

Welcome!

American Indian Education Program

**Farmington Area Public Schools
2023-2024**



Welcome and Introductions

- **Name**
- **Connection to Farmington Schools**

American Indian Education Program Eligibility -Minnesota Dept. of Education

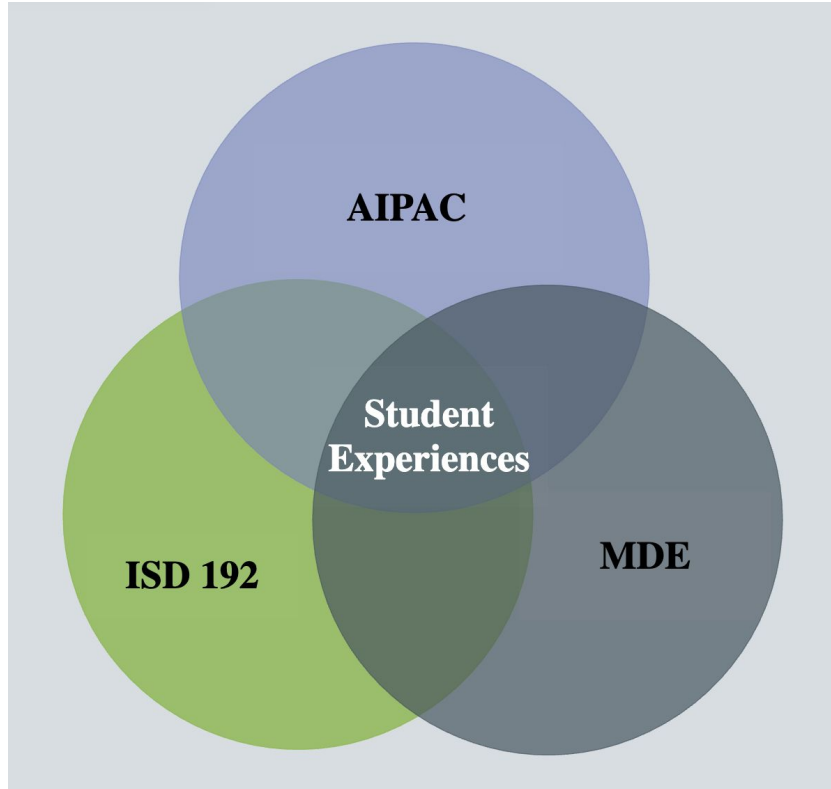
To participate in the program districts must have:

- **20 or more American Indian students**
- **An American Indian Parent Advisory Committee (AIPAC)**
- **A submitted and approved aid application**

Anticipated aid for 2023-2024 = \$64,000 (22-23 = \$34,678)

-68 American Indian students enrolled in ISD 192 as of 10/1/2022

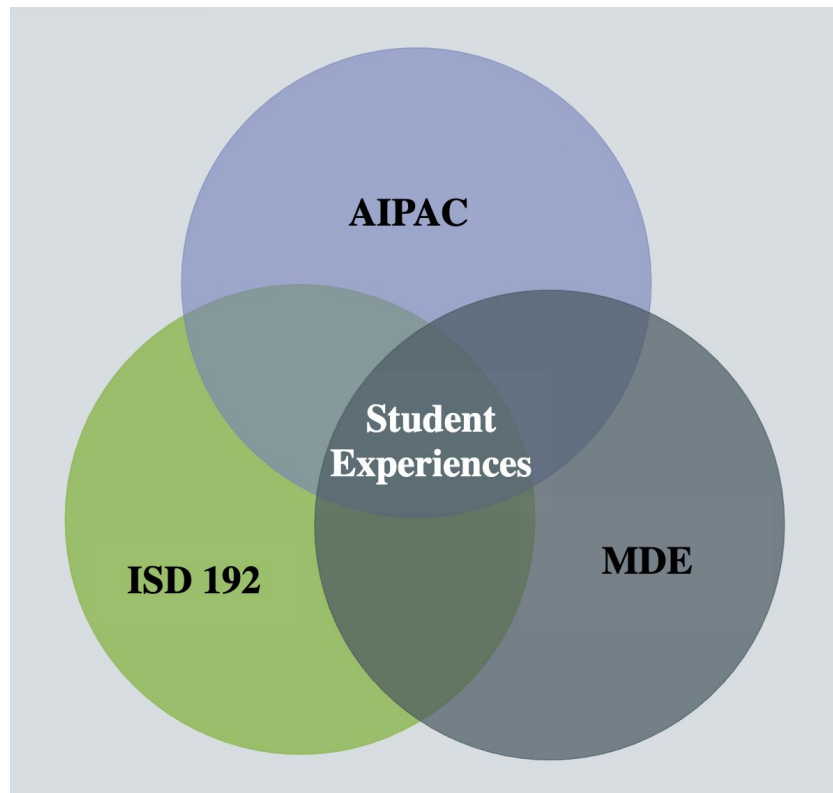
Partnership for Our Learners



Role of Minnesota Department of Education

- **Determine Eligibility**
- **Allocate Resources**
- **Approve Aid Applications**

