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# Read Instructions on this Application Blank carefully



### BRIEF

### Application of

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FOR THE ENROLLMENT OF

Jacob Skokogee
IN THE INDIAN SCHOOL AT

# Carlisle, Pennsylvania

NAME OF AGENCY FROM WHICH PUPIL CAME:

Union agency

Date of enrollment

1914

Term of enrollment

Three

3 ) years

Printed by Carlisle Indians.

Ed. June 13-6000

Important—Only those students who desire to come to Carlisle because they have a definite purpose in view will be admitted. Applications for enrollment must be submitted in all cases for consideration before transportation can be made available. Time will then be taken to find out the records students have made in the schools previously attended, and to secure recommendations as to their moral character and their worthiness for further attendance at a Government institution.

# Application for Enrollment in a Non-Reservation School.

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the rules and regulation	I, James Jeffe , do hereby voluntarily consent and agree to enrollment in said school for a period of three years, and also obligate myself to abide by all the rules and regulations for Indian Schools.  The said child has been enrolled in the following schools:    Date of Date of Enrollment Discharge   CAUSE   GRADE   GRADE   CAUSE   GRADE   CAUSE   GRADE   CAUSE   CAUSE							
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#### PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

I hereby certify that I have this day carefully examined the above-named child herein proposed for transfer and find him to be in proper physical condition to attend school, and not afflicted with tuberculosis or any disease which would be a menace to the health of other pupils.

Supervisor, Agent or Superintendent.

#### CERTIFICATE OF AGENT OR SUPERINTENDENT.

I hereby certify that the statements made in the foregoing application and certificate, to the best of my knowledge and belief, are true, that the consent of..... (Parent, guardian, or next of kin.) was voluntary, and I recommend the transfer of said child.

22 day of Oct. 1914

SPECIAL NOTE.

This form must be executed in duplicate when a child is transferred from a reservation to a nonreservation school. The Superintendent of the nonreservation school will retain the original for his files, and the duplicate shall be deposited in the Agency records. The agent will then send to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs his certificate as provided by law. All the blanks must be properly filled in every case.

NOTE.—Age limits, fourteen to twenty years. Preferably fourteen to eighteen. Students must be at least one-fourth Indian, preferably full Indian. Special cases beyond the age limit will be given consideration. An industrial course only can be taken and the term reduced to three years, in exceptional cases.

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#### INDORSEMENTS.

The laws relating to the transfer of Indian children from reservations and schools are as follows:

That hereafter no Indian child shall be sent from any Indian reservation to a school beyond the State or Territory in which said reservation is situated without the voluntary consent of the father or mother of such child if either of them is living, and if neither of them is living without the voluntary consent of the next of kin of such child. Such consent shall be made before the agent of the reservation, and he shall send to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs his certificate that such consent has been voluntarily given before such child shall be removed from such reservation. And it shall be unlawful for any Indian agent or other employee of the Government to induce, or seek to induce, by withholding rations or by other improper means, the parents or next of kin of any Indian to consent to the removal of any Indian child beyond the limits of any reservation. (28 Stats., p. 906.)

Provided, that hereafter no Indian child shall be taken from any school in any State or Territory to a school in any other State against its will or without the written consent of its parents. (29 Stats., p. 348.)

The rules provide that-

A pupil who has been regularly enrolled in a nonreservation school must not be taken to any other nonreservation school without the consent of both Superintendents and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, and Superintendents will be held to strict accountability for such pupils taken to their schools.

An Indian boy or girl 18 years old and over may, without the consent of parents or others, personally sign the application form on its being changed to suit the case.

This form is to be used only in transfers from reservations, or Indian schools, to nonreservation schools.

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This form is for the record of the physical condition of pupils of boarding or nonreservation Indian schools. It should be filled in by the school physician at the time of the admission of the pupil.

Physicians in the field should use this form to record the examination of pupils for transfer to nonreservation schools. It should accompany the pupils' transfer blanks.

The reverse side is intended as a card-index case-record for use by all Service physicians.

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Dec. 7th, 1914.

Mr. Dana H. Kelsey, Supervisor in Charge, The Union Agency, Muskogee, Oklahoms.

My dear Sir:

George Pike and Jacob Spokogee came to this office this morning with a request that permission be given them to enroll at the Coyn National Trades School in Chicago. They seem to think that they could make more rapid progress there then here at Carlisle.

