2022 Gewkdag Scholarship Application

This scholarship is awarded to recent Native American High School/GED graduates. It will cover the cost of tuition and fees plus $250 toward the cost of books. Eligible students are those that have graduated with a High School Diploma/GED Certificate in 2022.

FUNDING GUIDELINES

Graduation Date:	Eligible Funding
Fall 2021	Spring 2022, Fall 2022
Spring 2022	Fall 2022, Spring 2023
Fall 2023	Spring 2024, Fall 2024

Students must apply for funding within two (2) semesters of High School/GED Graduation Date

TOCC must be students first Higher Education choice

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www.tocc.edu
520-479-2300

Background:
The Gewkdag Scholarship was initiated in fall semester of 2022. The purpose then and now is to provide encouragement and support to recent Native American high school graduates and GED recipients who decide to enroll at Tohono O'odham Community College (TOCC) within a year of graduating or earning their GED certificates.

Eligibility – Meet all of the following criteria:

- Graduate from High school or earn a GED within one year of enrolling at TOCC;
- Native American Tribal membership;
- First Time College Student (Dual Enrollment Excluded)
- Enroll as a full-time student at TOCC (12 credits or more)

Scholarship Details:

1) Free tuition and fees for 12 or more credits plus $250 toward the cost of books and supplies for either the fall or spring semester.
2) If a participating student earns a 2.0 accumulative GPA for 12 or more credits during the first semester as a Gewkdag Scholarship recipient, she/he will be eligible for free tuition and fees, plus $250 toward cost of books and supplies for the semester immediately following that semester.
3) Interested students should fill out the application form for the Gewkdag Scholarship during their registration process.

Please use this list to verify that your application packet is complete and that you meet all application requirements to be eligible Please note, **_all_** documents are required for consideration.

☐ **Scholarship Application**   ☐ **TOCC Media Release Form**

☐ **Copy of Tribal Enrollment or CIB**   ☐ **Copy of HS Diploma or GED Certificate**

The application packet may be turned in via:

In Person: **Tohono O'odham Community College, S-cuk Du'ag Maṣcamakuḍ - Black Mountain Campus (formally known as Main Campus) in the Schuk Toak District. Attention: Financial Aid Office**

By Mail: **Attn: Financial Aid Office**
Tohono O'odham Community College
P.O. Box 3129
Sells, AZ 85634

For additional information, you may contact Financial Aid Office at (520) 479-2300.
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Application Deadline is listed as the Last Day to Add/Drop Classes for the semester in which you are applying.

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PERSONAL INFORMATION   **TOCC ID:** _____

Full Name: _____ **Tribal Affiliation:** _____

Date of Birth: ____/___/___ **District:** _____ **Community:** _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip Code:** _____

Tel. Number: _____ **Cell Number:** _____

Email Address: _____

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

High School: _____

Graduation Date: _____ **Cumulative GPA:** _____

Anticipated Program of Study: _____

CERTIFICATION:

All of the information on this form is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I authorize Tohono O'odham Community College Admissions & Records and the Tohono O'odham Community College Financial Aid Office to release my academic and financial aid information to appropriate parties within the college. I understand that this information will be used specifically to determine eligibility for this scholarship. I understand that as an applicant, I am also agreeing to terms and conditions required by the scholarship program. Furthermore, I understand that if I am found to provide false information, my application will be immediately dismissed.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

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Media Release Form

I, _____ hereby grant permission to Tohono O'odham Community College the right to use, publish, display, and or reproduce any video/recorded voice, photographs, slides, film, written work, presentation materials, or any other media for promotional publication, alumni publication, and/or on the Tohono O'odham Community College web site.

Name: _____ _____

Address: _____

Phone(s): _____ Email: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

If the person signing above is under age 18, a parent or legal guardian must sign below.
I hereby certify that I am the parent or legal guardian of the talent named above and I give my consent without reservation to the foregoing on his or her behalf.

Signature of Parent or Guardian: _____

Date: _____ Phone(s): _____

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