



## Frank R. Ferguson Foundation KIC Scholarship Application

**DEADLINES:**

*January 10 – Spring Semester*

*August 1 – Fall Semester*

*Open- Vocational Programs Only*

**INTERNAL USE ONLY:**

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**ELIGIBILITY: KIC shareholders or their descendants are eligible to apply.**

Indicate your eligibility for a Frank Ferguson Foundation scholarship by checking the appropriate box. NOTE: "Shareholder" is an Alaska Native enrolled under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act of 1971. "Descendent" means that you are a direct descendent of a Shareholder such as: Child, Grandchild, Great Grandchild, etc. (biological or adopted)

I am a Shareholder of Kikiktagruk Inupiat Corporation

I am a Descendent of Kikiktagruk Inupiat Corporation

Name of Shareholder \_\_\_\_\_ Shareholder is:  Myself  Parent  Grandparent  Great-Grandparent

**If you are approved, we need the following information of where to send your check to. Please make sure you have the correct address for your school financial office as well as an ID reference (SSN or Student ID) and list it below.**

School and Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Semester/Quarter (Circle One)  
 FALL SPRING

Vocational Start Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Vocational End Date \_\_\_\_\_

SSN or Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate  License

College major or area of study/Certificate Type: \_\_\_\_\_

**Applying for:**

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| { } Full-time scholarship (12 or more credits per semester/quarter) | <b>\$1000 Scholarship</b> |
| { } Part-time scholarship (6-11 credits per semester/quarter)       | <b>\$500 Scholarship</b>  |
| { } Part-time scholarship (1-5 credits per semester/quarter)        | <b>\$250 Scholarship</b>  |
| { } Vocational program (Over \$1,000 in expenses)                   | <b>\$1000 Scholarship</b> |
| { } Vocational program (Under \$1,000 in expenses)                  | <b>\$500 Scholarship</b>  |

**To be eligible for a scholarship for a particular semester or quarter, the applicant must submit a fully completed application to KIC by the appropriate deadline. Subject to availability of funding, the following scholarship amounts will be available on a first-come, first-serve basis.**

*The above information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. By signing below, I am providing authorization to release this information to other organizations directly involved in funding my education.*

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

## **Frank R. Ferguson Foundation KIC Scholarship Policy**

1. The scholarship award will be sent to the school in which the student is enrolled, in the student's name. Verification of enrollment and grades must be sent to KIC each semester, quarter, or trimester. If the student has a credit balance with the school, any excess funds resulting from receiving the KIC scholarship award shall be returned to KIC.
  
2. Students must maintain a cumulative GPA of 2.0. Students will be refused a scholarship for the following semester or quarter if their GPA falls below 2.0, or if the student status drops below the required amount for which they were funded for. Students must be in good standing, and students must let KIC know if they are on academic probation. Should the student's enrolment status drop below the awarded amount, the student will be on probation for the next funding cycle. If the student's academic status falls below the awarded amount for that semester, the student will be on probation for the next funding period.  
  
*\*Probation: The student will still be eligible for a scholarship; however, the award amount will be half of the normal amount until the student can improve their GPA of 2.0 or above. Probation does not disqualify the student from future scholarships.*
  
3. Filling out and submitting all the information requested for ***New Applicants*** and ***Continuing Applicants*** shall constitute a complete application. Vocational program students must fill out and submit all the information requested for ***New Applicants***. Please see page 4 for further detail.
  
4. All recipients have a 12 full scholarship or \$12,000.00 limit as the maximum funding allowed. Applicants that have exceeded the maximum funding and are pursuing a Masters, Doctorate, or Vocational degree or training will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis.

### **Information Consent Form**

As a recipient of the Frank R. Ferguson Foundation KIC scholarship, we would like your permission to share in your accomplishments. In order to do so, we need your consent.

