OFF-CAMPUS COMMUNITY RESOURCES

This section includes community resources for 11 schools of social work located in Southern California counties (Los Angeles, Orange, San Bernardino and San Diego) interested in building relationships, partnerships and locating services to support the social, cultural and community support for Native American students.

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

United American Indian Involvement, Inc.—non-profit multi-service agency providing a wide range of services to more than 3000 American Indians across Los Angeles County. These services include: outreach, case management, linkage and referral, health education and promotion, risk assessment, disease and injury prevention, SD/TB/Hepatitis screening, access to medical and dental services, vocational counseling, youth services (mentorship, education, tutoring, recreation, and cultural activities), substance abuse counseling and treatment, and mental health services.

Address: 1125 W 6th St #103, Los Angeles, CA 90017
Phone: (213) 202-3970
Fax: (213) 202-3977
Email: info@uaii.org
Website: http://www.uaii.org/

LAUSD Indian Education Program—Over 2,900 students who identify as American Indian/Alaskan Native are enrolled at The Los Angeles Unified School District. The Indian
Education Title VII Program services all students who have any amount of native blood in their ethnic heritage.

Address: 333 South Beaudry, 25th Floor, Los Angeles CA 90017
Phone: (213) 241-7066
Fax: (213) 241-8035
Email: dke9331@lausd.net
Website: http://www.indianeducationlausd.com/

American Indian Resource Center—established to address informational needs of American Indians in Los Angeles County and to make information available to the larger community.

Address: Huntington Park Library, 6518 Miles Ave., Huntington Park, CA 90255
Phone: (323) 583-2794
Website: http://www.colapublib.org/resourcecenters/airc/

Torres-Martinez Tribal Assistance for Needy Families—established to help tribal families achieve self-sufficiency and independence. The TMTT program provides parents with job preparation, work and supportive services to enable them to leave the program and become self-sufficient.

Address: 3450 Wilshire Blvd # 950, Los Angeles, CA
Phone: (213) 382-7642
Website: http://www.torresmartinez.org/

American Indian Changing Spirits—a community based 180-day residential recovery program targeting AI/AN men who suffer from alcohol and/or drug addiction. The services include alcohol and drug education, one on one counseling, relapse prevention groups, 12 step groups, residential council, recreational and social activities, anger management, and cultural activities.

Address: 2120 W. Williams Street Bldg. #1, Long Beach, CA 90810-3635
Phone: (562) 388-8118
Fax: (562) 388-8117
E-Mail: recovery@changingspirits.org
Website: http://rambohouse.com/AICS/

**American Indian Resource Center**—serves as an information center with announcements of events, classes, conferences, etc. pertaining to American Indians - local, regional, and national – on topics ranging from health issues, education, legal issues, economic issues, politics, and culture.

Address: 6518 Miles Ave, Huntington Park, CA 90255
Phone: (323) 583-2794
Fax: (323) 587-2061
Email: airc@library.lacounty.gov
Website: http://www.colapublib.org/resourcecenters/airc/

**American Indian Counseling Center**—provides a variety of outpatient mental health services. Specialty areas include: Case Management, Community Outreach, Collateral, Dual Diagnosis, Field Capable Clinical Services, Full Service Partnership, Group Counseling, Life Support, Medication Support, Mental Health Promotion, and Wellness Center.

Address: 17707 South Studebaker Rd. Ste. 208, Cerritos, CA 90703
Phone: (562) 402-0677

**Indian Alcoholism Commission of Los Angeles County**—provides education about alcohol and drug abuse through community awareness events. These include holiday programs, alcohol, drug, and HIV awareness education programs, recovery discussions, information and referrals, self-help discussions and activities, volunteer recruiting, brief counseling, community outreach, and Alcoholics Anonymous meetings.

Address: 1125 W 6th St #303, Los Angeles, CA 90017
Phone: (213) 995-1466

**Southern California Indian Center, Inc.**—a non-profit multi-service agency whose mission is to promote social and economic self-sufficiency of AI/AN and Native Hawaiians. Services include: employment, training and educational assistance such as GED program, tutoring and parent development programs.

Address: 3440 Wilshire Blvd. Suite 904, Los Angeles, CA 90010
Phone: (213) 387-5772
Southern California Indian Center, Inc.—a non-profit multi-service agency whose mission is to promote social and economic self-sufficiency of AI/AN and Native Hawaiians. Services include: employment, training and educational assistance such as GED program, tutoring and parent development programs.

Address: 10175 Slater Ave #150, Fountain Valley, CA 92840
Phone: (714) 962-6673
Fax: (714) 962-6343
Website: http://www.indiancenter.org/

Note: Other offices located in Los Angeles and Riverside

Walking Shield, Inc.—mission is to improve the quality of life for American Indian families by coordinating programs that provide shelter, healthcare, community development support, educational assistance, and humanitarian aid. Working closely with tribal leaders, Walking Shield provides a variety of services to American Indian families.

