### FEDERAL TITLE VI 506 FORMS

The Title VI program aims to aid in the academic and cultural needs of Native American/Alaskan Native students in the district.

Our Native American program is directed by guidance from the parent committee and the Utah State Board of Education. The Native American program also provides teacher resources, and presentations to further correct knowledge of the history, culture, and way of life of American Indians and Alaskan Natives.

Some of the benefits for Native Americans in the Title VI program are:

- Assistance towards graduation, including mentoring, credit recovery, student advocacy
- Provide Health Services and Financial Assistance Resources
- Scholarships and grants resources
- Career exploration opportunities
- Navajo language learning resources
- Native American students' affinity groups
- Field trip opportunities for students

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# Vative American Program





#### WHAT IS TITLE VI?

According to the U.S. Department of Education, the purpose of the Title VI Indian Education is "to support the efforts of local educational agencies, Indian tribes and organizations, post-secondary institutions, and other entities to meet the unique educational and culturally related academic needs of American Indian and Alaska Native students, so that such students can meet the same challenging state student academic achievement standards as all other students are expected to meet."



#### **FEDERAL 506 FORMS**

The Title VI 506 registration form allows Native American students to become eligible for various scholarships and grants. These grants and scholarships can help with funding for various universities and colleges in a variety of academic fields.

#### Who is eligible for Title VI benefits?

A student whose parent or grandparent is eligible to register as a Native American may receive Title VI benefits.

Each tribal nation has their own requirements for membership enrollment. Some tribes require a specific blood quantum. Students may still be eligible for Title VI benefits despite not meeting blood quantum requirements, as Title VI benefits are usually extended to the grandchildren of any registered Native American.

Some tribal nations don't require a minimum blood quantum. If this is the case, a relevant birth and/or marriage certificate from the Native American side of your family is typically required for registration. For some tribes you can also trace back to any ancestor who was on the official tribal roll at the time Title VI was created. The required documents should be sent to the correct tribal council.

Enrollment in the program does not obligate students or parents to participate. Enrollment helps bring much-needed Federal funds to the school district to help support the education of Native students.

#### **RESOURCES**

Urban Indian Center 120 West 1300 South SLC, Utah 84115 801-486-4877 https://uicsl.org/

Utah Division of Indian Affairs https://heritage.utah.gov/utah-division-ofindian%20affairs/

Utah Education Network (UEN) 1-800-866-5852 Uen.org/americanindian

Sacred Circle Healthcare 660 South 200 East Suite 250 Salt Lake City, Utah 84111 1-801-359-2256 https://sacredcircle.com/

Jordan Health Services 8400 South Redwood Road West Jordan, Utah 84088 801-567-8515 https://healthservices.jordandistrict.org/