They reported that ten month's taition would cost them \$85.00 and that they could be secured their board at \$3.50 to \$4.00 per week.

I shall not object to the young men leaving here, but before further consideration is given their request I would thank you to advise me.

Rerewith is a copy of a letter that has been addressed to Mr. H. G. House at George Pike's request.

Very respectfully,

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(Copy to Supervisor Brown)

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Sapulpa, Okla., December 7, 1914.

Mr. Jacob Ispocogee, c/o Indian School, Carlisle, Pa.

Dear sir:

Replying to your letter of the 24th ultimo, with reference to your taking a course in engineering, respectfully advise I would recommend electrical engineering, because it offers greater opportunities to our young men of to-day. You chould, however, by all morns complete your course at Carlisle before taking up this course.

With reference to your returning home for the Christmas Holidays, it is my understanding that the rules of the school do not permit of home coming during Christmas; that, however, is a matter you should take up with your Superintendent in charge.

Respectfully,

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Field Clerk

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Carlile Penn Mr. Mi, Daniels Lapulpa Opla Dear Mr. m. Daniels after receiving your letter. I have wrote for a Cataloque to be sent to you from Chiago as I have no catalogue of my own, and I want to take up plumping or electricial engineering according to best pay of the two, and Lexpect to complete my course before quiting. my Daniels Fivielbe very much oblige to you, if you do that favor, as I cannotlearn

that fast and find work as I will There, Because they find work for you after completing course and hesides they gave a tools. while they do not do that here. Besidesthey put me on farm. Mr M. Daniels can 9 come home for a Christmas as I have not been komeduring Christmas sence 1904. and I like to spend home or vacation at home, Fremain as Respectfully yours Jacob Spokoger.

Jan. 19th, 1915.

Mr. Timmie Fife.

Sapulpa, Oklahoma.

My dear Sir:

Jacob Spokegee came to this office this merning with a copy of a letter Er. McDaniel addressed to the Suparintendent for the Five Civilized Tribes on January the 14th.

As George Pike has just been enrolled at one of the State Bormal Schools in this etate where his expense for turition and board will be about \$6.00 per week I suggested that Jacob join George. However, he seems to think that he would prefer to enroll at the Agricultural College at Stillweter, Oklahoma.

I have no objections at all to releasing Jacob from this school if it is your desire that he shall be given a chance to return to Oklahoma to attend school there, and I would thank you to advise me as soon as possible.

Very respectfully,

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

Copies to Superintendent Parker and to Mr. McDaniel.

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Mr. George McDaniel,

January 25, 1915.

Field Clerk.

Sapulpa, Oktaberza.

Dear Er. McDaniel:

I have your letter of January 14, 1915, asking that office letter of Supervisor Lipps with reference to Jacob Spokogee entering Coyn National Training School in Chicago be mailed to you for consideration by guardian.

I am today in receipt of copy of a letter
by Mr. Lipps to Finmie Fife, Sapulpa, Oklahoma, relative to this
young man entering one of the Pennsylvania State Mormal Schools with
George Pike. However, Jacob seems to think be would prefer to caroll
at the Agricultural College at Stillwater, Oklahoma.

In view of the fact that considerable trouble is experienced in keeping Indian minors past school age continuously in school, this office looks with disfavor upon a change which might result in Jacob failing to attend any school, a result which could easily obtain in case he were permitted to return to Oklahom.

Very respectfully.

Copy to O. H. Lipps. Supervisor in Charge, Carlisle, Pa. Superintenient for the Five Civilized Tribes.

March 1st, 1915.

Mr. Timmie Fife.

Sapulpa, Oklahoma.

My dear Sir:

Jacob Spokogee desires now to have it arranged so that he can give all his time to the work in some trade. Only a very few weeks ago he complained that he was not getting enough time for academic training, but a report from our Principal Teacher indicates that he has not kept up to the requirements in his classes and that he will probably not be promoted at the end of this year. I have also learned that Jacob has not made satisfactory progress in his work at our school farms.

If he is given permission to remain away from his classes in the Academic Department it will only mean that he will have twice as much time as before to waste and double the effort that has had to be expended to keep him at work.

In view of the fact that Jacob has not taken advantage of the opportunities he has had, and now desires something else, I would thank you to advise me what you believe should be done.

Very truly yours.

HKM.

Supervisor in Charge.

