
JORDAN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Native American Program

NEWSLETTER

WELCOME DECEMBER

The Jordan Natives family wishes you a warm welcome to our December newsletter! As the snow begins to fall and the year draws to a close, we find ourselves reflecting on the past months and looking forward to the warmth and joy of the holiday season.

We are incredibly grateful for your continued support of the Jordan Native American program. Your dedication helps us celebrate the rich heritage of Native American cultures and provides invaluable opportunities for our students and community.



JOURNEY TO "OUR NATIVE VOICES" EXHIBIT

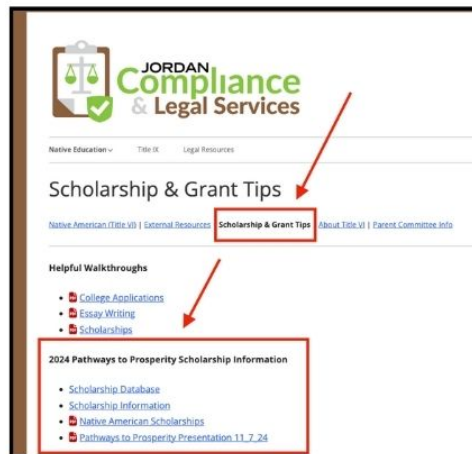
Our middle school students recently embarked on an enriching field trip to the Utah Museum of Natural History to experience the powerful "Our Native Voices" exhibit. This immersive exhibit showcases the diverse cultures, histories, and contemporary lives of Utah's indigenous peoples. Our students were captivated by the stunning displays of artifacts, artwork, and interactive elements. They actively engaged in the activities, asking thoughtful questions and sharing their own perspectives. We were incredibly impressed by their respectful behavior, genuine curiosity, and enthusiasm for learning. This experience provided a valuable opportunity for our students to deepen their understanding of Native American cultures and connect with their own heritage. The temporary Orca exhibit was also very popular with our students.

PATHWAYS TO PROSPERITY SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION NIGHT

We are overjoyed to share the wonderful news that our Native American Scholarship Night was a tremendous success! This achievement wouldn't have been possible without the incredible support of our community. We want to share a heartfelt thank you to the following:

- **Our dedicated parents/guardians:** Your commitment to your children's education is unwavering and your involvement in the scholarship process was invaluable.
- **Our talented students:** Your hard work, passion, and commitment to your heritage shines brightly. We are incredibly proud of your accomplishments.
- **Our presenters:** Thank you for sharing your knowledge, experiences, and wisdom with our students. Your contributions made the experience truly enriching for our students and families.

If you would like to find any of the presentations or resources mentioned during the event, please visit our [website](#) and select the Scholarships & Grant Tips tab.



APPRECIATION FOR ENGAGEMENT

To show our appreciation for your continued engagement with our newsletter updates, we're giving away a holiday gift card to one lucky reader!

Here's how to enter:

Send an email to nick.west@jordandistrict.org with the subject line: "I read it!" In the email please let us know your favorite part of the newsletter. That's it! You'll be automatically entered into the draw. We'll randomly select a winner on **December 18th, 2024** and notify them by email.

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