San Manuel Band of Mission Indians

Team Member Dependent Scholarship Fund

APPLY TODAY

The Team Member Dependent Scholarship Fund was established to help dependents pursue a higher education because the Tribe believes in the power of education to create a pathway to a better future.

Who is eligible?

Dependent children of team members of San Manuel Band of Mission Indians, Yaamava' Resort & Casino at San Manuel and Bear Springs Hotel. Team members must be current and active employees, as well as have completed 90 days of active employment.

Applicants **up to 26 years old** as of August 1st, 2022, are eligible to apply. Additionally, applicants must have graduated/will graduate from high school or obtain a GED certificate before September 1st of the 2022/2023 academic year.

Note: Native American applicants and those with demonstrated financial need will receive priority.

How much will recipients receive?

$2,500 to $10,000 per academic year, based on the educational institution recipient is attending.

How must scholarships be used?

Checks will be made payable to the accredited institution (trade school, vocational school, community college, university or graduate school) for the benefit of the scholarship recipient to cover expenses, including: tuition, books, registration/education fees, and/or on-campus living.

How to apply

Scan QR code or contact:
ccudiamat@iegives.org

Email application packets to:
SMBMI@iegives.org

Application deadline: November 18, 2022

The packet must include:

- A completed application form
- Two professional letters of recommendation
- A school transcript or copy of diploma plus letter of acceptance/proof of enrollment
- A copy of a Student Aid Report
- A 200-word essay based on this prompt: *Please explain why you should be selected as a recipient of this scholarship award and how it will help you.*

For more information or questions, contact Celia Cudiamat at: **ccudiamat@iegives.org**

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