

**VANCOUVER ISLAND UNIVERSITY / CHATWIN ENGINEERING
FIRST NATIONS EDUCATION FUND APPLICATION
(For entering or continuing students)**

\$1,000 award available to First Nations students from the bands listed below, who will be entering, or continuing, in any program at Vancouver Island University. Generally funds will be issued as a tuition credit. Qualifying students can apply anytime.

Submit completed applications to: Vancouver Island University
Financial Aid & Awards Office
900 Fifth Street, Building 200
Nanaimo, BC V9R 5S5



PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____
Student Number: _____ SIN: _____
Mailing Address: _____
Phone: _____
Postal Code: _____ Email: _____

Residence while at VIU: With parents / family Self-owned home Rented / Shared accommodation
Marital Status: Single Single Parent Married Common-Law
Number of Children (under 19 years): _____ **Ages of Children (under 19 years):** _____

PROGRAM INFORMATION:

My program of study is: _____ Campus Attending: _____
I am enrolled in year: 1 2 3 4 5 6

BAND INFORMATION:

I am a band member, or community resident of:

Huu-ay-aht First Nation Snaw-naw-as First Nation Ucluelet First Nation Uchucklesaht Tribe

Band Verification: **Print Name:** _____ **Signature:** _____
Title: _____ **Date:** _____

To be considered for this award, applicants must meet the following conditions:

- If entering VIU for the first time, high school transcripts (or equivalent) must be attached.
- Academic / Career / Technology students must be registered in, and maintain, 60% of their program course load (40% with documented permanent disability) as defined by the program, in both the semester prior to, and the semester during which the award is received.
- Trades program students must be enrolled in a program of at least four months duration.
- Current ABE students must be enrolled in at least two courses per term, and in their final year. Award will be given as a tuition credit towards their first year of post secondary.
- Students must currently be in good standing as per the *Student Conduct Policy*.

STUDENT DECLARATION

I authorize the Financial Aid & Awards office to review my transcripts to determine my academic eligibility.

I hereby declare that the information provided on this application is, to the best of my knowledge, complete and true in every respect.

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____