



Frequently Asked Questions

2014 School Clothing Program

Q. Where can I get more information?

Call (918)772-4144.

Q. Who is eligible?

Cherokee students who will be/are in Kindergarten through 12th grade for the 2014-2015 school year and who also reside within the Cherokee Nation Jurisdictional boundaries. **Home school students, on-line students are Not Eligible.**

Q. Are four-year-olds eligible?

The student must be 5 years old by September 1, 2014, to be eligible.

Q. What documents do I need to bring?

1. Verification of physical address (utility bill) with the name of a household member on it. PO Boxes are not allowed. Driver's licenses are not allowed as address verification.
2. Verification of household income for ALL adults who live in the home. Check stubs or award letters work. If a household member has no income, he or she must provide a signed, notarized affidavit that says so. We can do this on-site, but the unemployed person must be there to sign, a photo I.D. is required.
3. Legal forms or Foster Care agreement forms that specify who has custody of the child(ren) for people who are caring for children who are not theirs, including grandparents raising grandchildren.
4. **MUST HAVE** Tribal citizenship cards for all children applying for gift cards at the time of application.
5. Verification of where the child attends school; either a report card, honor roll certificate, yearbook, detention slip, or anything else to show that the child attends public school and the grade he or she will be going into.



Q. What if I live outside the Jurisdiction?

Cherokee students who live outside the jurisdiction are not eligible.

Q. What if I live with a relative, but they don't help me pay for anything?

If you live at the same address and do not have separate utility bills, we will need verification of their income as well. You are all one household, even if they don't help you pay for your children's needs.

Q. Are there income guidelines?

Yes. They are 125% of US Dept. of Health and Human Services Poverty Guidelines.

Household Size:

Household Size	Income Guideline	Household Size	Income Guideline
1	\$14,588.00	7	\$45,038.00
2	\$19,663.00	8	\$50,113.00
3	\$24,738.00	9	\$55,188.00
4	\$29,813.00	10	\$60,263.00
5	\$34,888.00	11	\$65,338.00
6	\$39,963.00	12	\$70,413.00

Q. Where can I spend the gift card, how much is it and what can I buy?

This year we have gift cards from Stage Stores, the gift card is worth \$100 and is not tax free. You can buy any clothes or shoes, but no accessories, like purses, jewelry, cologne, wallets, backpacks or caps.



We will be at each location from 10:00 AM to 7:00 PM.

School Clothing Distribution Calendar July 2014

Sponsored by Cherokee Nation Human Services

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7S. Coffeerville Community Center 1pm.- 6pm	8 Bartlesville Community Center	9 Nowata High School	10 Tahlequah Sequoyah New Gym	11	12
13	14	15 Vinita High School	16 Kansas, OK Tech Center	17 Salina Middle School	18	19
20	21	22 Stilwell High School	23 Sallisaw High School	24 Porum High School Gym	25	26
27	28	29 Claremore High School Cafeteria	30 Tahlequah Sequoyah New Gym	31 Collinsville High School		

We will be onsite at each location to take applications from 10 am until 7 pm

