



Opportunity Through Education

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TO: School District Superintendents
K-12 Principals
K-12 Social Studies Teachers

FROM: Kari Eakins, Chief Policy Officer

DATE: February 22, 2021

SUBJECT: Call for Presenters for 2021 Native American Education Conference

CALL FOR NATIVE AMERICAN EDUCATION CONFERENCE PRESENTERS

A call for presenters has been issued for the 12th annual Native American Education Conference, which will be held virtually August 11-14, 2021.

The mission of the conference is to “Instill Pride and Strengthen Engagement in Youth through Native American History and Culture.”

Presentation proposals should align to one or more of the following strands:

- Understanding and appreciating Native American culture, history and traditions, which can include performing arts, visual arts, storytelling, artifacts, photographs, academic research and film.
- Supporting instructional and learning needs of Native American students, including teaching to Wyoming Education Standards.
- Empowering youth / supporting social and emotional needs of Native American students.
- Building relationships among the school, families, tribe, and community.

Those interested in presenting should complete the [Presentation Proposal Survey](#) by April 30, 2021 for consideration.

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