

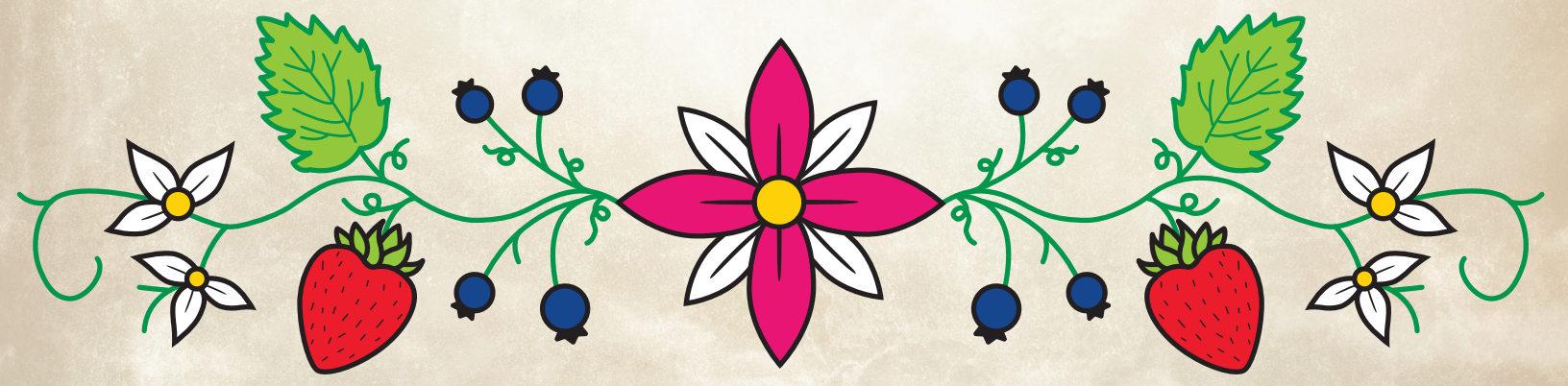
# DID YOU KNOW?!

According to MDE Report Card, PELSB:  
There are approximately 24,500 K-12 American Indian Students  
and FEWER than 300 licensed Indian Teachers in Minnesota!

## Minnesota NEEDS American Indian Educators!



Bemidji State University has grant funds available  
for future American Indian Educators through The  
Minnesota Indian Teacher Training Program (MITTP)





# You can make a difference in the education that American Indian students are receiving!

## The Minnesota Indian Teacher Training Program (MITTP) provides you with the following:

- Scholarship towards tuition
- A book allowance (for the Beaver Bookstore on campus)
- Living Stipend
- Mentoring with American Indian Resource Center Staff & other American Indian Educators
- Cohort style meetings to see other American Indian Educators

## Are you eligible?

- Priority for tribally enrolled members and 1st & 2nd generation descendants
- An admitted BSU Undergraduate or Graduate student seeking teaching licensure OR BSU student seeking teaching Ojibwe Language Minor OR BSU student seeking to work in K-12 education at some capacity\*\*
- Have completed FAFSA and MISP (if eligible)
- Maintain academic major requirements, participate in mentor seminars provided by the AIRC

## To remain eligible for program funds you must:

- Attend all mentor meetings
- Stay within your major requirements for GPA
- Stay on track to graduate in a timely manner (We cannot hold your spot indefinitely!)
- Plan to work within a school setting at some capacity

**\*\*If you are not sure or have questions about your eligibility into the program please contact:**

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Limited spots are available, please let us know your interest and we can get you started.

