

Information Sheet Chuuk State Scholarship

DESCRIPTION: Chuuk State Scholarship Fund Program is an annual scholarship program of the State of Chuuk. Funding for such program on an annual basis by the Chuuk State Legislature.

- 1.0 **PURPOSE:** This program is established to provide scholarships and grants to assist Chuuk State students who pursue studies in the following areas:
- (a) Law
 - (b) Agriculture
 - (c) Engineering and Technical Skills
 - (d) Marine Science
 - (e) Health Science
 - (f) Business and Accounting; or
 - (g) Other fields which the Board deems essential to economic and social growth and development of the State of Chuuk.
- 1.1 **APPLICATION PROCEDURE AND REQUIREMENTS:** The applicant must provide the following documents to the Student Services Office:
- (a) Application on which financial statements are verified by the financial aids officer of the institution in which he/she will be enrolled;
 - (b) Copy of an official transcript;
 - (c) Letter of Acceptance (for freshmen only); and
 - (d) June 30 every school year deadline for submission of scholarship application.
- 1.2 **ELIGIBILITY:** To be eligible for these funds, the applicant must:
- (a) Be a resident of the State of Chuuk;
 - (b) Be enrolled in good academic standing at an accredited institution;
 - (c) Provide evidence of need for financial assistance;
 - (d) Enroll in school on a full-time basis; and
 - (e) Submit completed application to the Student Services Office prior to the deadline date.
- 1.3 **AWARDS:** Scholarship or grant award is determined by the Board, based on the following factors:
- (a) Need for the skills within the State of Chuuk;
 - (b) Financial resources of the applicant;
 - (c) Educational expenses to be incurred by the applicant; and
 - (d) Academic standing
- 1.4 **REPAYMENT OF SCHOLARSHIP OR GRANT:** Scholarship or grant is subject to repayment should be the recipients.
- (a) Fail to complete the study program for which he/she is awarded the scholarship or grant;
 - (b) Fail to return to the State of Chuuk after completing his/her study to put in practice those skills acquired through the use of the scholarship or grant;
 - (c) Voluntarily withdraw from school or;
 - (d) Voluntarily change his/her major field of study for which he/she awarded the scholarship or grant
- 1.5 **GPA REQUIREMENTS:**
- (a) 2.0 GPA for Chuuk Scholarship fund;
 - (b) 2.5 GPA for Compact fund; and
 - (c) 3.5 requirement for full scholarship for both state and Compact scholarship funds.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES
for
CHUUK STATE SCHOLARSHIP

The following are the standard procedures for applying for the Chuuk State Scholarship Program as approved by the Chuuk State Scholarship Board. The procedures are necessary to help interested scholarship applicants so they won't miss the opportunity to be eligible for the scholarship program.

DEADLINES

SERVICES TO BE CARRIED OUT

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| 1. February 01 of each year | Dissemination of announcement and information on the opening and release of scholarship application forms. |
| 2. Feb. 05-10 | Mailing of scholarship application forms to colleges and universities along with scholarship requirement. |
| 3. March 01-June 15 | Receiving scholarship application forms and acknowledge their receipts and make written notification to student on the incomplete parts. |
| 4. June 30 | Deadline for accepting scholarship application forms. All application forms must be stamp-dated logged and a financial package for each applicant must be prepared. |
| 5. July 15 | Deadline for accepting Acceptance Letter and Official Transcript. |
| 6. July 16-20 | Complete all financial package in order for the Scholarship Board to review and award. |
| 7. July 21-August 15 | Scholarship Board starts screening applications and award eligible applicants. |
| 8. August 15-Sept. 15 | Mailing award letters to eligible scholarship recipients. Receiving acceptance letter of scholarship awards from scholarship recipients. |
| 9. September 15-October 15 | Disbursement of scholarship check to students with promissory notes. |
| 10. November 30 | Complete delivery and disbursement of checks, compile and file promissory notes and acknowledge their receipts. |
| 11. December 01 | Start monitoring scholarship use. |



Application Form

for
Chuuk State Scholarship Programs
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Chuuk State Scholarship Board
Student Services Office
P.O. Box 189
Weno, Chuuk State 96942
Tel: 330-2190/2202/2203
Fax: 330-2604/2233
email: studserv@mail.fm

INSTRUCTIONS: This form is to be used by students needing Financial Aid to pursue studies in accredited Post Secondary Institution abroad. It is required that this form be considered complete with the following attachments: A) A Certified Copy of applicant's most recent transcript. B) Copy of Acceptance Letter by the Institution for new student. C) The application must be reviewed and certified by the School Official and be sealed with the school seal. D) Application have to be postmarked by June 30th for consideration.

