



Ponca Tribe of Nebraska
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Dear Tribal Member:

The Ponca Tribe of Nebraska currently offers a General Education Development/High School Equivalency Program. This program is open to all tribally enrolled members nationwide and was created to encourage those who have not graduated from high school to seek their high school equivalencies.

Testing fees are covered up to a maximum of \$60.00. These fees will be pre-paid once the test site bills our office accordingly. However, if you have already paid for these fees, you will be reimbursed provided that proof of payment is submitted to the Tribe's Education Department. In addition, processing and diploma fees may also be covered at \$5.00 each or \$10.00 for both but only if the combined cost for testing fees and processing and/or diploma fees do not exceed \$60.00.

Upon successful completion of the program, the tribal member is awarded a \$250.00 Incentive Bonus. Proof of successful completion may be either a copy of his/her final test scores or diploma. Please remember to submit a copy of your Tribal Enrollment Census Certificate along with your application. If you do not have one, please check the area on the application allowing us to obtain a copy of your certificate from our Enrollment Department.

Sincerely,

Pat Eichberger

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Director of Education

Enclosure: Application