

To: Haliwa-Saponi College Students

From: Michael Richardson, Haliwa-Saponi Education Committee Chair

Subject: Chief W.R. Richardson Scholarship

Please find attached an application for the 2020 Chief W.R. Richardson Scholarship Award. This \$500 scholarship is sponsored by the Haliwa – Saponi Indian Tribe. This scholarship is open to any tribally enrolled full-time college student in either a 2 – year or 4 – year institution.

- The application must be submitted by **August 28, 2020 by 5:00pm**. You may mail the application to P.O. Box 99, Hollister, North Carolina 27844 or deliver it to the Chief W. R. Richardson Tribal Government Complex.

Please note that this scholarship is a one-time award. No money will be given until the committee has received proof that the recipient is enrolled in a 2 – year or 4 – year institution. Previous recipients are not eligible for the Chief W.R. Richardson Scholarship.

If you have any questions, please call (252) 586-4017.

Enclosure

**W.R. Richardson Scholarship Award  
Application**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex:  Male  Female

Marital Status:

Married  Single  Widowed  Divorced  Separated

Tribal Enrollment # \_\_\_\_\_

Name and address of college:

\_\_\_\_\_

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Your campus address: \_\_\_\_\_

College Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Field of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of semesters completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Expected date of graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide other information which would give an indication of the likelihood of your success in your chosen field.

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Documentation: Please use the following as a checklist to make sure your application packet is complete.

1. Complete application with all questions answered thoroughly.
2. Proof of your status as a member of the Haliwa-Saponi Indian Tribe Tribal (enrollment number)
3. Your official college transcript.
4. Two letters of recommendation: one letter from a community leader, one from a school counselor, advisor and/or one letter from a teacher. (All reference letters are to be individually enveloped, sealed and signed across the back closure by the reference source). Please do not use family members as references. Points will not be awarded if reference letters do not meet the above criteria.
5. An essay on "Chief W.R. Richardson was a great leader of the Haliwa-Saponi people. What two leadership qualities do you have in common with Chief W.R. Richardson and explain one event in which you had to use those qualities. Essay must be no more than one page typed, double spaced with 1- inch margins and 12 pitch font.
6. Copy of letter of admission/acceptance from a college or university. If letter is not available, please make notation and send as soon as possible. **No student will be awarded a scholarship until we have received a copy of the letter and we have proof of enrollment, i.e. billing statement, class list, etc.**
7. Cultural Activities: List all cultural activities in which you have participated.
8. Community Activities: List all community activities in which you have participated.

## **Certification**

I certify that all information on this application is true. I hereby authorize the Haliwa-Saponi Indian Tribe to verify all information.

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**Applicant's Signature**

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**Date**

**Applications must be received by August 28, 2020.** Applications can be mailed to the following address:

Haliwa-Saponi Indian Tribe

Attn: Alfred R. Richardson, Education Committee Chair

PO Box 99

Hollister, NC 27844