

**FUTURE INSPIRED NATIVE AMERICAN LEADERS YOUTH COUNCIL
APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP
SCHOOL YEAR 2020-2021**

BENEFITS OF JOINING THE YOUTH COUNCIL

Benefits you gain from participating in the Youth Council depend on what each member puts into the Council. If youth make the most of their opportunities, they will:

- Learn how to work with other young people
- Build strong and lasting friendships
- Develop greater self-esteem and self-confidence
- Develop communication and leadership skills
- Develop organizational skills
- Develop winning attitudes
- Learn how to take responsibility for their actions
- Contribute to making a difference in Indian Country

WHAT DOES THE YOUTH COUNCIL DO?

The Youth Council determines its activities based on its own needs. Needs can be identified through discussions with members, interviews, surveys, and other types of research. Once needs are determined, the youth council develop their own action plan to implement their activities.

YOUTH COUNCIL APPLICATION TIMELINE:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Application Deadline – Friday, July 24, 2020 ○ Interview Notification- Monday, July 27, 2020 ○ Youth Applicant Interviews – July 29-31, 2020 ○ Selection Notification – Monday, August 3, 2020 			
STUDENT INFORMATION			
Student Name (First):		(Middle):	(Last):
Suffix (Jr., III):			
Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female		Grade: <input type="checkbox"/> Freshman <input type="checkbox"/> Sophomore <input type="checkbox"/> Junior <input type="checkbox"/> Senior	
Tribal Affiliation:		Birth Date (mm/dd/yyyy): <input type="checkbox"/> 2021 <input type="checkbox"/> 2022 <input type="checkbox"/> 2023 <input type="checkbox"/> 2024	
High School:		School District:	
Student Phone Number:		Student Email:	
Physical Address:			Apt./Unit:
City:		State: Arizona	Zip Code:



EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

What activities are you involved with?

- School Clubs
 Student Government
 Athletics
 JROTC
 Community Volunteerism
 Music/Art
 Religious
 Activism
 Performing Arts
 Other _____
 None

Indicate if you are in any Early College Programs

- ACE Program
 Dual Enrollment
 Hoop of Learning

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Parent/Guardian Name:

Relationship to Student:

Parent Email:

Parent Phone Number:

Parent Work Number:

APPLICANT QUESTIONS: Please answer the following questions. They will help us understand your ideas on leadership and how you plan to serve the youth of the Phoenix Indian Center. (If you need additional space, please submit on attached sheet)

Question 1: What ideas do you have on how to improve the Future Inspired Native American Leaders Program?

Question 2: Why do you want to be a Youth Council Member?

Question 3: What experience do you have helping others? (We want to know in which ways you have helped your family, friends, school and community)

Question 4: Describe how you're going to balance family, school and extra-curricular activities with being on Youth Council?

SIGNATURE

Student Signature:

Date:

Parent/Guardian Signature:

Date:

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