Keweenaw Bay Indian Community 🔌



Education Department 16429 Beartown Road Baraga, MI 49908 Phone: (906) 353-4117

# Indoozhichigaazomin Application

Created to increase the number of Tribal members who realize their potential through higher education attainment and have a variety of the best opportunities to choose from, this multi-tiered educational program provides low interest rate student loans with the option of forgiveness based on KBIC employment through job placement. Students may choose to participate in one or all tiers.

### **Eligibility Requirements**

- 1. Must be an enrolled member of the Keweenaw Bay Indian Community.
- 2. Must be accepted into a Masters or Doctoral program.

Name:	KBIC #: SSN#:
Address:	Mailing Address :
Phone:	Email:
College/University:	Major:
Expected Degree:	Date of Graduation:
Loan Requested: Year One:	Signature/Date
Year Two:	Signature/Date
Year Three:	Signature/Date
Year Four:	Signature/Date

By signing this application, I declare the information given above is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I also understand the purpose and requirements for this opportunity provided by the Keweenaw Bay Indian Community.

### TIER 1: Student Loans

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# Indoozhichigaazomin Required Documents

Completed applications must be submitted to the KBIC Education Department and include the following:

- > Completed and signed application
- > Copy of Tribal ID or certification
- > Accepted letter into Masters or Doctoral Program
- > Official Transcripts and a student schedule (if current credits are not available on transcript)
- > Loan amount justification (cost of attendance or student bill)
- Letter of intent addressed to Tribal Council describing educational and career goals, commitment to Keweenaw Bay Indian Community, and the impact you hope to make.
  \*\*\* These letters will be used to prioritize educational investments. \*\*\*

## **TIER Specific Documents**

TIER 1: Program/Student Loans

- Indoozhichigaazomin Application
- TIER 2: Student Loans Forgiveness
- Forgiveness/Job Placement Contract
- Transcripts providing degree conferment

## TIER 3: Job Placement

- Employment Application
- Annual Employee Evaluation/Continued Eligibility Review