



## Washington State University MOU Tribal Scholarship

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### Apply Now for MOU Tribal and Plateau Scholarships

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The WSU Office of the Tribal Liaison is now accepting applications for the MOU Tribal Scholarship and the Plateau Native American Scholarship.

#### MOU Tribal Scholarship

The MOU Tribal Scholarship is available to incoming students who are members of tribes signatory to the Memorandum of Understanding with Washington State University. Those tribes are: Coeur d'Alene Tribe, Colville Confederated Tribes, Confederated Tribes of the Salish and Kootenai, Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation, Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon, Cowlitz Tribe, Kalispel Tribe, Kootenai Tribe of Idaho, Nez Perce Tribe, and Yakama Nation.

Last year was the first year WSU offered the scholarship, on the Pullman campus. This year it has expanded to include WSU Vancouver and Tri-Cities students. Each award is \$2000 a year for new incoming students, which includes freshman and incoming transfer students. The scholarships are renewable by meeting criteria.

For Pullman campus applicants, two awards are available per signatory tribe for new incoming students for the Fall 2014 semester. Freshmen receive priority. One student will be selected from all applicants to receive a \$10,000 per year award, which is also renewable. Scholarship recipients on the Pullman campus will participate in the Tribal Nation Building Leadership Program.

For WSU Vancouver and Tri-Cities students, freshman and transfer students will be equally considered. Two \$2000 awards will be available on each campus.

Applicants must be an enrolled member of one of the Signatory Tribes. High school seniors must have at least a 3.3 cumulative GPA, and transfer applicants must have a minimum GPA of 3.0.

For complete information and application packet, visit the [MOU Scholarship page](#). Applications are due Feb 25.

#### Plateau Native American Scholarship

The Plateau Scholarship is open WSU Pullman current and incoming students who are enrolled members or descendants of all the MOU Tribes listed above, as well as members of the Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs and of the Cowlitz Tribe who are of Sahaptian speaking descent.

Awards are typically \$3000 per year, depending on available funding. These scholarships are renewable.

High school applicants must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.75 and undergraduates must have a 2.5. Graduate students are also eligible, and must carry a minimum GPA of 3.0

Apply online at the [Plateau Scholarship page](#). Priority deadline is February 25, 2014 for Fall 2014.

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