

DISCUSSION/ACTION
February 26, 2010

HIGHER EDUCATIONAL AIDS BOARD

BOARD REPORT #10-13

2010-11 WHEG - TRIBAL PROGRAM FORMULA

**PROPOSED 2010-2011 FORMULAS
WISCONSIN HIGHER EDUCATION GRANT
TRIBAL COLLEGES**

February 26, 2010

Recommendation of Dr. Verna Fowler, President, College of Menominee Nation

$(\$6,560 - \text{EFC}) \times 27.44\% = \text{Award}$

$(\text{Student Budget} - \text{Expected Family Contribution}) \times \text{Student Award Percentage} = \text{Award}$

Maximum Award: \$1,800 Minimum Award: \$250

This reflects no change from the current year's formula.

Other Information

2010-2011 Appropriation: \$440,000

2009-2010 Appropriation: \$432,500

2008-2009 Appropriation: \$424,000

2007-2008 Appropriation: \$414,000

2006-2007 Appropriation: \$404,000

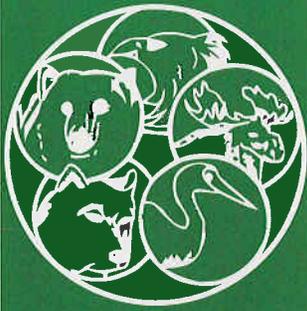
Current Formula:

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Maximum Award: \$1,800 Minimum Award: \$250

Current Year Spending: All of the 2009-2010 funds will be spent. Awards were suspended July 3, 2009 when all funds were fully committed.



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February 5, 2010

Connie Hutchinson
Executive Secretary
Higher Education Aids Board

Dear Secretary Hutchinson:

The College of Menominee Nation would like to thank you for the opportunity to make a recommendation on the Wisconsin Higher Education Grant (WHEG) formula.

For 2010-2011, the College of Menominee Nation recommends the Tribal WHEG formula remain the same as the 2009-2010 formula. By increasing the grant monies, fewer students will be served. Colleges across the nation have seen an increase in enrollment which would lead to even fewer students receiving state money to help with the cost of education.

The College of Menominee Nation looks forward to working with the HEAB staff to increase the appropriation for 2011-2013.

Thank you for again for working with the College of Menominee Nation to develop this recommendation. I look forward to hearing the final decision of the Higher Education Aids Board.

Sincerely,

S. Verna Fowler, Ph. D.
President
College of Menominee Nation