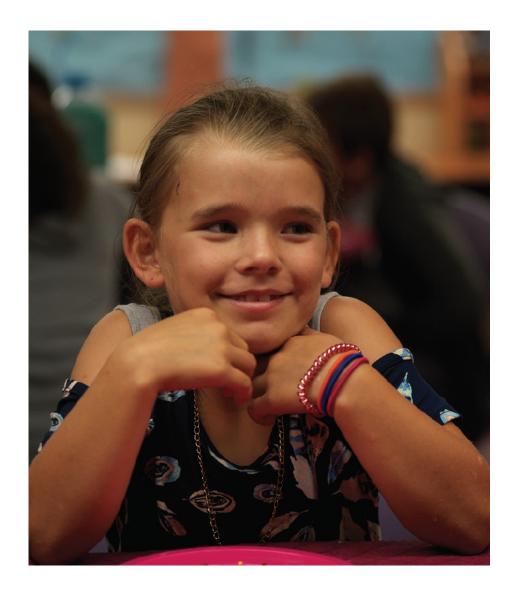




National Indian Education Association







NIEA's Advocacy Priorities

- Drive Native education priorities at the national level
- 2 Serve as the convening organization for Native education at the national, state and tribal levels
- Empower Members with the tools and resources to become agents of change for native education
- Advocate for Native education priorities at the state and tribal levels
- Construct the Native narrative to drive a national conversation on Native education











Higher Education Act

Ensure tribes have equitable access to funding in any school infrastructure bill.

Extend current programs and provide additional flexibilities for tribes to support Native languages.

Expand student aid and funding for Native college access and success.



Current Legislative Action



Reauthorization of the Higher Education Act

Authorizes federal student aid and programs that support post-secondary education. STATUS: The Senate Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions is currently drafting language for introduction. The House introduced on October 15, 2019.

S.1279 / H.R.2486 - Fostering Undergraduate Talent by Unlocking Resources for Education (FUTURE) Act

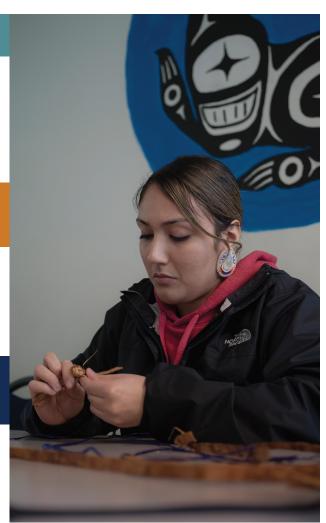
Extends mandatory funding for TCUs and other minority serving institutions for two more years.

STATUS: Passed the House on June 27, 2019. Under Consideration in the Senate.

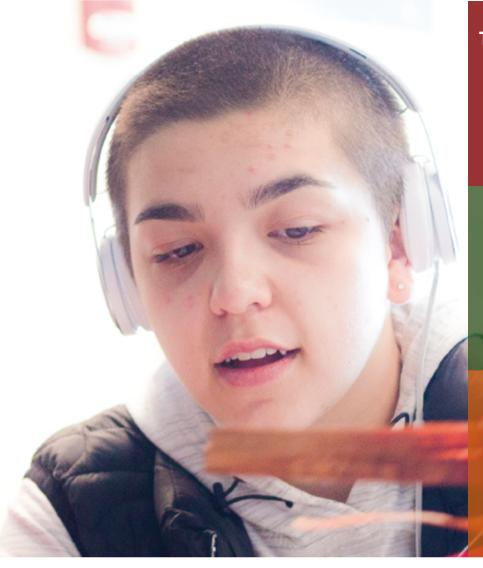
S.256 / H.R.912 - Esther Martinez Native American Languages Programs Reauthorization Act

Extends current programs and provides additional flexibilities for tribes to support Native language immersion programs.

STATUS: Passed the Senate on June 27, 2019. Referred to Committee in the House.







Title VI - Indian Education Formula Grant

\$198 million

Provides funding for culturally relevant

education programs

Public School Construction

\$500 million

Provides funding to renovate and build

new schools

BIE School Construction

\$430 millionProvides funding to renovate and build

new schools

Native Language Immersion Programs

\$7 millionProvides funding and resources for language immersion programs

BIE Assessment System

\$55 million

Provides funding to develop and implement an assessment system.

