

BIA Grant

- **Applications available March 1 – June 1 for FALL Semester**
- **Applications available Nov. 1 – Dec. 15 for SPRING Semester**

The Muscogee Nation Higher Education Program will expend funds through self-governance to award educational grants to our tribal citizens, with no minimum blood quantum required, attending accredited institutions of higher learning. Funding for this grant is limited to Pell-eligible undergraduate students only and funding is determined by financial needs established by the student's college/university.

Eligibility Criteria

- Student must be enrolled in a minimum of 12 hours
- Student must maintain a GPA of 2.0 or higher
- Students will be funded up to 10 semesters or 150 credit hours, whichever comes first.

Grant Requirements

- Completed Application
- Copy of CDIB (Certificate of Degree of Indian Blood)
- Copy of Creek Citizenship Card
- Signed Privacy Statement
- Letter of Acceptance from College/Univ.
- College Transcript (if previously attended college)

Academic Probation will occur when

- Student reduces the number of credit hours from previously reported hours (Example: Going from 15 hours to 12 hours)
- Student earns GPA between 1.0 and 2.0

Grant Suspension will occur when

- Full-time student earns less than 12 hours
- Student is earning less than a 1.0 GPA
- Student withdraws officially or unofficially from school

Suspended students will be required to earn one full semester (12 hours) with a GPA of 2.0 or better before eligibility will be reinstated!

Student is responsible for submitting an official transcript at the end of each semester to maintain eligibility for the grants/scholarship program.