



Application Deadline: April 30

BERENS RIVER FIRST NATION
STUDENT SERVICES285 Balmoral Street
Winnipeg, Manitoba
R3C 1X7Phone: (204) 982-0690
Fax: (204) 982-0698**HIGH SCHOOL | HOME PLACEMENT SPONSORSHIP APPLICATION****PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION**

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Treaty No.: _____ Social Insurance No.: _____

Family Medical No.: _____ P.H.I.N.: _____

Parents/Guardians: _____ Phone Number: _____

Mailing Address: _____

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Does the Applicant:

Have any Allergies or Medical Difficulties? No ☐ Yes ☐ (If Yes, Please Explain in Detail)

Require medications or medical monitoring by a physician? No ☐ Yes ☐ (If yes, Explain)

Have any Physical, Social or Mental Barriers/Disabilities? No ☐ Yes ☐ (If yes, please explain)

EDUCATION BACKGROUND

Name of Institution _____ Location: _____

Last Grade Completed: _____ Year: _____

PRINCIPAL'S CONSENTGrade Completed _____
(Number of Credits Earned in Senior 1) (PRINCIPAL'S SIGNATURE)**ASSISTANCE REQUIRED**

I hereby make application:

(A) To Attend _____ School in _____

(B) To Enroll in Grade _____ from _____ to _____

(C) I require Home Placement No ☐ Yes ☐

(D) To Reside with _____ at _____

Or to live in _____

(NAME OF RESIDENCE)

(E) If I am a previous Sponsored Student and have Voluntarily Withdrawn from my studies, I have included a Letter stating my Goals and Personal Changes I have made to my school lifestyle to succeed. (Required)

I understand that my selection for placement, once made is binding upon me, and cannot be changed without good reason or consultation with parents, guardians, and PHP Education Counsellor.

Date: _____

(SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT)

AUTHORIZATION OF PARENT/GUARDIAN (if student is 17 years of age or younger)

I hereby authorize the Berens River Student Services to act on my behalf as stated hereunder:

- (A) To arrange educational assistance for my child/ward as noted in Part B above.
- (B) To Grant permission for medical, optical or dental treatment that my child/ward may require, also for emergency surgical treatment, but only in event that I cannot be contacted.
- (C) To Grant permission for my child/ward to travel, as required, to participate in the program noted above and supervised activities organized for students, individual unsupervised travel must be authorized by parents/guardians in writing before it will be permitted.
- (D) To ensure that all houseparents/guardians are subject to provide a criminal check/criminal abuse registry.

I understand that:

- (A) Berens River Student Services, by policy, is only responsible for travel in September, Christmas Break, and in June: That all other trips are my responsibility unless otherwise arranged by Berens River Student Services.
- (B) All funding provided to my child during his/her sponsorship covers food, shelter, transportation, and school related supplies. All other major purchases including clothing are my continued responsibility.

This Authorization is to remain in effect from _____ to _____
Or until it has been cancelled in writing by either party or the student is discharge/withdraws from the program.

DATE

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN

RELATIONSHIP TO CHILD

I hereby certify that the above authorization is understood by the parent/guardian and that I witnessed the signature

DATE

SIGNATURE OF WITNESS

POSITION OF WITNESS

HOME/SCHOOL COORDINATOR'S COMMENTS & RECOMMENDATIONS

(DATE) (SIGNATURE)

I Understand the following conditions for sponsorship by the Berens River First Nation Student Services

- (A) To attend all scheduled classes regularly.
- (B) To consult with the Counsellor if any problems arise; academically, emotionally, physically or financially.
- (C) To meet the standards required by the school for continuation in my program of studies.
- (D) To provide my marks and reports to Berens River Student Services upon my Counsellor's request.
- (E) To refrain from the use of alcohol and/or drugs during the term of sponsorship.
- (F) To abide by all rules as set by my Houseparents/Home Placement.
- (G) To adhere to any rules and regulations, as may from time to time, be advised by the Berens River First Nation

DATE

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

DATE

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN

RELATIONSHIP TO CHILD

REQUEST FOR CONSENT FOR THE RELEASE OF POLICE INFORMATION

All applicants complete this section and sign, if an applicant is under 18 years of age - a parent/guardian must sign:
STATEMENT OF CONSENT: I consent to a search of all records available at the time the search is conducted, including charges before the courts, finding of guilt or convictions and court orders registered in my name in the National Repository and local records available to police service.