(Copy to Supervisor Brown)

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Sapervisor Brown)

The bearer Jacob Spokogee comes to me to seek to make an arrangement whereby he may "work all day". I have told him I have no authority to take action on such requests and that he must arrange that with the head of the school. Jacob would not, I fear, be promoted at the end of the current school year. He is in Grade VIII-b and has been there since he came (last October), but his grades are not I have been thinking of recommendun to the requirement. ing him for the outing. Anyway, I don't think it is any use for him to continue in the academic department any longer this school year, if there can be made any arrangement whereby he can be kept busy at something profitable. Perhaps if he should begin again next September square with his class, he might make a better showing.

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March 15th, 1915.

Sapulpa, Ok. March 10, 1915.

Mr. Geo. M. MoDaniel,

Field Clerk,

Superintendent Indian School, Dear Sir, Carlisle, Fa.

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Supervisor in charge.

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# Bepartment of the Interior,

United States Indian Service.

Local Field Representative Fine Civilized Orihea.

Sapulpa, Ok. March 10, 1915.

Mr. O. H. Lipps,
Superint endent Indian School,
Carlisle, Pa.

Dear sir:

There is enclosed herewith check on the American National Bank, Sapulpa, Okla., in the amount of \$25.00, payable to the order of Jacob Ispocogee, a student in your school. This check was left with me by Timmie Fife, Guardian of Jacob. Kindly please same to Jacob's credit.

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May 27th, 1915.

Sunt O. M. Lipps,

Carlisle, Pa.

Mr. Timmie Fife, an for Jacob Isposogse a student in

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My dear Sir: the school is out for the present year so

Replying to your letter of the 19th instant, in which you requested that it be so arranged that Jacob Spokogee can spend the summer months with you at your home, this is to state that he is to leave here this evening for Sapulpa. A ticket for his going through Chicago and Kansas City has been procured for his use and he will be accompanied by Henry Hayes.

I would be pleased to hear from you when Jacob has arrived at your home.

Very truly yours.

HRM.

Superintendent.

#### **BURT & SHAHA**

ATTORNEYS AT LAW
OFFICE IN GARST BUILDING
SAPULPA, OKLAHOMA

LEROY J. BURT R. SHAHA

May 19th, 1915.

Supt O. H. Lipps,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Sir: I am guardian for Jacob Ispocogee a student in your school and I desire to state to you that I desire you to release him when the school is out for the present year so that he may come home to Sapulpa, Oklahoma.

Respectfully,

Guardian of Jacob Ispocogee.

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Jacob Tarpley
or Spokogee. Baba M. Parker.

May 27th, 1915.

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Mr. Gabe E. Parker,
Superintendent for the Five Civilized Tribes, man
Muskogee, Okla.

Dear Mr. Parker:

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relative to allowing Jacob Spokogee to expend an amount of \$150.00 to return to his home for the vacation months.

I had a talk with Jacob in my office and when he assured me that he would not enter into any business deal of any kind involving leases on his land without consulting you or one of your representatives I gave him permission to expend a part of the amount of \$150.00 that had already been received here for his use to go to New York City. He left here on Monday of this week with Henry Hayes and both the young men returned to school at noon today.

In my opinion it seems best to let Jacob have a vacation, and as he has informed me that he expects to return here to take up additional work or to attend some other school here in the east it has been arranged so that he can leave here this evening to go to Sapulpa. His guardian, Mr. Timmie Fife, has been notified to that effect.

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Muskopee, Oklahoms, Nov 13, 1915.

-2- Mr. Gabe E. Parker.

Jacob has conducted himself properly at Carlisle this year and has made an excellent record on our school farms this spring. Earlier in the year he was very much unsettled, but lately he has had a purpose and has evidently been in earnest.

Trusting that the action taken meets with your approval and that the consideration that has been given Jacob's request will be proven advisable by his conduct during the summer and his return here to do good work next year. I remain,

Very truly yours,

HKM. Superintendent.

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## Department of the Interior,

United States Indian Service,

Fine Civilized Tribes

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Muskogee, Oklahoma, May 13, 1915.

Mr. Oscar H. Lipps,

Superintendent Carlisle Indian School,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Lipps:

There is transmitted herewith a letter from Jacob Spokogee, addressed to his guardian, who is now attending school at your institution, from which it appears that this allottee desires \$150.00 to return home by way of New York City.

