**Scholarship Criteria**

**Eligibility**

1. Current or past participant of the Ain Dah Yung Center programming, residential services, and royalty.
2. Identifies as a member of the American Indian community and provide proof of tribal enrollment of; self, parent, or grandparent in a federally or state recognized tribe
3. Age 17 or older
4. Current resident applicants must have education / career plan on file with Transitional Coach / Case Manager
5. In good standing or have plan to resolve with rent / fees, etc. if residing at Mino Oski Ain Dah Yung past or present.
6. Must provide proof of acceptance and/or active participation in an accredited; College / Trade School
7. Two (2) letters of recommendation from ADYC Staff and/or community member(s)
8. Scholarships awards may vary in range from $250 up to $2500

**Deadline**

1. Scholarship Fund application is **due no later than Wednesday, February 26th, 2025**

**How funds are used**

1. Scholarship funds must be used for expenses related to (the following examples are not all inclusive).
	1. Tuition at any institution providing post-secondary coursework
		1. University College
		2. Community College
		3. Tech/Trade School
	2. Supplies related to educational program
		1. Textbooks
		2. Technical supplies
		3. Trade specific tools
	3. Living Expenses related to education
		1. Housing, transportation, food

**How funds are paid**

1. Scholarship Award will be paid direct to recipient upon receipt of completed W9

**Approval Process**

1. Scholarship Award approval will be determined by the ADYC selection review committee within 30 days of due date

**Evaluation**

Applicants will be sent a survey at the completion of coursework funded by scholarship

**Scholarship Application**

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| Applicant Information |
| Name: | DOB | Age: |
| Address: |
| City: | State | Zip |
| Phone: | Email: |
| Tribal Affiliation: | Race: |
| Enrolled: Yes / No Relationship:  | Proof of Affiliation: |
| Resident, program participant, royalty (current or past) in any of the Ain Dah Yung Center programs or residential services:  | Yes No |
| Program name: |  |
| If current resident, Applicant must have education / career plan on file with Transitional Coach / Case Manager:  | Yes No |
| Is applicant in good standing or have plan to resolve, with rent / fees, etc. at Mino Oski Ain Dah Yung: | Yes No |
| Applicant must provide proof of Registration / Acceptance – Attached: | Yes No |
| Referring ADYC staff and/or community member must provide statement of recommendation – Attached: | Yes No |

**Please return application with requested documentation to:**

**angie.deegan@adycenter.org**