*I authorize the Kikiktagruk Inupiat Corporation to share my name and basic educational information in publications that include, but are not limited to, a newsletter, annual report, and the corporation's Website.*

*I understand that no contact information or personal information will be shared, published, or sold.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Completed applications can be returned by email to [info@kikiktagruk.com](mailto:info@kikiktagruk.com), faxed to 907-442-2165, or mailed to PO Box 1050 Kotzebue, AK 99752**

## Financial Need Sheet

\*\*NOTE: If approved, the check will be coming from the Frank R. Ferguson Foundation, NOT KIC\*\*

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ SSN: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Student's School Address: \_\_\_\_\_

By signing below, I give permission for University/College: \_\_\_\_\_ to release financial aid and academic information to the Kikiktagruk Inupiat Corporation.

(Top Portion to be completed by the student)

(Bottom portion to be completed by FAO with student)

Academic Period: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ Semester or Quarter  
Month Year Month Year (Circle one)

**UNIVERSITY/COLLEGE BUDGET**

Tuition \_\_\_\_\_  
 Books \_\_\_\_\_  
 Room and Board \_\_\_\_\_  
 Fees \_\_\_\_\_  
 Transportation \_\_\_\_\_  
 Personal \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_  
**Total Budget** \_\_\_\_\_

Student is working towards:

Vocational Certificate  
 Associate of Arts Degree  
 Associate of Applied Science  
 Bachelor's Degree  
 Graduate Degree  
 Student is:  
 in good academic standing  
 on academic probation  
 ineligible for funding

STUDENT RESOURCES	FALL	SPRING	TOTAL
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Pell	_____	_____	_____
College Work Study	_____	_____	_____
SEOG	_____	_____	_____
SEIG	_____	_____	_____
Stafford Loan	_____	_____	_____
AK Student Loan	_____	_____	_____
Parent/Family Contribution	_____	_____	_____
Student Contribution	_____	_____	_____
Tribal Assistance	_____	_____	_____
Others	_____	_____	_____

\*\*\*\*\***Total Resources \$** \_\_\_\_\_

**UNMET NEED** (Total budget less resources) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Student \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Date

Financial Aid Officer \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Date

## Eligibility Checklist

Students must indicate whether they will be full-time, part-time, or vocational program students. Please carefully review the checklist below. Students must submit a complete application and required documents by the appropriate deadline in order to be considered.

### NEW APPLICANT CHECKLIST (Including all vocational program applicants):

- Completed scholarship application
- Letter of intent (Must be between 300-600 words explaining your achievements and future goals)
- Copy of high school transcripts
- Two letters of recommendation
- Acceptance letter from school/Training Facility
- Graduate program (full-time status only, minimum 9 credits per semester)**
  - Fall
  - Spring
- Full-time undergraduate applicants** (Enrolled for 12 or more credits)
  - Fall
  - Spring
- Part-time scholarship applicants** (Enrolled in 1-11 credits; award amount varies)
  - Fall
  - Spring
- Vocational program applicants**
- Financial Need Sheet or Copy of Student Account showing semester charges
- Class Schedule showing total credits being taken
- Information Consent Form

### CONTINUING APPLICANT CHECKLIST: (without any breaks in classes)

- Completed scholarship application
- Letter of intent (Must be between 300-600 words explaining your achievements and future goals)
- Transcript from most recent previous semester or quarter
- Graduate program (full time status only, minimum of 9 credits per semester)**
  - Fall
  - Spring
- Full-time undergraduate students** (Enrolled for 12 or more credits)
  - Fall
  - Spring
- Part-time students** (Enrolled in at least 1 regular class)
  - Fall
  - Spring
- Financial Need Sheet or Copy of Student Account showing semester charges
- Class schedule showing total credits being taken
- Information Consent Form

### HIGH SCHOOL APPLICANT CHECKLIST:

- Completed scholarship application
- Letter of intent (Must be between 300-600 words explaining your achievements and future goals)
- Grades from most recent previous semester or quarter.
- Two letters of recommendation
- Financial Need Sheet or Copy of Student Account showing semester charges
- Class schedule showing total credits being taken
- Information Consent Form