Timmie Fife, the guardian of Jacob, called at this office on May 11th and stated that he only had remaining about \$20.00 belonging to his ward; that he had forwarded a total of \$500.00 to him at the time Jacob entered school, and that Jacob was furnished an additional \$100.00 for incidentals when he left.

There is on hand at this office sufficient money belonging to Jacob to make the disbursement he desires, if it is to his best interest that this be done. In this connection I desire to call your attention to the fact that Jacob reaches his majority on May 18th, and consequently he will doubtless be approached by persons desiring to purchase interests he may hold in inherited lands.

The lessee, holding the present lease on his allotment, has requested that this office withhold disbursement of the greater part of the bonus paid for said lease until said lessee, the Gypsy Oil Company,

has secured a ratification of the lease. From the information at hand I can see no objection to such ratification being executed by Jacob, as it is merely a further precaution taken by the lessee, the Federal Court having held that leases running beyond the minority of the ward, similar to the one covering Jacob's allotment, are valid.

Bearing the above circumstances in mind, it is desired that you advise the office at the earliest consistent date as to what, in your opinion, would be the best plan to pursue—whether to prevail upon the allottee to remain at that institution without taking a vacation, or to return home. If he is permitted to return home, what amount of money would you advise this office to forward to cover the necessary expenses?

It might be further stated that Jacob Spokegee's allotment has produced a considerable quantity of oil, but at this time the wells on his land are light producers.

He has on hand at this office at this time the sum of \$5,024.00; consequently, it will be seen that he is able to incur the additional expense necessary in returning via New York City, provided you are convinced, judging from his previous conduct, that his return this way should be permitted, and that it is safe to allow him this privilege.

Sincerely yours,

Superintendent for the Five Civilized Tribes.

Mr. W. M. Baker, Cashier, Five Civilized Tribes, Muskogee, Okla.

My dear Mr. Baker:

I am enclosing herewith a voucher in triplicato covering a check, in the amount of \$150.00,
made payable to Jacob Spocogee which is for his
expenses in returning home from this school.

Very respectfully,

Supervisor in Charge.

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Gabe E. Parker, DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR Walke all superintendent. UNITED STATES INDIAN SERVICE remittance

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remittances payable to W.M.Baker, Cashier.

Royalty Form 492 ISTSERIM DNDEMF FOR THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES. 5/17/15 Money Enc.

SUBJECT: Enclosing voucher and check TUS#118485-\$150.00 Jacob Spocogee, (Jacob Tarpley),#40388.

Muskogee, Oklahoma, May 17, 1915.

Mr. Oscar H. Lipps, Supt., Carlisle Indian School, Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Dear Mr. Lipps: --

In compliance with your communication of May 11, 1915,

I enclose herewith voucher and check as follows:

Roy. No. Lessor Check No. Drawn on Amt.

40388, Jacob Spocogee (Jacob Tarpley) 118485 TUS \$150.00

to be disbursed as designated in the woucher as follows: for expenses of allottee in returning home from Carlisle Indian School, verbally requested by the guardian, Timmie Fife.

Please have voucher and receipt signed and returned to this office upon disposition of the check.

Respectfully,

Cashier.

Form No. 492.

MR. M. FRIEDMAN, Superintendent:

5-/24 1915-

### Carlisle Indian Industrial School.

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# Department of the Interior,

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In re Jacob Spokogee.

United States Indian Service.

Fine Civilized Tribes

Muskogee, Oklahoma, June 19, 1915.

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Mr. O. H. Lipps,

Superintendent U. S. Indian School,

Carlisle, Pa.

Dear Mr. Lipps:

Referring to your letter of May 27, 1915, with reference to Jacob Spokogee, you are advised that the action taken by you in connection with this allottee meets with the entire approval of this office.

Jacob Spokogee has returned to Sapulpa and this office has been advised that he has been conducting himself in a proper manner.

Sincerely yours,

Acting Superintendent for the Five Civilized Tribes.

Dec. 15th, 1915.

Mr. Jacob Spokogee,

Sapulpa, Oklahoma.

My dear Friend:

You will please find enclosed herewith a check in the amount of \$1.65. That represents the balance of the amount you deposited here when you left for your home last spring.

Trusting you are getting along very nicely with the school work you are doing this year and extending you best wishes for the holiday season, I remain,

Very truly yours,

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HKM.

Acting Superintendent.