NEW Tribal and Dual Language Program Grant Opportunities

We have additional grant funds to offer another round of 2-year grant opportunities to support Tribal language and dual language programs. The purpose of these grants is to provide seed funds to plan and build capacity for effective, sustainable P-12 Tribal language and dual language programs. Grant opportunities:

- **2-Year Tribal Language Program Grant** | $60,000 grant | up to 18 grants will be awarded for this amount to be spent over the 2021-23 fiscal years.
- **2-Year Dual Language Program Grant** | $35,000 – $60,000 grant | 3 – 5 grants to be spent over the 2021-23 fiscal years.

Possible Uses of Funds

State-Tribal Education Compact schools, school districts, and public charter schools are invited to apply for both grant programs. Funds can be used for key start-up costs such as planning the language program and developing a P–12 master plan, professional learning for educators and administrators supporting the language program, bilingual educator development and recruitment, procurement or development of curricula in the partner language, and stipends for Elders to preserve and share Tribal languages with educators.

Application Support

If you would like assistance with your application, please contact Patty Finnegan or join one of the following application support webinars. Access all application support webinars with Zoom link: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86323290105 | or access by phone: 1-253-215-8782 | Meeting ID: 863 2329 0105

Tribal language program grant application support:
- Oct. 5 at 10:00 – 11:00 am
- Oct. 8 at 11:00 am – 12:30 pm
- Oct. 11 at 2:00 – 3:00 pm
- Oct. 15 at 1:00 – 2:00 pm

Dual language program grant application support:
- Oct. 5 at 11:00 am – 12:00 pm
- Oct. 8 at 10:00 – 11:00 am
- Oct. 11 at 1:00 – 2:00 pm
- Oct. 15 at 2:00 – 3:00 pm

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Application Questions

Application questions are linked below so you can begin drafting your responses. Tribal language program grant applications require consultation with the local Tribe(s). Please see the Tribal language program application for additional details.

[2-Year Tribal Language Program Application Questions](#)

[2-Year Dual Language Program Application Questions](#)

- The grant applications will be available in [EDS](#) iGrants in October.
- OSPI will send out an announcement when the grant applications are available in EDS iGrants.
- Complete and submit the application through the EDS iGrants system (copy and paste your work from the linked Word document into the application in EDS iGrants).
- **Application deadline: November 4, 2021 (Thursday) at 4:00 pm.**
- Applicants will be notified of award status in mid-November.

Please contact [Patty Finnegan](#) if you have any questions or would like more information.