

FINANCIAL AID GUIDE

COMPLETE YOUR FAFSA & TAP APPLICATIONS

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 - Create student and parent accounts at:
<https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa>
 - If attending a NYS college/university apply for TAP:
<https://www.hesc.ny.gov/pay-for-college/apply-for-financial-aid/nys-tap/apply-for-tap.html>
 - Apply for FAFSA once every academic year, the application opens *December 2023*.



APPLY FOR SRMT TLAP SCHOLARSHIP

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 - Must be an enrolled member at the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe
 - Complete intake with Jamie Ross by calling 518-358-9721 ext. 2179
 - After intake you will be assigned a College & Career Specialist depending on your last name.
 - A-F = Louis Douglas Jacobs
 - G-N = Alexandra Sage Herne
 - O-Z = Mia McDonald
 - CCS Manager: Joni Cole

- You must re-apply for the TLAP every semester.
- Funding available for Spring, Summer, Fall, and Winter.

APPLY FOR NYS INDIAN AID

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 - Complete the NYS Indian Aid application at:
<http://www.nysed.gov/common/nysed/files/programs/indigenous-education/new-student-application-nys-indian-aid.pdf>
 - Must attend a New York State College or University.
 - Funding available for Spring and Fall semesters
 - You must re-apply each semester.



APPLY FOR AMBE PSAP

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 - Apply online at: https://www.ambe.ca/our_programs/post-secondary_program
 - Funding available for Spring, Fall and Winter semesters.
 - You must re-apply each semester.

OTHER FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES



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NYS COMMUNITY COLLEGE PROGRAM CERTIFICATE OF RESIDENCY

- Franklin County Residence: Application for Certificate of Residence
- St. Lawrence County Residence: Application for Certificate of Residence
- Must reapply yearly.

COBELL SCHOLARSHIP

- Merit-based scholarships for enrolled members of a US Federally-recognized Tribe, attending school full time.
- <https://cobellscholar.org/>

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AMERICAN INDIAN COLLEGE FUND SCHOLARSHIP

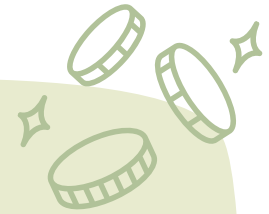
- Merit-based scholarship opportunities for US State and Federally-recognized Tribes, attending accredited nonprofit colleges or universities in the U.S.
- <https://collegefund.org/students/scholarship-journey/>

AMERICAN INDIAN SERVICES SCHOLARSHIP

- Available to Full-time and Part-time students from a U.S. Federally Recognized Tribe
- <https://www.americanindianservices.org/scholarships>

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SCHOLARSHIP SEARCH ENGINES



SUNY NATIVE AMERICAN WESTERN CONSORTIUM

- Financial Aid Directory 2023:
<https://www.fredonia.edu/academics/native-american-suny-western-consortium/financialaid>



FAST WEB

- Create an account and they will match you with scholarships you can complete for.
- Notifies you when a new scholarship matching your description is posted and when you have upcoming deadlines.
- <https://www.fastweb.com/>

SCHOLARSHIPS.COM

- Create an account and they will match you with scholarships you can complete for.
- <https://www.scholarships.com/>



COLLEGE BOARD BIGFUTURE

- Create an account and they will match you with scholarships you can complete for.
- They also offer their own BigFuture Scholarship.
- <https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/pay-for-college/scholarship-directory>