

HONORARY LEONAED PELTIER SCHOLARSHIP

Dear Student:

The Oglala Commemoration Committee is seeking candidates for the Leonard Peltier Scholarship Award. This Scholarship is geared toward meeting the financial needs of the non-traditional student.

Applicants must have a (GED) General Equivalency Diploma this year and must reside in the local geographic area.

This Scholarship was created to honor Leonard Peltier's vision of empowering the Oglala People to have an active part in defining the future of their tribe.

The Intent: all have the potential to raise above their circumstances to the preservation of traditional Lakota language and spirituality through education.

The qualifications to apply for this scholarship are listed below:

ELIGIBILITY: Applicants must have a GED and registered at the Oglala Lakota College. Students must be tribally enrolled in the Oglala Lakota Tribe. The Student must plan on attending the Oglala Lakota College.

AMOUNT OF AWARD This award will be paid directly to the Oglala Lakota College. This is a **one-year** scholarship of \$350.00.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION: Average academic performance (2.0GPA or equivalent)
Community Service a plus.
References:
One Personal
One Academic (teacher principal or counselor)

APPLICATION: Completed application, which includes a personal summary on Background, college goal, personal vision and a statement on "Why you should be awarded this scholarship".

Application are available through the **Oglala Lakota College's financial office** or by download from the Oglala Commemoration Committee's web site:
<http://www.oglalacommemoration.com/scholarship.html>
For further information contact
Billie Hornbeck at (605) 455-6037

PROCEDURE Submit application by deadline of : - **FEB 3, 2012**

FOR SUBMISSION: By 4:00 P.M. the address below.

**OGLALA LAKOTA COLLEGE
OFFICE OF FINANCIAL AID
PO BOX 490 - PIYA WICONI RD.
KYLE, SD 57752**

Atten: Billi Hornbeck

**SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE
AWARD DATE:**

The Oglala Lakota College Scholarship Committee
Ms. Billi Hornbeck, OLC Registrar
Spring Semester 2012_____
The Oglala Commemoration Committee will announce the winner at the Annual Oglala Commemoration Event on June 26, and web site.

**RECOMMENDATION
LEONARD PELTIER SCHOLARSHIP**

PERSONAL (One recommendation Required)

- 1) Compared to other college / college bound students with whom you have worked or supervised, how would you rate _____ (student's name) in terms of character?

25% Below	50% Average	100% Above Average
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Creative, Original Thought
Motivation
Independence
Achievement
Positive Leadership

Please write whatever you think is important about this applicant. We are particularly interested in evidence about the candidate's special talents and enthusiasm that will allow him /her to succeed. Community Service is a plus.

Printed Name: _____

The student must see that this form (and any attachment) is sent to the following address arrive no later than February 3th, 2012 4:00 PM

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ACADEMIC RECOMMENDATION: (one recommendation required)

Compared to other college / college bound students with whom you have worked or supervised, how would you rate

_____ (student's name) in academic skills?

	25% Below Avg.	50% Avg.	100% Above Avg.
Creativity			
Motivation			
Independence			
Academic Achievement			
Written Expression of Ideas			
Disciplined Work Habits			
Integrity			
Initiative			
Positive Leadership			

Please write whatever you think is important about the applicant. We are particularly interested in evidence about the candidate's special talents and enthusiasm that will allow him/her to succeed.

1) We welcome information that will help us to differentiate this student from others:

2) List of subject you may have taught this student.

Signature Title Date

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