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RE: Samish Scholarship Program

Dear

Enclosed you will find an application form for Samish Indian Nation Higher Education Scholarship Assistance and a copy of the Samish Nation Higher Education Assistance policies and procedures. You can gather the information listed and return it to me to apply for the Samish Scholarship Program.

To be considered for this program, you will need to submit:

1. Completed Samish Higher Education Application.
2. Copy of Samish Tribal enrollment.
3. Copy of High School transcript or GED or college transcripts. (unofficial)
4. Copy of Admission letter from institution.
5. A copy of your completed Federal Financial Aid Report (fill out online at <http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/>)
6. Proof of residence, ie: driver's license, power bill, etc.
7. A brief letter that states exactly what you are requesting and when you expect to begin.

The completed application can be sent to:

Samish Indian Nation Education Scholarship Program
PO Box 217
Anacortes, WA 98221 Attn: Dave Blackinton

Plan to allow a few weeks for the entire process, since our office must also communicate with the Financial Aid office of the school you are attending after receiving the information from you. Once your completed application is processed, your application will be considered.

Please contact me at 360-588-8200 ext. 03 if you have any further questions. My email address is daveblackinton@samishtribe.nsn.us. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Dave Blackinton
Education Program Manager