



Scholars of Promise Application Form

for high school seniors, juniors, and sophomores

Hopa Mountain has three initiatives to support high school sophomores, juniors or seniors who are planning to go to college. If you are a high school student in Montana who has a GPA of 2.5 or above, you are invited to apply to Hopa Mountain's *Health Scholars of Promise* (for students interested in a health-related degree) or *Scholars of Promise* program (for students in foster care, kinship care, or homeless). If you are a Native American student, enrolled or descendant, with a 3.0 GPA or above, you are invited to apply to our *Indigenous Scholars of Promise* program. These college preparation programs will provide students with training, mentoring, and support services to help them prepare to apply to the colleges and universities of their choice.

Benefits of being a *Scholar of Promise*:

- Training and coaching meetings to help prepare you to apply to colleges/universities and succeed once you are there.
- Assistance with university essays, application/testing fees, and scholarship applications.
- Mentor and peer support throughout the college preparation process.
- Recognition through participation in the *Scholars of Promise* program.

Applications may be mailed to Hopa Mountain, 234 E. Babcock, Suite E, Bozeman, MT 59715 or emailed to info@hopamountain.org. Please call 406-586-2455 with any questions.

Application Form

Student's name: _____

Mailing address: _____

City, state, zip code: _____

Home phone #: _____ Cell phone #: _____

Email: _____ Date of birth: _____

High School and grade: _____

GPA: _____

Tribal affiliation (if applicable) _____

Guardian Name: _____

Guardian home & cell phone #: _____

Guardian email address: _____

In addition to completing the questions below, please provide a:
(1) Copy of your high school transcript

Please answer one of the two questions:

- **How will you use the chance to attend college to serve others? (one paragraph)**
Or
- **Who has had the greatest influence on your academic success to date and why?(one paragraph essay**

If you have any questions, please contact Bonnie Sachatello-Sawyer at Hopa Mountain at (406) 586-2455. Thank you for your consideration and we look forward to receiving your application!