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Bachelor of Arts in Cree

APPLICATION

Tansi,

Thank you for your interest in the Bachelor of Arts in Cree at University nuhelot'ine thaiyots'j nistameyimâkanak Blue Quills. This three-year language journey is designed with the goal of improving students' ability to use the Cree language both for speaking and comprehension.

The first year will have a heavy immersion focus, a process oriented class balancing individual and group activities. Fluent speakers will assist students in understanding the morphological nature of the Cree language. The second and third year will focus on the study of Cree grammar, morphology, SRO and syllabics. Oral traditions of storytelling and public oration will also be utilized to build on students' fluency

THE APPLICATION PROCESS

The application process is detailed and will require the commitment of a significant amount of your personal time and effort. The completion of each of the components of this admission package is integral to ensuring that your application will be processed in an effective manner.

Applicants are encouraged to submit the following documents by the funding deadlines set by their sponsor, although later submission can still be considered for admission in the fall.

- ✓ Official High School and/or Post-Secondary Transcripts,
- ✓ Applying as Mature Student
- ✓ Current Resume;
- ✓ Personal Statement;
- ✓ Two letters of reference (one should be from the supervisor of your volunteer or work experience)



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PROGRAM APPLICATION CHECKLIST

I have:

- Ordered my official high school transcripts from Alberta Learning (Order forms may be obtained from the Registrar's office) _____
or
- Ordered my official post-secondary education transcripts from all post-secondary institutions that I have attended in the past (order forms may be obtained from the Registrar's office) _____
- Attached a copy of my current resume. _____
- Attached a completed copy of my personal profile. _____
- Two letters of reference, _____
and
- Personal interview completed with Cree language faculty and/or Elder. _____
(date and name of faculty _____)

If you have any questions about the application procedure, please contact:

The Registrar
(780) 645-4455 or 1-888-645-4455

or mail completed package to:

University nuhelot'jine thaiyots'j nistameyimâkanak Blue Quills
Box 279, St. Paul
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APPLICATION PACKAGE

Personal Profile

Please answer each of the following questions in paragraph format:
(double spaced word-processed responses are preferred)

1. Please describe your reasons for pursuing a Bachelor of Arts in Cree.
2. Please identify and describe what you bring to this language journey that would help you to succeed.
3. Language learning can be challenging and demanding please describe your plans for ensuring that the following elements of your life will be addressed in a healthy manner throughout the duration of your studies for your B.A. in Cree:
 - Potential life challenges
 - Family and community commitments
 - Spiritual needs
 - Academic responsibilities
 - Financial considerations
4. In one to two paragraphs please describe your knowledge of Indigenous culture and those issues in regards to language that currently face Indigenous peoples in Canada.



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Application Package – Confirmation of Reference Requests

I have provided the following three individuals with a copy of the UnBQ Reference Form and they have agreed to send the completed form to the attention of the Registrar at University nuhelot'ine thaiyots'j nistameyimâkanak Blue Quills by mail or fax.

Reference #1: _____

Organization _____

Position _____

Telephone _____

Reference # 2: _____

Organization _____

Position _____

Telephone _____

Please note:

All documents must be received at the Registrar's office as soon as possible.

Mail: Registrar
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Box 279, St. Paul, AB
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Phone: 645-4455 or 1-888-645-4455 Main Fax: 780-645-5215
Registrar's Fax: 780-645-4730



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Application Package – Reference Form

Name of Applicant _____

Name of Reference _____

Organization _____

Position _____

Telephone _____

How long have you known the applicant? _____

In what capacity have you known the applicant? _____

Please describe those skills, knowledge or attitudes that you believe the applicant possesses that would assist them in successfully completing a Bachelor of Arts in Cree. (For example, you may describe the applicant's skill level in such areas as interpersonal communication, writing, and time management)

Date: _____

Signature of person completing this form: _____

Please forward this reference to:

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APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

SPECIFY PROGRAM YOU ARE APPLYING FOR: _____

Program Start Date: Fall Year: _____ Winter Year: _____ Spring Year: _____ Full-time Part-time

Have you previously applied to or, attended University nuhelot'ine thaiyots'i nistameyimâkanak Blue Quills?

No Yes Program: _____ Year _____

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name _____ Previous Surname (if Applicable): _____
 First Middle Last

Gender: Male Female Other Date of Birth: _____ / _____ / _____ SIN # _____ - _____ - _____
 month day year (Required)

Address _____ City _____ Prov. _____ Postal Code _____ - _____

Telephone _____ (Cell) _____ E-mail Address _____

Contact Person in case of Emergency: _____ Contact's Phone #: _____

Status: Treaty Non-Status Metis Other Band Name _____ Treaty/Metis # _____

FORMAL EDUCATION HISTORY

| Name of High School (list most recent first) | Province/State/Country | Grade Completed | From mm/yyyy | To mm/yyyy |
|---|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|
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| Name of Post-Secondary Institution | Province/State/ Country | From mm/yyyy | To mm/yyyy | Diploma/Degree/Credential Earned | Date Conferred |
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FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

MY TUITION WILL BE PAID BY: SELF SPONSOR

Sponsor's Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

Province: _____ Postal Code _____ - _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Contact Person: _____ Ext: _____

(For Office Use Only)

BQ ID #:

Receipt #:

Cheque #:

NOTE:

Certified Cheque or Money Order should be made payable to "University nuhelot'ine thaiyots'i nistameyimâkanak Blue Quills". Fees must be paid at the time of registration. Sponsored students must provide proof of sponsorship when registering.

FEE ASSESSMENT (Non-refundable)

Application Fee \$100.00 Date Paid _____

Cash Certified Cheque E-transfer
 Money Order Credit Card

DECLARATION

The information I have provided is true and complete in all aspects. I understand that the personal information collected on this form will be maintained as part of a student record and will be used for the purpose of admission, registration, and for operating the programs and activities of the University. I further understand that the University will ensure the protection of personal information against such risks as unauthorized access, collection, use, disclosure or destruction.

Signature: _____ Date: _____