Section A: PERSONAL INFORMATION

1. Last Name			First Name		Middle Name		2. Social Security Number				
3. Current Mailing Address					4. Permanent mailing address:						
					Telephone #						
5. Sex		6. Date of Birth		7. Age		8. Place of Birth		9. Citizenship (Island & State)		10. Marital Status	
										Single // Married // Widowed // Separated // Divorced //	
11. If married, name of spouse				12. Number of your dependents				13. Name & Address of person to be contacted in case of emergency:			
14. Parents are.....			Father alive?		Name of Father		Age		15. a. Number of parent's dependents		
// Married // Separated // Divorced // Widowed			Mother alive?		Name of Mother		Age		b. No. of dependents attending college including applicant:		

Section B: EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

16. High School graduated from/year graduated?		17. Date by which you plan to enroll		18. Name/address of college attending/to attend:		
19. Degree now being sought:			20. Field of Study		22. College standing at time financial aid will be used:	
// AA/AS // PhD, MD, JD, etc. // BA/BS // Professional Cert. // MA/MS // Other _____					// Freshmen // Senior // Sophomore // Graduate // Junior // Post Grad.	
			21. Expected date of Graduation			

Section C: INCOME/EARNINGS:

23. Parents:		Student:		24. Do you have Health Insurance?	
A. Annual Income Earned: Father \$ _____		Student: \$ _____		// Yes // No	
B. Annual Income Earned: Mother \$ _____		Spouse: \$ _____			



NOTE: The deadline for submission is **June 30**

SECTION D: EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES: / / Per Academic Year / / One term only (Specify) _____ / /

25. Student tuition: / / Resident / / Non Resident / / N/A	
26. Test fees: application fees, Library fees, Student Body fees, etc. as required by the college:	
27. Books, school, and laboratory supplies	
28. Room and board for _____ months: (Specify) / / dormitory / / Off-Campus / / Living with family	
29. Health Insurance:	
30. Miscellaneous personal expenses (e.g., clothing, pocket money, uniforms, etc.,)	
31. Transportation expenses-Describe:	
32. TOTAL EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES:	
33. Are there any special circumstances the Scholarship Board should be aware of? (Use additional page if needed)	

SECTION E: FINANCIAL RESOURCES

34. Pell Grant	
35. Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG)	
36. College Work-Study Program	
37. Scholarship Grant awarded by College (Identify):	
38. Other Scholarship award (Identify):	
39. Parental Support	
40. Student's own resources	
41. Spouse's support	
42. Loans (Identify):	
43. Others (Identify)	
44. TOTAL FINANCIAL RESOURCES	

SECTION F: FINANCIAL NEED (Subtract E from D):.....

I HEREBY APPLY FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO HELP MEET MY EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES ONLY. I HAVE APPLIED FOR FINANCIAL AID FROM U.S. FEDERAL PROGRAMS AND FROM OTHER INSTITUTIONAL PROGRAMS FOR WHICH I AM ELIGIBLE. I HEREBY DECLARE THAT EVERYTHING ON THIS APPLICATION IS TRUE AND COMPLETE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE. I UNDERSTAND MY OBLIGATIONS TO FOLLOW THE PROGRAM PROCEDURES AND REGULATIONS.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT: _____ DATE: _____

CERTIFICATION: TO BE SIGNED BY THE COUNSELOR, ADVISOR, OR FINANCIAL AID OFFICER WHO ASSISTED IN THE PREPARATION OF THIS APPLICATION.

I HAVE REVIEWED THIS FORM WITH THE APPLICANT AND BELIEVE THAT THE INFORMATION IS COMPLETE AND ACCURATE.. THE APPLICANT IS IN GOOD STANDING AND ACCEPTED FOR ADMISSION TO THE ACCREDITED POST SECONDARY INSTITUTION WHICH HE OR SHE IS ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE FUNDING.

SIGNATURE: : _____
 TITLE : _____

OFFICIAL
SEAL

DATE: _____