

UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA FOSTER YOUTH PRESIDENTIAL TUITION WAIVER SCHOLARSHIP!

There are a total of 10 scholarships available each year, and these scholarships are effective for a total of five years (that's 10 semesters)!

To keep the scholarship for the full 10 semesters youth must: maintain a minimum of 2.0 GPA, maintain good academic standing, follow student code of conduct, meet University financial requirements, and stay enrolled at the University

You are eligible if you:

- ✓ Are a resident of Alaska
- ✓ Have a high school diploma or GED prior to enrollment at the University
- ✓ Have been in OCS custody on or after your 16th birthday, and not yet age 21.
- ✓ Demonstrate financial need for financial assistance
- ✓ Applied for two other scholarships
- ✓ Complete the FAFSA (<http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/>)

How do I apply?

- ✓ Complete the enrollment process to the University of Alaska campus of your choice.
- ✓ Complete the FAFSA form (<http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/>)
- ✓ Fill out the application form for the University of Alaska Foster Youth Presidential Tuition Waiver Scholarship.
 - Attach your most recent high school, GED, and college transcripts.
 - Attach 2 letters of recommendation
 - Attach a personal essay
 - Attach copies of application for two other scholarships.
- ✓ MAIL YOUR COMPLETE PACKET BY JUNE 1ST TO:
AMANDA METIVIER
YOUTH EDUCATION COORDINATOR
4500 DIPLOMACY DRIVE, SUITE 303
ANCHORAGE, AK 99508



Need more information?

Contact your Regional Independent Living Specialist:

- Anchorage Region: 1-800-478-4444
 - APPLA Youth: Shawnda Cutcher @ 269-4063 / shawnda.cutcher@alaska.gov
 - Non-APPLA Youth: Tamara Fischer @ 269-4017 / tamara.fischer@alaska.gov
- Southcentral Region: Carla Parker @ 352-8902 / 1-888-304-9780, carla.parker@alaska.gov
- Northern Region: Luvenia Rogers @ 451-2064 / 1-800-353-2650, luvenia.rogers@alaska.gov
- Southeast Region: Stephany Day @ 465-1664 / 1-888-622-1650, stephany.day@alaska.gov
- Western Region: Venissa Wynn @ 543-3141 / 1-800-557-3141, venissa.wynn@alaska.gov

Contact the Independent Living Coordinator:

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