



SALEM-KEIZER PUBLIC SCHOOLS

FEDERAL PROGRAMS

INDIAN EDUCATION



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Indian Education Program Enrollment Information:

Indian Education is a program that provides services for American Indian and Alaska Native students within the Salem-Keizer School District. Students must be registered with the school district as being Native American/Alaska Native. There are two requirements set by the federal government for a student to be a part of Indian Education:

1. The student, a parent, or a grandparent must be a registered member of a federal or state recognized tribe, a terminated tribe, or an organized group that received a grant under the Indian Education Act of 1988 as it was in effect October 19, 1994, and
2. A federal form must be completed and on file with the Indian Education Program. If a tribal ID number is not readily available, a copy of other proof such as a CDIB card, tribal affidavit or birth certificate should be attached. If membership is through a terminated tribe or organized Indian group as noted above, then documentation from that group is required.

A copy of the form can be found on the Indian Education website at <https://salkeiz.k12.or.us/students/indian-education/>.

Parents:

If any of your children meets the tribal enrollment requirements, print and complete one 506 form per student and send to **Indian Education, PO Box 12024, Salem, OR, 97309**. If some of the information is unknown, such as a tribe's recognition status or the tribal contact address, or if you need a form sent to you in the mail, please contact the office at 503-399-5512 for assistance.

District Personnel:

If the parent returns the form to your school, please forward it to Indian Education. **Only Indian Education enters the relevant information into Synergy**. Not all tribes are federally or state recognized. We must verify information before enrolling a student in order to meet grant guidelines and audit requirements. Once all information is verified, Indian Education will make a copy of the form, stamp it, and send the copy to the student's home school to be put in his/her cumulative file as required by the Title VI law. The original form will be kept in the Indian Education office. If you have any questions, please contact the office at 503-399-5512 for assistance.

Salem-Keizer Public Schools does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, gender, disability, or age in its programs, activities, or employment and provides equal access to youth groups. The following person has been designated to handle inquiries regarding the non-discrimination policy:

Assistant Superintendent, Director of Human Resources, 2450 Lancaster Dr. NE, Salem, OR 97309 503-399-3061