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College Resource Center Undergraduate Scholarship Program
Apply online at https://gadugiportal.cherokee.org/

The Cherokee Nation College Resource Center provides scholarships and services for full-time and part-time undergraduate college students. Students must be a registered Cherokee Nation citizen, verified by the Registration Department. The scholarships are intended to supplement educational needs for those pursuing a degree from an accredited U.S. post-secondary institution determined by the Directory of Higher Education. The following scholarship opportunity is available:

Undergraduate Scholarship
Scholarship program for Cherokee Nation citizens living anywhere in the United States working toward their first Associates or Bachelor's degree. Proprietary (for-profit) institutions are not eligible under this scholarship. All Undergraduate applicants must apply for federal financial aid at https://studentaid.gov prior to applying for a Cherokee Nation scholarship. Students whose permanent address is outside the Cherokee Nation Reservation area or contiguous counties must be eligible for the federal Pell grant to be eligible for the Cherokee Nation Undergraduate scholarship. The contiguous area (outlined gray area on map) is more clearly defined as those counties located in the following states:

Oklahoma:
　　　LeFlore, Haskell, Pittsburg, McIntosh, Muskogee, Wagoner, Tulsa and Osage Counties.
Arkansas:
　　　Benton, Crawford, Sebastian and Washington Counties.
Kansas:
　　　Chautauqua, Cherokee, Labette and Montgomery Counties.
Missouri:
　　　McDonald County.

The scholarship funds are determined by full-time or part-time status. Recipients must maintain a 2.0 GPA and fulfill community service requirements. Students must also complete and pass a minimum number of credit hours per semester in order to remain eligible for the scholarship. Online classes are eligible.

Application period for Fall: March 1 – June 15
Renewal application period for Spring: October 1 - January 15
Application Website: https://gadugiportal.cherokee.org/

Students must follow guidelines each semester. No late applications will be accepted. Applicants must prepare the following documents as PDF files to upload to the online scholarship application:

NEW STUDENTS

- **Current Year FAFSA Submission Summary**
- **Most Recent Transcript** – Copy of GED, High School transcript, or copy of college transcript (can be unofficial)

CONTINUING STUDENTS (Students funded previous semester on the CN Undergraduate Scholarship Program)

- **Current Year FAFSA Submission Summary**
- **College Transcript** – Previous semester grades need to be posted (official or unofficial)
- **Self Help Form**

For more information, call (800) 256-0671 ext. 5465, email *collegeresources@cherokee.org* or visit
www.cherokee.org/all-services/education-services/college-resources/

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Kansas
Missouri
Oklahoma
Arkansas

Chautauqua
Montgomery
Labette
Cherokee

Osage
D12
Nowata
Washington
Craig D11
Ottawa
McDonald
D10
Delaware
Benton

Rogers
D14
Mayes
D15
D9

Tulsa
D13

D1
Cherokee
D2
Washington

Wagoner
D3
Adair
D7
D8

Muskogee
D4
D5
Sequoyah D6
Crawford

McIntosh
Haskell
Sebastian

Pittsburg
Le Flore

Legend
Cherokee Nation Reservation
Tribal Council Districts
Contiguous Counties
States
Counties
• County Seat
• Populated Place

CHEROKEE NATION
GeoData Center

Data Sources
US Census Bureau
ESRI StreetMap
CN GeoData Center

0   10   20   40 Miles