FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS - JAN 10

\$24,000 given over four years to low-income minority students. High school seniors with SAT 900 or above OR 21 ACT or above.

Link: https://jackierobinson.org/apply/

COBELL SCHOLARSHIP- MARCH 31

The Cobell Scholarship is a competitive merit-first, then needs-based scholarship available to any post-secondary student who is enrolled in a US Federally Recognized Tribe, seeking a degree, and enrolled in full-time study. There is no minimum GPA requirement, but a 3.25 for undergraduate work is considered competitive. Applicants with lower GPAs are encouraged to apply with a plan for improving their GPA. Link: cobellscholar.org

AMERICAN INDIAN SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING SOCIETY – APRIL 30

National scholarships for American Indian students pursuing STEM degrees- deadline and requirements vary. INCLUDES FUNDING OPPORTUNITY FOR CONFERENCE TRAVEL.

Link: aises.org/students/scholarships

AMERICAN INDIAN EDUCATION FUND- APRIL 4

The AIEF provides nearly half a million dollars to mostly first-generation Native American college students. In addition, the scholarship comes with mentorship and support mechanisms that increase graduation rates and overall student success.

Link: nativepartnership.org/site/PageServer?pagename=aief home

CATCHING THE DREAM SCHOLARSHIPS- APRIL 30

For students who are 1/4 or more degree American Indian, seeking a full-time degree in the United States. Link: catchingthedream.org

NATIVE AMERICAN JOURNALISTS ASSOCIATION- APRIL 30

One-time \$10,000 for Native American student pursuing journalism. Enrolled juniors, seniors, and graduate students in digital media, journalism or communications.

Link: https://najanewsroom.com/facebook-scholarship/

AMERICAN INDIAN COLLEGE FUND- MAY 31

Any Native American enrolled full-time with at least a 2.0.

Link: collegefund.org/students/scholarships

AMERICAN INDIAN GRADUATE CENTER- DEADLINE VARIES/MANY JUNE 1

AIGC or AIGCs offers more than 30 different scholarships and fellowships to fund undergraduate, graduate, and professional studies. Because of the variety of scholarships, the requirements change depending on which scholarship most interests or best fits an applicant. This resource is especially good for graduate students. Link: aigcs.org

AMERICAN INDIAN SERVICES SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM-MULTIPLE DEADLINES CORRESPONDING TO SEMESTER

For full time and part-time students with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.25, the AIS provides undergraduate Native American students with up to one half of the tuition needed for the upcoming term, sent directly to the school. If approved, students are required to write thank-you letters. Link: americanindianservices.org/scholarships

ASSOCIATION ON AMERICAN INDIAN AFFAIRS SCHOLARSHIP- MAY 31

Apply through the American Indian College fund. Native Americans enrolled full-time with a 2.5 or higher GPA seeking an associates or higher. Link: <u>indian-affairs.org/nativescholarship.html</u>

THE GATES SCHOLARSHIP JULY 15- SEPT. 15

Targeting low-income and minority students, Gates provides a last-dollar scholarship that fills the gap between a recipients' existing funding and the funding they need to complete their coursework. Scholars receive funding for the full cost of attendance that is not covered by other sources. The minimum GPA is 3.3 on a 4.0 scale or equivalent. Link: thegatesscholarship.org/scholarship

UDALL UNDERGRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP-JANUARY 6

The Udall Foundation awards scholarships to college sophomores and juniors for their leadership and commitment to issues related to Native American nations or the environment. They anticipate awarding up to 55 scholarships of up to \$7,000 each. This is for students focusing on health care, tribal policy, or the environment. This scholarship emphasizes leadership and commitment to Native American communities and cultural activities over academic requirements. Link: udall.gov/OurPrograms/Scholarship/Scholarship.aspx

INDIAN HEALTH SERVICES SCHOLARSHIP- FEB 28

Full tuition, fees, books, and related expenses for students majoring in health professions, with a 2.0 or above, and intention to serve in Indian Country.

Link: ihs.gov/scholarship/scholarships/eligibility

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