

POST-SECONDARY STUDENT SUPPORT PROGRAM POLICY

Section: **Student Support**

Effective Date: 1 May 2004
Last Amended: 28 November 2016
Authorized By: Chief and Council

7.1.3.2 Living Allowance for Married Student/Common-Law Students

This section no longer applies. See 7.1.3.3

7.1.3.3 Living Allowance Rates

Students approved for full-time study are entitled to living allowances during the months they are attending school.

Living allowance categories have been established as:

1. Single Student Living at home, and
2. Student living on their own.

Students with dependents will receive an additional amount for each dependent. In certain circumstances, a spouse or common-law partner may be considered as a dependent. This will require supporting documentation.

Students who work while studying full-time are not eligible to receive living allowances if their individual annual income exceeds \$35,000 or their family income exceeds \$75,000. Students must self-declare this in their application. Failure to do so may disqualify them for support under the Post-Secondary Student Support Program Policy. TKC Education may, at any time request verification of income. Exceptions may be made if financial need can be demonstrated. These situations will be reviewed by the TKC Education Commission and their decision is final.

Living Allowance Rates are identified in Appendix One of this policy. These rates will be adjusted annually in accordance with the Cost of Living Allowance (COLA) established for TKC. Annual increases will come into effect on April 1st, after the TKC annual operating budget has been approved by Chief and Council.

Chief and Council reserve the right to withhold COLA adjustments in any given fiscal year, if necessary.

Approved this 28th day of November 2016



Chief Kristina Kane

Post-Secondary Student Support Program Policy – Appendix One

Living Allowance Rates – Effective 1 September 2016

Living Allowances are provided to Full-Time Post-Secondary Students, as per the table below in accordance with Section 7.1.3.3 Living Allowance Rates.

Category	Rate
• Single student living at home	\$700/month
• Student living on their own	\$1,500/month
• For each dependent (child or dependent spouse)	Additional \$300/month

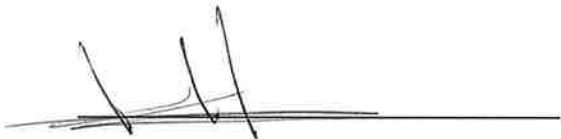
Please refer also to:

Section 7.1.3 Living Allowance and Travel

Section 7.1.3.1 Living Allowance

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Approved this 28th day of November 2016



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