



SITKA TRIBE OF ALASKA DUAL CREDIT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

APPLICANT INFORMATION			
Last Name:	First Name:	Middle Initial:	
Grade (Circle): Freshman (9) Sophomore (10) Junior (11) Senior (12)		School (Circle): Pacific High School Sitka High School R.E.A.C.H. Home	
Have you previously received a dual credit scholarship from Sitka Tribe of Alaska? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
If yes, when: Fall 20__ Spring 20__ Summer 20__			
If yes, did you complete the course with a C or better? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
Cumulative High School G.P.A.:		Cumulative University G.P.A (if applicable):	
Shee Atika Shareholder? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		Central Council for Tlingit & Haida Indians Tribal Citizen? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
ESSAY			
How will this scholarship help you pursue your educational goals (please attach a separate piece of paper if necessary):			
BUDGET (Amount requested cannot exceed the total cost of a 4-credit course)			
Tuition*: \$	Fees**: \$	Books**: \$	Amount requested: \$
FINANCIAL NEED			
*Students who do not demonstrate a financial need may apply for a scholarship that covers tuition only			
**Students who demonstrate a financial need may apply for a scholarship that covers tuition, fees, and books			
Check the box next to any assistance program(s) that your household members are receiving. No supporting documentation is required at the time of application, but by indicating services below you are attesting to current benefit status and that you would be able to provide documentation if requested.			
<input type="checkbox"/> Head Start		<input type="checkbox"/> WIC	
<input type="checkbox"/> Rental Assistance		<input type="checkbox"/> Alaska Weatherization Assistance Program	
<input type="checkbox"/> Food Stamps		<input type="checkbox"/> Free and Reduced Lunch	
<input type="checkbox"/> Medicaid/Denali Kid Care		<input type="checkbox"/> General Assistance/Community Service Block Grant	
<input type="checkbox"/> Alaska Heating Assistance Program		<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	
If your household does not utilize any of the listed assistance programs, check here <input type="checkbox"/>			
MEDIA RELEASE & CERTIFICATION			
I authorize Sitka Tribe of Alaska's Education and Language Department and the University of Alaska Southeast Sitka to use the demographic and essay information I provide for recruitment and marketing purposes.			
Further, I certify that all of the information given by me is true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that any false information will disqualify me from this scholarship program.			
_____ Student Signature	_____ Student Printed Name	_____ Date	_____ Date
_____ Parent Signature	_____ Parent Printed Name	_____ Date	_____ Date

PART C: TO BE COMPLETED BY PARENT/GUARDIAN

It is important that parents/guardians and minor dual credit students recognize that students are participating in college-level coursework within a university environment and that UAS Sitka class enrollment will be representative of the diverse student body, including adults.

In order for the minor student to participate their parent/legal guardian **must accept the following terms by initialing each.**

- _____ Students must meet with an Academic Advisor to identify appropriate courses and explore the extent to which the student has adequate background to meet expectations of college-level study.
- _____ Student completes the *Dual Enrollment Registration* form which includes signatures of student, parent/guardian and UAS advisor. Instructor permission is also sometimes required.
- _____ Students must complete *Education Record Information Release* form, required by Federal regulations (FERPA), in order for UAS official to be able to speak to parents/guardians and counselors about the student’s academic progress, registration status, accounts and student affairs record.
- _____ Students are required to attend a brief UAS Dual Credit Student Orientation or the scholarship will not be awarded.
- _____ All college coursework and grades become a permanent part of the student’s official college academic history and transcript.
- _____ To participate in this program students must have minimum cumulative high school GPA of 2.5, and maintain a GPA of 2.0 (C) in all college coursework.
- _____ Student must abide by the University of Alaska Student Code of Conduct and Sitka Campus policies.
- _____ Student is expected to meet all deadlines, assignment expectations, etc.
- _____ Courses may include frank discussions of sensitive topics of an adult nature.
- _____ Group work, field trips, and/or class presentations may be expected in the class. If required, these activities and assignments will not be modified to accommodate minors.
- _____ Student must secure funding to cover tuition, fees, books and materials, unless awarded one of the following dual credit scholarships: UAS Sitka Campus Dual Credit Need-Based Scholarship or the Sitka Tribe Dual Credit Scholarship. Award amounts cover full tuition but may not cover books and fees.
- _____ Students not awarded a dual credit scholarship are responsible for 100% of the tuition, fees and textbooks at the start of the semester. Student will be reimbursed for 66% of the tuition, after successful completion with a “C” or higher.
- _____ Students who do not complete or earn a C or higher will be ineligible to reapply for a scholarship the following semester.

The Family Education Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) is federal law that affords parents and guardians the right to have access to their children’s education records, the right to seek to have records amended, and the right to have some control over the disclosure of personal identifiable information from the education records. When a student turns 18 years old, or enters a postsecondary institution at any age, the right under FERPA transfer from the parents to the student (“eligible student”). Although the rights under FERPA have now transferred to the student, a school may disclose information from an eligible student’s education records to the parents of the student, without the student’s consent, if the student is a dependent for tax purposes. Neither the age of the student nor the parent’s status as a custodial parent is relevant. If a student is claimed as dependent by either parent for tax purposes, then either parent may have access under this provision. UAS will not release a student’s information to a parent without a signed authorization from the student to release information and proof that a student is claimed as a dependent for tax purpose.

Emergency Contact Name(s): _____

Relationship: _____ Phone number: (_____) _____ - _____

I certify that I have read and understand the listed responsibilities and expectations outlined on this form for a minor attending the UAS Sitka Campus and approve enrollment in the courses listed on the front of this form.

Parent/Guardian Signature Date

Student Signature Date