Impact Aid

\$2 billionReplaces state and local funding for schools on tribal lands







| Department of Interior | Fiscal Year 2018 Enacted | Fiscal Year 2019 Enacted | Fiscal Year 2020 President Request | Fiscal Year 2020 House Draft | Fiscal Year 2020 Senate Draft |
|--|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|--|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Bureau of Indian Education Operations | 914.4 | 904.6 | 867.4 | 1000.2 | 905.8 |
| Elementary and Secondary Education | 720.8 | 726.6 | 726.7 | 784 | 728.5 |
| Post-Secondary Education | 158.4 | 142.7 | 98 | 173.6 | 141.8 |
| Education Construction | 238.3 | 238.3 | 68.8 | 387.3 | 238.3 |
| Department of Education | FY18 | FY19 | FY20 | FY20 | FY20 |
| Impact Aid | 1,414.10 | 1,446.10 | 1,371.80 | 1,498.10 | 1,471.10 |
| Indian Education (Title VI) | 180.2 | 180.2 | 176.2 | 186.4 | 180.7 |
| Native Hawaiian Student Education | 36.4 | 36.4 | 0 | 40 | 36.4 |
| Alaska Native Education Equity Assistance | 35.5 | 35.5 | 0 | 36.5 | 35.5 |
| Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies | 15,760 | 15,859 | 15,859 | 16,860 | 16,544 |
| Strengthening Alaska Native/Native Hawaiian-Serving Institutions | 30.8 | 30.9 | 15 | 33.1* | 30.9* |
| Strengthening Tribal Colleges and Universities | 61.5 | 61.9 | 57.6 | 81* | 61.9 |
| Tribally Controlled Postsecondary and Technical Institutions | 9.5 | 9.6 | 8.3 | 10 | 9.5 |
| Strengthening Native-Serving, Non-Tribal Institutions | 8.8 | 8.9 | 5 | 10* | 8.9* |
| Department of Health and Human Services | FY18 | FY19 | FY20 | FY 20 | FY 20 |
| Head Start | 9,863.10 | 10,063.10 | 10,063.10 | 11,563.10 | 10,113.10 |
| Preschool Development Grant | 250 | 250 | 0 | 350 | 250 |
| Promoting Safe and Stable Families | 345 | 345 | 305 | 425 | 445 |
| Administration for Native Americans | 54.1 | 54.6 | 52 | 60 | 54.5 |

^{*}Contingent upon pending legislation to reauthorize mandatory funding for minority serving institutions.



Education Sovereignty

Tribal Consultation

NIEA'S PRIORITIES

BIE Negotiated Rulemaking

Engage on the rulemaking process to support development of culturally relevant standards, assessments, and accountability systems.

ESSA Implementation

Ensure that the federal government is fulfilling responsibilities to Native students under the Every Student Succeeds Act.

School Construction

Ensure that schools in tribal communities have access to critical funds and resources for repair, renovation, and new construction.

JOM Student Count

Ensure that the BIE conducts the JOM student count in a timely and appropriate manner.





STATE WORK

Launched in nine states since NIEA began state engagement in response to ESSA.

Informs NIEA's federal advocacy work

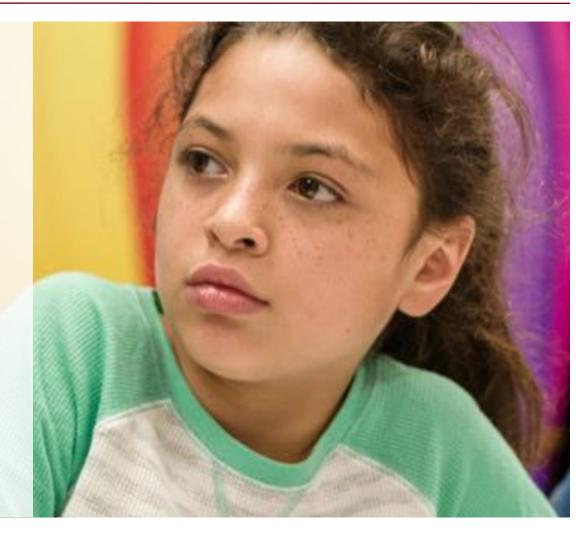








- Engaged with congressional leaders on supporting trauma-informed education practices in Native schools and communities.
- Developed and facilitate traumainformed healing exercises through the NIEA Indigenous Empowerment and Resilience Project (NIERP)
- Developed and provide traumainformed training for educators regarding boarding schools in Native communities.



Upcoming NIEA Events





NIEA 51st Annual Convention & Tradeshow Albuquerque, NM

Oct 7 – 10, 2020 Albuquerque Convention Center

Call for proposals opens - Feb 3, 2020 Registration opens - April 1, 2020

Check NIEA's website in January for all convention related information; www.niea.org