

KARUK COVID-EDUCATION REIMBURSEMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM APPLICATION

The COVID- EDUCATION REIMBURSEMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM is designed to provide reimbursement for items purchased for student needs during the months of March 1, 2020 through November 1, 2020 such as costs associated with providing distance learning (*e.g.*, the cost of laptops to provide to students) or for in-person learning (*e.g.*, the cost of acquiring personal protective equipment for students attending schools in-person or other costs associated with meeting Centers for Disease Control guidelines). An approved amount of up to \$500 reimbursement per elementary and secondary school student will be available until November 1, 2020.

Eligibility:

- Karuk Enrolled Tribal Member as of May 20, 2020 who is enrolled in elementary and secondary school grades TK- 12th in and out of service area.
- Karuk Enrolled Descendant as of May 20, 2020 who is enrolled in elementary and secondary school grades TK- 12th in and out of service area.
- Has experienced hardship due to the COVID-19 pandemic such as distant learning needs, school supplies, personal protective equipment etc.
 - Up to \$500 reimbursable for expenses related to distance learning, and safe re-opening of schools. Students who already received a laptop/Chromebook through other Tribal Programs such as Math and Science Camp, TANF, etc will only be eligible for reimbursement of up to \$250.
 - If they need financial assistance contact Alma Bickford (contact information below).

Application Submission: Please submit completed application by **November 1, 2020** to:

By Mail: Karuk Tribe, Attn: Alma Bickford, PO Box 1016, Happy Camp, CA 96039

By email: EducationCARES@karuk.us

For further assistance regarding this Program, please contact:

Alma Bickford by phone at 530-493-1600 ex. 2034 or by email at:

EducationCARES@karuk.us

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Name _____

Enrollment Number _____ Enrolled Descendant Number _____

Current Mailing Address _____

Phone Number _____ Date of Birth _____

Email: _____

ITEMS LISTED BELOW QUALIFY FOR REIMBURSEMENT up to \$500.00 per eligible child:

- 1) Computer/Laptop/Chromebook
 - a) Laptop/Chromebook
 - b) Headphones
 - c) Printer
 - d) Hotspot devices
 - e) Routers
- 2) School Supplies
 - a) Desk
 - b) Pens & pencils
 - c) Paper
 - d) Glue
 - e) Scissors
 - f) Ruler
 - g) Educational Curriculum
 - h) Educational Learning Tools
 - i) Water bottles/lunch boxes/etc.
- 3) Protective Gear
 - a) Masks
 - b) Shields
 - c) Hand sanitizer
 - d) Vitamins/Immune System Builders

You are required to submit legible receipts of the purchased items to receive a reimbursement.

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Certification:

By signing below, I _____ (print name) certify that the above information is true and correct to the extent of my knowledge. I understand that submitting false information may be considered a crime and is punishable under Tribal and Federal Law. I will provide proof of school enrollment upon request.

Signature of Applicant _____ Date: _____

Internal Use ONLY

Approved on:

Approved by: