

Alabama Indian Affairs Commission's 2010 Scholarship Program

The Alabama Indian Affairs Commission offers four scholarship programs to Native American students that live in Alabama. The applicant must be:

- An enrolled member of a federal/state-recognized tribe or if not a member of a tribe recognized by the State of Alabama, verification will be required from the state from which the tribe originates.
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- Must have a letter of acceptance from the school or academy they plan to attend. The school must be located in Alabama, unless the courses offered are not offered in Alabama.
- Must have a 3.0/80 average or better.
- The scholarship is not renewable, but you may reapply each year.
- Must submit three (3) letters of recommendation: One from an educator/teacher, one from a tribal elder, and one from anyone you know.
- A tribal official must sign the student's application. **(Please take your applications to Mrs. Edie Jackson, Tribal Administrator—she will have them signed by Mr. Buford Rolin.)**

The scholarships available are:

1. \$500.00 Merit Scholarship
2. \$500.00 Financial Need Scholarship
3. University of West Alabama Scholarship (Must have an ACT score of 22) Must maintain a 3.0 GPA each quarter of semester to renew the scholarship.
4. Judson/AIAC \$2000.00 Scholarship (Must have an ACT score of 22) Must maintain a 3.0 GPA each quarter of semester to renew the scholarship.

Applicants are expected to supply supporting documents as verification of their ACT scores, their awards, activities, volunteer work. The applications are available online at http://www.aiac.alabama.gov/Prog_Scholarships.aspx. The application must be physically in their office by 4:30 P.M. on March 5, 2010. Remember that the applications are graded on a point system. You receive points for supplying the supporting documents requested.