

The Muscogee (Creek) Nation Scholarship Foundation



A Second Chance Scholarship

Scholarship Description

A Second Chance Scholarship is dedicated to assisting Muscogee (Creek) students who have been convicted of a felony. This scholarship is to provide financial assistance to students who have recently been released for a felonious conviction.

Amount of Scholarship Award **\$1,000.00**

Purpose and Application of Funds

The purpose of this scholarship is to financially assist Muscogee (Creek) Nation students that might not otherwise have the financial means to further their education. This scholarship award can be utilized to pay for the required cost of tuition, fees, books, tools, supplies, testing or examination fees, transportation, or other incidental required cost related to the cost of the higher education, technical, or vocational technical school. This scholarship is to be awarded to a Muscogee (Creek) Nation student who is attending an institution of higher education, a technical or vocational technical school.

Eligibility Guidelines

1. Must be an enrolled citizen of the Muscogee (Creek) Nation.
2. Must be currently attending an accredited institution of higher education, technical school, or vocational technical school.
3. Must be enrolled in an accredited institution within the first year of being released for a felonious conviction.
4. Must provide a letter of recommendation.
5. Must be pursuing certificate/degree for the first time.
6. Must agree to authorize the Scholarship Foundation Program to publicize the scholarship award if selected.

The Muscogee (Creek) Nation Scholarship Foundation Program is a tribal government non-profit program qualified under Section 7871 (a) of the Internal Revenue Service Code. This status is only afforded to federally recognized tribes. All contributions to the Scholarship Foundation Program are fully tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.