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## **Ivalu Scholarship**

The Ivalu Scholarship was created to honor eligible applicants who are making noteworthy and influential contributions to their community through their community cultural service commitment of their personal time to projects and activities which strongly incorporate the Inupiaq values. Applicant selected should serve as a role model of implementing and following the 12 Inupiaq Core Values while performing community cultural service activities. The Inupiaq Values are listed as follows:

<b>Respect for Our Elders and Each Other</b>	<b>Family &amp; Kinship</b>	<b>Humility</b>	<b>Humor</b>
<b>Compassion</b>	<b>Knowledge of Language</b>	<b>Sharing</b>	<b>Cooperation</b>
<b>Avoidance of Conflict</b>	<b>Spirituality</b>	<b>Hunting Traditions</b>	<b>Respect for Nature</b>

The Ivalu Scholarship amount is up to \$15,000 per year, and will be awarded for four consecutive years. The award will cover tuition, fees, books, room and board, and shall be used for college or training expenses. One scholarship is awarded each year and only one award is given per person throughout their lifetime.

### ***Criteria***

- Must be an original ASRC shareholder or a lineal descendant of an original ASRC shareholder.
- Must have a high school diploma or GED.
- Must maintain a 2.0 grade point average (GPA) throughout the cycle of the award, and must currently have a 2.0 GPA, if already admitted to a college, university, or training institution.
- Must plan to enter or currently be enrolled in a college, university, or vocational training institution.
- Must have a demonstrated cultural community service commitment through activities, abilities, and effort which involve the 12 Inupiaq core values.

### ***Application procedure***

Students may apply for this scholarship by:

- Completing the Ivalu Scholarship Application AND regular Arctic Education Foundation scholarship.
- Submitting two letters of recommendation.
- Submitting a copy of your high school transcript and college/training transcripts (if applicable).
- Submitting a personal essay. See essay guidelines below.

### ***Personal Essay***

Essay guidelines:

- Write a two to four page, double spaced essay describing your cultural community service commitments which you have engaged in and describe which Inupiaq Value(s) have been utilized while doing those activities. Topics will have a strong community service component such as whaling crew activities, Inupiaq dance groups, church volunteerism, fire department volunteerism, Boys and Girls Club volunteerism, etc., and should also include all other activities not identified previously which have a strong relation to the Inupiaq Values.
- Describe your goals of attending college/training.
- Discuss your plans after completion of college/training.

### ***Deadline***

The annual deadline is April 30th. Late and/or incomplete applications will not be considered.

Submit complete applications to:

Arctic Education Foundation  
P. O. Box 129  
Barrow, AK 99723

[arcticed@asrc.com](mailto:arcticed@asrc.com)  
Phone (907) 852-8633  
Fax (907) 852-2774



# Ivalu Scholarship Application

**Important:**

Print clearly and complete every section. Incomplete applications will not be processed.

**Section 1: Personal Data**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  Male  Female

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ SSN \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Section 2: University/Training Institution**

University/Training Institution \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Financial Aid Officer \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ FAO Phone \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ FAO Fax \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ FAO Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Section 3: College Status**

<b>I am a:</b>	<b>Type:</b>	<b>I will attend:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Full time
<input type="checkbox"/> Freshman	<input type="checkbox"/> Training	<input type="checkbox"/> Part time - credits: _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sophomore	<input type="checkbox"/> College		
<input type="checkbox"/> Junior	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	<b>I will live:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> On campus
<input type="checkbox"/> Senior			<input type="checkbox"/> Own home or with parents
<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____			<input type="checkbox"/> Off campus

**Section 4: Goal**

<b>College:</b>	<b>Training:</b>	<b>Expected Graduation Date:</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor's Degree	<input type="checkbox"/> Associate of Arts Degree	(or Date of Completion of Training):
<input type="checkbox"/> Master's/Graduate Degree	<input type="checkbox"/> Certificate/Endorsement	Month/Year: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Doctorate	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____		
<b>Major:</b> _____	<b>Minor (if applicable):</b> _____	

**Section 6: Statement of Correctness, Understanding, Authorization and Privacy Act Waiver**

Read carefully and **initial** each section.

\_\_\_\_\_ I hereby attest that **all** the information I have provided to AEF is **true, correct and complete**.  
Required

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that if I, for any reason, do not attend the school as stated the **full scholarship is to be returned**.  
Required

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that **immediately upon completion of each semester/quarter/term** I shall submit a **copy of my grades to AEF** to verify completion of the courses of study for the semester during which the award was used and to assess continued eligibility for future scholarships.  
Required

\_\_\_\_\_ I hereby attest that the **courses** I take are **geared toward a degree, certification or endorsement** suitable for obtaining employment in my chosen field.  
Required

\_\_\_\_\_ I certify that I am **NOT** a spouse, ancestor, lineal descendant (by blood or adoption), or the spouse of a lineal descendant of any member of the Arctic Education Foundation Board of Directors.  
Required

\_\_\_\_\_ I hereby authorize the **release of any of the information contained within this application** as necessary to assist me in obtaining additional financial assistance and/or job placement.  
Required

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

**Annual Deadline:** April 30<sup>th</sup>

Completed application and required attachments must be received by the deadline date to be considered. Late and/or incomplete applications will not be considered.

Mail or fax completed application and all required paperwork to:

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P.O. Box 129  
Barrow, AK 99723**

**Fax:** 907.852.2774

**Phone:** 907-852-8633

**Toll Free:** 1-800-770-2772

**Email:** arcticed@asrc.com