



Gwa'sala-'Nakwaxda'xw Hi'li'gam GRANT PROPOSAL

1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Proposal Name: Scholarships
Name of Trustee Applicant: Mary Rufus
Associated Band Department: Education
Associated Band Department Contact Information: Grace Smith, Education Coordinator
Amount requested for 2025_ :
Estimated number of Band members to benefit: 4

2. PROJECT DESCRIPTION

<p>Project Summary: <i>Briefly describe the project (3 or 4 sentences), including a high-level description of what will be done.</i></p> <p>To offer (2) Two \$4000 scholarships for Grade 12 students graduating this June and. (2) Two \$4000 scholarships for continuing post-secondary students or students who have graduated last year and took a gap year</p>
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<p>Project Background: <i>Outline the context for the project. Provide necessary background to understand why the project is being undertaken.</i></p> <p>Eligible students must be attending a public post-secondary institution or an Indigenous run institution; previous recipients of this scholarship are ineligible to apply.</p>
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Project Purpose and Outcomes: *Explain the purpose of the project by describing what this project is aiming to achieve. What is its vision? What need or opportunity will it address?*

Scholarships are an incredible source of financial assistance for college students that will vastly reduce financial stress and help the recipients focus on their studies and will contribute to personal growth and community engagement.

3. BUDGET

Project Costs: *Identify applicable cost categories such as: wages, consulting costs, materials, project management, equipment costs, etc.*

Proposal cost category	Total Cost
2 - \$4000 scholarships for grade 12 students	\$8,000.00
2 - \$4000 scholarships for continuing students	\$8,000.00
TOTAL:	\$16,000.00

Funding Timeline: *In what month(s) will you require the Trust funds requested in your proposal.*

Month	Funds from the Trust
August - September	\$16,000.00
*TOTAL:	\$16,000.00

*Note: The total for Funds from the Trust should equal the Total Budget requested.

Other Project Funding: *Indicate whether or not you have existing funds for this project.*

Other funds available:
 AANDC
 Fund Raising
 Other:

New Funding: No other funding source exists

4. PROJECT MANAGEMENT

Project Management Team: *Identify the individuals who will be responsible for managing the project and provide their contact information.*

Grace Smith, Education Coordinator
250-949-8343
gsmith@gwanaknations.ca

Reporting Structure: *Identify the reporting structure for the proposal.*

Final Report and Names of Recipients.

5. OTHER

Are there any potential risks that might threaten the successful completion of the project? Indicate how these risks will be mitigated.

N/A

Is there any other information relating to the proposal that the Trust Committee should be aware of?

N/A

Where the proposal requires the purchase of supplies, equipment or services, indicate how best value for money will be ensured. Indicate where the Applicant has a procurement policy in place.

N/A

6. TRUSTEE APPLICANT

How have project costs been reviewed/verified for accuracy, completeness and reasonableness? Explain.

Applications will include cover letter, (2) two letters of recommendation, resume, transcripts and post-secondary institution letter of acceptance.

No, there is no other funding for this request.

Submitted by:
Trustee Applicant

Associated Band Department Representative