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Role of ISD 192

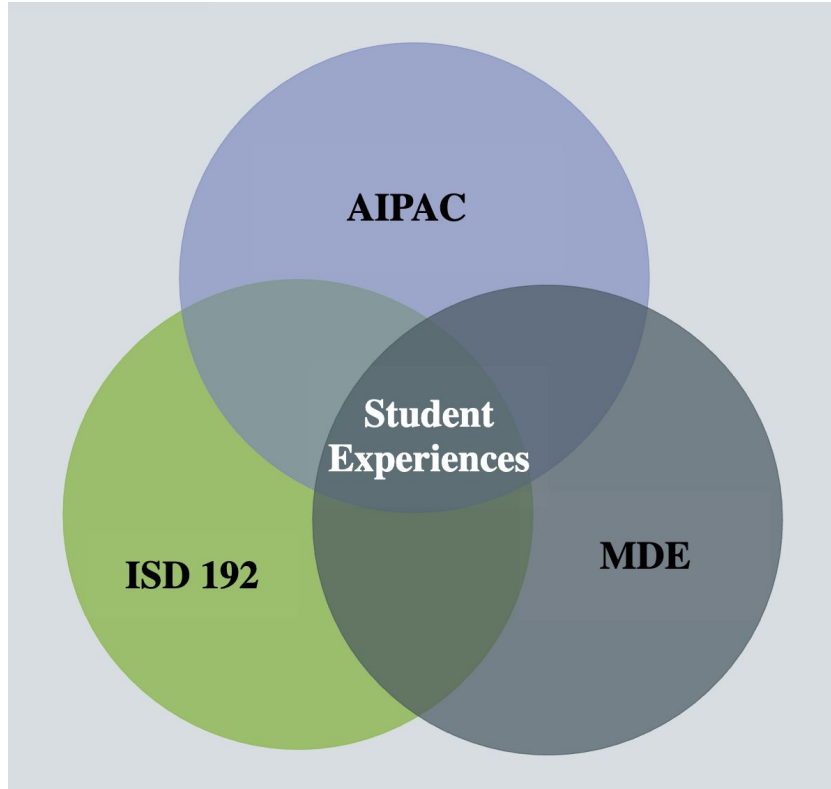
- **Listen**
- **Advocate for Learners**
- **Organize Learner Experiences**
- **Manage Finances**
- **School Board Connection**

Deb Mayer-Schmitz- Department of Teaching & Learning

Chris Bussmann- Director of Secondary Learning

Various School Site Staff Supporting Programming

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Role of AIPAC

- Advocate for Learners
- Set Meeting Schedule
- Determine Officers
- Organize Agendas
- Application and Resolution

Esther Adams- AIPAC Chairperson

The purpose of the American Indian Education Parent Committee is to deepen the family-school connection in order to:

-  **Provide continuous support to help students build a positive cultural personal identity**
-  **Ensure students learn authentic and true information about their history and culture**
-  **Ensure students reach their highest aspirations and provide them with the support they need**
-  **Connect families within the community to one another**

