

Native American Career and Technical Education Program

Background

The Native American Career and Technical Education Program (NACTEP), authorized under section 116 of the Carl D. Perkins Career and Technical Education Act of 2006 (Perkins IV), provides grants to Indian tribes, tribal organizations, Alaska Native entities or Bureau-funded schools to support career and technical education programs. Grant funds are used for expenses associated with developing rigorous academic and technical standards, especially in preparation for high-skill, high-wage, or high-demand occupations in established or emerging professions; providing professional development to improve the quality of career and technical education teachers, principals, administrators, and counselors; and providing stipends, tuition, books, fees, childcare, counseling, job placement, transportation, supplies, specialized tools and uniforms that are necessary for students to fully and effectively participate in career and technical education programs. Programs are designed to provide one-year certificate or two-year degrees.

Overview

The Office of Career, Technical, and Adult Education (OCTAE) conducted a NACTEP grant competition and awarded 31 three-year grants in September 2018. Roughly \$13.9 million was available for the first twelve months of the projects. Grants were awarded to Native American tribes, tribal organizations, and Alaska Native entities.

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NACTEP Grantees

- Aaniiih Nakoda College
- Alamo Navajo School Board, Inc.
- Blackfeet Community College
- Cankdeska Cikana Community College
- Cherokee Nation
- Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma
- Coeur d' Alene Tribe
- College of Menominee Nation
- Cook Inlet Tribal Council, Inc.
- Council of Athabaskan Tribal Governments
- Coyote Canyon Rehabilitation Center
- Fairbanks Native Association
- Fort Peck Community College
- Hoopa Valley Tribe
- Hydaburg Cooperative Association
- Kawerak, Inc.
- Little Traverse Bay Band of Odawa Indians
- Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians
- Muckleshoot Indian Tribe
- Nueta Hidatsa Sahnish College
- Northwest Indian College
- Oglala Lakota College
- Owens Valley Career Development Center
- Pascua Yaqui Tribe
- Pawnee Nation College
- Salish Kootenai College
- Sinte Gleska University
- Sitting Bull College
- Stone Child College
- Tulalip Tribes of Washington
- Turtle Mountain Community College

<http://cte.ed.gov/discretionarygrantprograms/nacetp.cfm>