

THE GILA RIVER INDIAN COMMUNITY RISE UP PROGRAM

A new education
program available to all
community members

FAQs

What is the Gila River Indian Community Rise Up scholarship?

The Gila River Indian Community Rise Up program features a 20% tuition scholarship to Arizona State University online degree programs. All members have access to this scholarship and can use it with or without the GRIC Higher Education Program.

Who is eligible for the Rise Up scholarship?

All Gila River Indian Community members are eligible for the Rise Up scholarship.

Is there additional financial aid available?

Members should apply for the Gila River Higher Education program for additional tuition assistance through the Tribal Education Department. Members who have been previously disqualified from participating in the Gila River Higher Education program are still eligible for the 20% Scholarship for ASU online. Reach out to the Tribal Education team for more information or speak to an ASU enrollment coach.

It is also recommended that members apply for the Free Application for Federal Student Aid and may qualify for additional federal aid and grants through the FAFSA website at www.studentaid.ed.gov

How does it work?

Members will need to submit a request for information at gilarivercommunity.instride.com and will then be contacted by an ASU enrollment coach. **All interested members should submit an application to ASU online by September 23 for Spring 2020 Session A to ensure they are able to meet the GRIC Higher Education scholarship deadline of November 1, 2019.** Community members will need to follow up and submit an application if they are seeking additional financial assistance through the Tribal Education Department.

Where do community members get more information?

Additional information can be found at gilarivercommunity.instride.com. If you have additional questions regarding the ASU scholarship, call an enrollment coach at 1-844-436-1129, or email Jamelyn.Casoose@gric.nsn.us for information on the GRIC Higher Education Program.

Does this apply to members who do not live within the reservation?

Yes, this applies to all GRIC members.

What type of programs does the Rise Up scholarship include?

The Rise Up scholarship applies to all ASU online undergraduate, graduate, and certificate programs. All programs are 100% online and offer multiple start dates.

Learn more at gilarivercommunity.instride.com



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