Dated this _____ day of _____ (month), _____ (year) Signature: _____

WAIVER FOR CONSENT OF RELEASE OF INFORMATION TO THIRD PARTY: I consent to the release of any and all information from available records to the authorized person of Berens River Student Services. All information will remain confidential in accordance with Berens River Education Authority Policies.

Dated this _____ day of _____ (month), _____ (year) Signature: _____

Please note that all fields are required to be completed, incomplete applications will not be processed.

If you have any questions or require assistance in completing this application please contact us at:

Berens River Student Services:

285 Balmoral Street, Winnipeg, MB R3C 1X7

Toll Free: 1-888-982-0690

Local: (204) 982-0690

Email: php@berensriver.ca

Fax: (204) 982-0698

DATE

SIGNATURE OF AUTHORIZING OFFICER

POSITION

Berens River Student Services

Student Responsibilities:

Students are expected to observe and abide by the following rules:

1. Students must be respectful and are expected to follow the rules, expectations and regulations of their home placements, house parents and supervisors.
2. Students are not to use chemical/drugs/alcohol in home or school. If students are suspected using the mentioned; they will be subjected to a search with the written permission from the parent.
3. Students are expected to attend classes every day and to be on time! The Education Counselor and school must be notified when a student is absent due to an illness or an appropriate excuse.
4. Students are expected to register for a full course load per semester as required by the school they are registered in (timetables must include Compulsory Courses required to graduate).
5. Students **must submit** a monthly progress/attendance report each month **before receiving** their student allowance (bringing a paper copy would be a faster option as there are many other students attending the school you attend).
6. All school property, such as textbooks, must be returned to the school when requested.
7. Students must inform the Education Counselor immediately of all changes being made; this would include: transferring, withdrawing, or terminating their course of study. Courses cannot be dropped without first getting tutorial assistance and without the authorization of the Education Counselor. It is recommended that students seek for advice first before making this decision. Remember that we are responsible for your sponsorship.
8. Students are responsible for being prepared and to purchase school supplies before going to their first day of classes to prevent confusion. *An extra \$50.00 for school supplies is provided with your September and February Allowance.*
9. Students are encouraged to participate in school team sports and extracurricular activities within the school and the community.
10. Students are advised to register at one institution and stay there until graduation instead of transferring regularly. This can cause confusion and problems with your official Transcript.
11. Students should begin thinking about their Goals and Careers in "Senior 1" (Grade 9) and start to work towards that goal and career path while taking courses in school that would later put you on track for College and/or University.
12. Students must realize that they are now living away from home for an important purpose and they need to represent their community with honor and respect.
13. Students will not be allowed to transfer halfway through the term as it may cause difficulty with the student's classes and credits at a new school.
14. Students are to stay at the selected house placement throughout the whole school year.

Termination of Sponsorship:

Students will be terminated from the Program upon recommendation of the school for absenteeism, evidence of failing grades, gross misconduct in the school or home placement or physical abuse of people or property.

If a student considers their termination to be unfair, an appeal may be made to the Berens River Education Committee, and a copy of the appeal must be sent to the Education Counsellor.

The School Board, that you are applying for, will make their decision after reviewing all evidence.

BY SIGNING, THE STUDENT UNDERSTANDS AND AGREES TO THE FOLLOWING:

DATE: _____

STUDENT NAME (PRINT): _____

STUDENT SIGNATURE: _____



BERENS RIVER STUDENT SERVICES

AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE INFORMATION FORM

I, _____, authorize _____,
Student Name (PLEASE PRINT) School (PLEASE PRINT)

to release information regarding my attendance, transcript(s), progress reports and academic record(s)
(for courses which I have been sponsored for in the past and/or courses for which I am currently registered) to:

Berens River Student Services
285 Balmoral Street
Winnipeg, Manitoba R3C 1X7
Fax: (204) 982-0698

I declare that I have read and understood the information on this form.

Date

Student Signature

Student ID Number