- **Books & Curricular Materials**
- **SOTR Pow Wow Sash & Crown Support**

- **Cultural Field Trips**
- **Graduation Stoles & Ceremony**

- **Youth Programming contracted with MIGIZI**
- **Native Authored Books**

- **Family Engagement Activities**

**Aid
Application:**

**Previous
Areas of
Focus**



Native American College Fair

Career & College Planning for Our Future

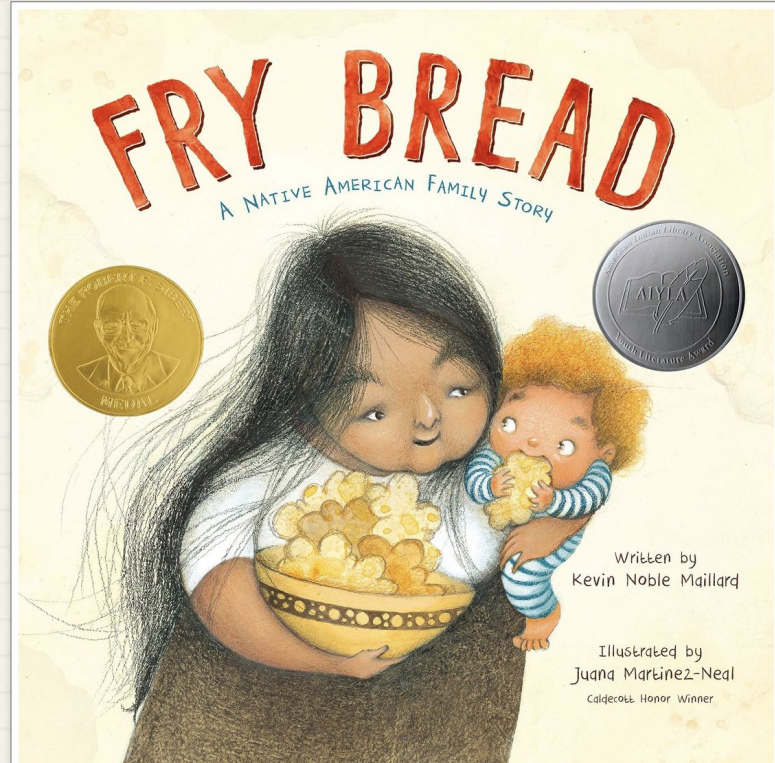


Native Authored Books for all Elementary Classrooms

-Accompanying Grade Level Resource Guide



Fry Bread: A Native American Family Story



Native Authored Books ~Elementary

- Kerry Beton - Literacy Specialist
- Mauri Deer - Equity in Personalized Learning Coach
- Madeline Sullivan - Instructional Coach

Kindergarten

1st grade

2nd grade

3rd grade

4th grade

5th grade



Porky's Sugarbush





Youth Programming Update

Tedi Grey Owl from MIGIZI



Snow Snakes



Storytelling



American Indian Parent Advisory Committee enhances learners' experience



*Photo of Books Purchased
for Elementary School
Media Center Collections*



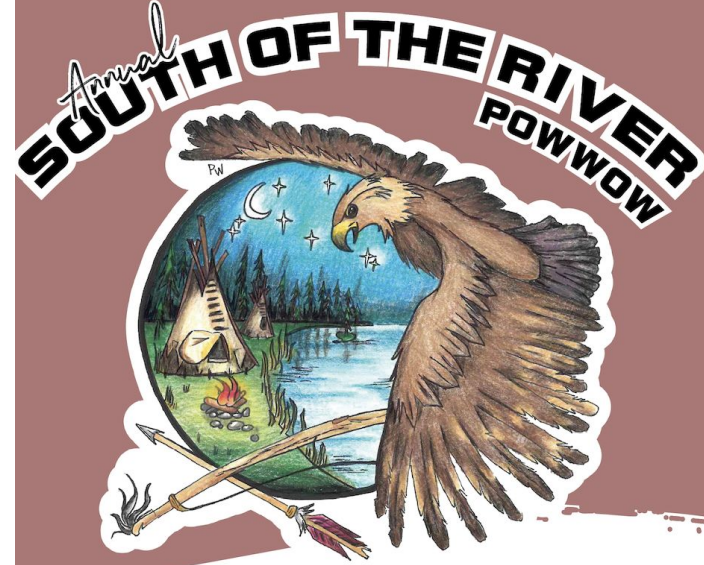
South of the River Pow Wow

6th Annual

May 6, 2023

Burnsville High School

SOUTH OF THE RIVER POWWOW COMMITTEE PRESENTS



SATURDAY MAY 6, 2023 | GRAND ENTRY 1PM

*Special Guest
Performance*

by Fawn Wood and Dallas Waskahat

AGENDA

10:30am Twin Cities Native
Lacrosse Clinic
2:00pm Graduation
Honoring
4:00pm Royalty Contest
6:00pm Traveling Feast

LOCATION

Burnsville High School
600 State Hwy 13
Burnsville, MN 55337

MC: Jerry Dearly
AD: Chaske LeBlanc

HOST DRUM

Cree Confederation

INVITED DRUMS

Midnight Express, Hoka Hey,
Southern Boyz, Spirit Boy, and
Little Earth

HEAD DANCERS

Zach Redbear, Gia Smith,
Romero Rosales and Ava Smith



Farmington

COST FREE & OPEN TO THE PUBLIC



Graduation Stole Ceremony





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Green Jobs Pathways



23-24 Possible Meeting Dates - This Group Determines!

August 29- Welcome Meeting!

September 26 - Meeting

***Aid application window Sep 25-Nov 30**

October 30 - Meeting

November 28 - Meeting

December - No Meeting

January 30- Family Engagement

***Vote of Concurrence/Non-Concurrence Due March 1**

February 20 - Meeting

March - No Meeting

April 30 - Meeting

May 23- Stole Ceremony

Meeting Format: In-Person

Time: ?



Thank you!



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