



Kwakiutl Band – Graduation Allowance Application

Kwakiutl Band Council
P.O. Box 1440
Port Hardy, B.C.
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PERSONAL INFORMATION

Student Name: _____ Birth Date: _____
Band Number: _____ Cell Number: _____
Parents/Guardians: _____ Cheque payable to: _____
Street Address: _____ Mailing Address: _____
Application Date: _____ Email Address: _____

SCHOOL INFORMATION

School: _____ Graduation Date: _____

1. Have you met all of the graduation requirements to obtain a dogwood graduation diploma? Circle Yes or No
2. Are you participating in the Grad Cap and Gown Ceremony? Circle Yes or No
3. Are you participating in the Formal School Leaving Ceremony? Circle Yes or No

ELIGIBILITY

Students eligible for graduation and photo allowance must meet the following criteria:

1. STATUS – the student is status.
2. RESIDENCE – the student is a Fort Rupert Village resident.
3. GRADUATION – the student will be receiving a Dogwood Graduation certificate. Note:
The student will provide a copy of the Grad Cap and Gown registration or letter from school confirming that the student meets graduation requirements. In addition, please include a copy of your transcript and graduation picture receipt with your application.

2018 GRADUATION PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

The B.C. Certificate of Graduation or "Dogwood Diploma" is awarded to students who successfully complete the provincial graduation requirements.

To graduate, you will require 80 credits total – with a minimum of 16 at the Grade 12 level, and 28 elective course credits. 52 credits are required from the following:

- Two Career Education courses (8 credits total)
- Physical and Health Education 10 (4 credits)
- Science 10 (4 credits), and a Science 11 or 12 (4 credits)
- Social Studies 10 (4 credits), and a Social Studies 11 or 12 (4 credits)
- A Math 10 (4 credits), and a Math 11 or 12 (4 credits)
- A Language Arts 10, 11 & 12 (12 credits)
- An Arts Education 10, 11, or 12 and/or an Applied Design, Skills, and Technologies 10, 11, or 12 (4 credits)

In addition, students on the 2018 Graduation Program must also complete the two new Graduation Assessments:

- Numeracy Assessment
 - The Numeracy Assessment will be introduced in 2018
 - January 2018 - managed implementation with small subset of students

- Literacy Assessment

The Literacy Assessment will be introduced in January 2020 (students graduating in the 2018/19 school year will take a Language Arts 12 course and associated provincial exam to satisfy this graduation requirement for the 2018 Graduation Program)

NOTE: Students on the 2018 Graduation Program will be able to meet the career education graduation requirement with any of the following combinations:

- Planning 10/Grad Transitions
- Planning 10/Career Life Connections + Capstone
- Career Life Education/Grad Transitions
Career Life Education/Career Life Connections
- + Capstone

NOTE: The Social Studies 11/12-graduation requirement for students on the 2018 Graduation Program is flexible; any of the current Ministry Social Studies 11 or 12 courses will meet the requirement.

- Social Studies 11
 - Civic Studies 11
 - BC First Nations Studies 12
 - Comparative Civilizations 12
 - Geography 12
 - History 12
 - Law 12
 - Social Justice 12
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