Did You Know…You Can Obtain CEU's at NIEA Events?

NIEA is offering attendees to opportunity earn Continuing Education Units (CEUs) at the 2019 NIEA Convention through our partnership with the Institute of American Indian Arts. Those who choose to earn credits will need will be able to purchase CEUs while registering for Convention.

For more information, contact Kurrinn Abrams, Education Specialist, 202-847-0034, kabrams@niea.org

Learn more!

Upcoming NIEA Webinars

Educator Initiative Webinar:
Teacher Candidate Resources

September 12, 2019
1-2PM ET

Register!

NIEA Foster Care Webinar
NIEA Indigenous Empowerment and Resilience Project (NIERP)

NIER can now provide Blanket Healing Exercises in our local communities. Learn more about participants’ experiences and how to have a blanket exercise in your community.

NIER partnered with Kairros Canada to provide the Blanket Healing Exercise and Facilitator Training.

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Language Immersion

NIER is currently working on a project with the Bureau of Indian Education (BIE) to build capacity for both improving and creating Native Language Immersion Programs in schools across the United States. NIER will undertake this work by collaborating with local Native education partners that have a deep level of knowledge and expertise about Native education at the state level. Additionally, NIER will be holding Language Convenings within target states to gather as many stakeholders together

Educator Initiative Project

Teacher shortages are pervasive in Native schools across the country. The National Indian Education Association (NIEA) and TNTP are working collaboratively to recruit and retain effective teachers and unleash the power of the seventh generation of Native students. As part of our commitment to improve educational opportunities for Native students, NIER has developed the first-ever online job board where schools representing hundreds of tribal communities can post employment
as possible, including parents, tribal leaders, school principals, superintendents, teachers, and students.

The goal of this project is to develop a model of a Native Language Immersion Program that will employ best practices from our research, as well as strategies to mitigate any potential challenges of pitfalls.

In our current phase, NIEA is conducting preliminary research in the form of a context analysis, to understand Native language immersion as a whole, that will be used to better understand our local communities.

We will be addressing two key questions:

- What is the current status of your Native Language Immersion program?
- In what areas can your Native Language Immersion program be improved?

To support us in reaching our goal to help improve education opportunities for Native students, encourage prospective teachers and community partners to visit our Educator Initiative Job Board today!

The 2019-2020 school year is in full swing and NIEA has relaunched a new, and improved application on our Educator Initiative job board. Don't miss out on the opportunity to post jobs for your schools today!

Visit our website

NIEA Events Across Indian Country

State-Based Quarterly Calls

New York - September 17, 2019 - 3pm ET
Wisconsin - September 19, 2019 - 3pm ET

For more information, contact Rusty Creed Brown, Field Operations Specialist, 202-847-0035, rbrown@niea.org

Growing a Village: A Tribal Foster Care Adoption Conference

September 24-25, 2019
Oklahoma City, OK
NIEA will be attending and presenting.

Learn more!
Minneapolis Public Schools
Back to School Powwow

September 27, 2019
Minneapolis, MN

Maple Grove Middle School
Back to School Bash

September 28, 2019
12-4pm ET
Maple Grove, MN
A gathering sponsored by NIEA in partnership with The Osseo Area School District to provide NIEA program information, collect stories through dialogue and gain a better understand of how NIEA can support parents and community in educating their students.

For more information, contact Otto Hamilton, Field Operations Associate, 202-847-0039, ohamilton@niea.org

Meeting with AYCF Children's Bureau Region 7

October 3, 2019
Kansas City, Missouri

NIEA 50th Anniversary Convention & Trade Show

October 7-12, 2019
Minneapolis Convention Center
Minneapolis, MN
Online Registration Deadline: Sept 16, 2019

Register Now!

Native American Indian Education Association of New York Annual Conference

October 17-18, 2019
Akwesasne Mohawk Casino

NIEA Alaska State Launch

November 7-9, 2019
Anchorage
Sponsored by NIEA in partnership with the Alaska Association of School Boards

Oklahoma Council of Indian Education Annual Conference

December 8-10, 2019
Shawnee, OK
Register now for our 50th Annual Convention and TradeShow

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