

Susanville Indian Rancheria Education Programs  
August/September Monthly TBC Progress Report

September 14th, 2021

General Information:

ITEM:	CURRENT ACTIVITY
AIEC- (Education Grant)	<p>The Education Center and Teen Center are offering in school tutoring, after school tutoring, and distance learning support. We have several returning students and some new faces! We have a new emergency hire tutor that started on September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2021. Due to Covid closures, delays, schedule modifications, and quarantines in the public schools, the Education Center Staff have been adjusting to accommodate so that we may continue to provide services. Covid precautions are in place with staff in schools and at center.</p> <p>The 2020/2021 school year will be getting out June 11<sup>th</sup>. Summer school will start right after and run for 4 weeks. Our Summer Program will start that same day. We will be offering transportation from summer school to the center, and home at the end of the day. Summer school will be Monday through Thursday, and center will be open 5 days a week. We will be offering lots of enrichment activities, local field trips, and out of town field trips on Fridays. We have new applicants for the tutor position and will be having interviews soon.</p> <p>Students have returned from Spring Break with a new energy to finish out the school year. We have been working on homework packets, completing reading assessments, having the students engaged in art and outdoor play.</p> <p>We were notified in our meeting with the school districts they are planning on having summer school for Susanville School District and Lassen High School. We are looking at how this will effect the summer program and how we can work in coordination with our local school districts.</p>
JOM	<p>School supplies for the new school year were purchased and distributed. The Education Center and Teen Center are also inviting and enrolling families into our new ClassTag notification system. This will enable staff to communicate more efficiently regarding any emergency updates, such as closures due to smoke, evacuation warnings, Covid, power outages, and more. It is as well, a useful way to remind families of upcoming field trips, carnivals, teen, culture, and or parent nights. In March, JOM requested a student count for the services provided for the 2020-2021 year. Our count reflected 125 students who potentially received services.</p>
CCDF (Child Care) Certificate Program	<p>The childcare annual conference part 1 was moved to distance only due to Covid. The three-day conference started September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2021. Amy and Mindie are attending through Zoom and the Socio platform.</p>

	<p>CCDF has been holding meetings to help answer questions regarding the ARP funding. Childcare Providers and Families were mailed out a new informational brochure based on appropriate training topics determined by grant, and interest. If you have anyone interested in being a new provider, please let us know.</p> <p>Childcare for the month of March was for \$4,407.34, we had 11 children receive services from the subsidy. We are also looking for new providers if you know anyone who is interested.</p>
IMLS (Library)	<p>The flower beds that were ordered have arrived. We look forward to extending our library learning with a hands-on approach in botany and culture, utilizing and discussing native plants. We are still working on inventorying the Library. The new grant for ILMS has been submitted for the grant year 2021-2022. We look forward to expanding our library resources based on higher demands for social and emotional wellbeing.</p>
Teen Center	<p>The new Youth Activity Coordinator, Fawn Robinson is off to a great start at the Teen Center. Enrollment is up, and students are working hard to stay on top of their academics, with her assistance and leadership.</p> <p>The Teen Center has been actively assisting students with academic and cultural needs. We are currently hosting “Motherhood Is Sacred/Fatherhood Is Sacred” classes every Monday and Wednesday evening from 5:30pm to 7:30pm. The classes have been going well with as many as 16 people in attendance, in class and via zoom combined. The remaining sessions for the Month of March are 3/10, 3/15, 3/17, 3/22 and 3/24.</p> <p>Teen Night/Culture Nights are continuing to be offered every other Thursday night. So far, we have held Culture Classes on multiple beading projects including loom beading, Native American Art inspired painting projects and Dream Catchers. Some of the future classes will include instruction on making Hand drums, Clappersticks and making moccasins. If you or someone that you know is interested in teaching a culture class, please contact the Youth Program Advocate.</p> <p>The Teen Center has received its “Microsoft Surface Go” tablets and has been in the process of recording serial numbers, labeling and inputting that information into the Teen Center Equipment Inventory Spreadsheet. In total, we received 25 Microsoft Surface Go tablets and Bluetooth keyboards. These tablets will be a welcomed improvement to the Teen Center as these tablets work well with Zoom and Microsoft Teams.</p> <p>As always, we are accepting applications for the 2020/2021 school year. Please call the Teen Center with any questions you may have. (530) 251-5866.</p>