Address: 22541 Aspan St. Suite E, Lake Forest CA, 92630
Email: info@walkingshield.org
Phone: (949) 639-0472
Fax: (949) 639-047
Website: http://www.walkingshield.org/
Native American Resource Center—committed to providing services that prevent family
distress, alcohol and drug use and other related problems. This is achieved through education,
prevention, and treatment activities for American Indian/Alaskan Native families in San
Bernardino County.

Address: 2210 East Highland Ave. (suite 101 & 102), San Bernardino, CA 92404
Phone: (909) 864-1097 EXT. 3328

Ahmium Learning Center, Inc.—to provide educational and recreational opportunities for
American Indian people, tribes and communities.

Address: 617 E. Main St., Suite B, San Jacinto, CA 92582
MAILING: P.O. Box 366, San Jacinto, CA 92518
Phone Local: 951.654.2781
Toll Free: 1.800.924.8744
Fax: 951.654.3089
Website: www.ahmium.org

Indian Child and Family Services—a tribally run agency committed to helping American Indian
children through strengthening family relationships. ICFS applies a cultural approach to
evidence based practices that strengthens or revitalizes cultural values, beliefs and traditions;

Address: 43385 Business Park Drive, Suite 160, Temecula, CA 92590
Phone: 951-676-8832
Toll Free: 1-800-969-4237
Fax: 951-676-3950
Website: http://www.indianchildandfamily.org/
Noli Indian School—Serves grades 6-12th on the Soboba Indian Reservation. The student population is made of 100-percent Native American students, and represents approximately 27 tribes. In 1993, Noli was accredited by WASC and in 1994, was recognized by the Bureau of Indian Affairs as a tribally governed school.

Address: 24335 Soboba Rd, San Jacinto, CA 92583

Mailing: PO Box 700, San Jacinto Ca 92581

Phone: (951) 654-5596

Fax: (951) 654-7198

Website: http://www.noliindianschool.com/

Sherman Indian High School (SIHS)— Founded as an agricultural and trade school, Sherman evolved into a comprehensive high school in order to better meet the needs of all Native American youth. In 1970, Sherman was accredited as a secondary school accepting student from across the nation. Sherman was initially accredited as a comprehensive high school in 1995 by the Western Association for Schools and Colleges, WASC.

Address: 9010 Magnolia Ave, Riverside, CA 92503

Phone: (951) 276-6325 ext 390 or 382

Fax: (951) 276-6055

Website: http://www.sihs.bie.edu/

Southern California Indian Center, Inc.—Supportive Services Programs — is dedicated to serving the American Indian community of Los Angeles, Orange and Riverside Counties for 47 years, Southern California Indian Center, Inc. provides much needed support and assistance in the areas of Workforce Development, Education, Family Support, Multimedia Training, and much more.

Address: 9010 Magnolia Ave., Riverside, CA 92503

Phone: (951) 276-6719

Website: http://www.indiancenter.org/

Note: Other offices located in Los Angeles and Orange Counties
AMERICAN INDIAN EDUCATION CENTERS

Campo Band of Mission Indians— American Indian Education Centers in California are authorized by California Education Code, Article 6, sections 33380-33383. Center staff assist schools with professional development, counseling, tutorial services, or parent education. They also provide supplemental and extended day instructional programs to meet the needs of American Indian students. Staff at the district and school levels are urged to collaborate with the Indian education center in their areas.

Address: 36190 Church Road, Suite 1 Campo, CA 91906

Phone: 619-478-9346, ext. 222

Fax: 619-478-5143

E-mail: dcuero@campo-nsn.gov

Website: http://www.campo-nsn.gov/

Pala Band of Mission Indians—Pala Learning Center— American Indian Education Centers in California are authorized by California Education Code, Article 6, sections 33380-33383. Center staff assist schools with professional development, counseling, tutorial services, or parent education. They also provide supplemental and extended day instructional programs to meet the needs of American Indian students. Staff at the district and school levels are urged to collaborate with the Indian education center in their areas.

Address: 12196 Pala-Mission Road Pala, CA 92059

Phone: 760-742-1997

Fax: 760-742-1178

E-mail: dmusick@palatribe.com

Website: http://www.palatribe.com/programs/pala-learning-center-1
San Pasqual Education Department— The mission of the San Pasqual Education Department is dedicated to honoring our ancestors through education, cultural awareness and personal development for community empowerment, healthy Native families, and a strong, bright future.

Address: 16152 Kumeyaay Way Valley Center, CA 92082
Phone: 760-751-1474
Fax: 760-751-1475
Website: http://www.sanpasqualbandofmissionindians.org/educational-department

Rincon Indian Education Center, Inc. — American Indian Education Centers in California are authorized by California Education Code, Article 6, sections 33380-33383. Center staff assist schools with professional development, counseling, tutorial services, or parent education. They also provide supplemental and extended day instructional programs to meet the needs of American Indian students. Staff at the district and school levels are urged to collaborate with the Indian education center in their areas.

Address: P.O. Box 1147 Valley Center, CA 92082
Phone: 760-749-1386 or 760-751-9921
Fax 760-749-8838
E-mail: rinconeducation@yahoo.com
Website: http://www.sctca.net/rincon-band-luise%C3%B1o-indians

Southern California American Indian Resource Center (SCAIR’s)— mission is to provide career, educational, cultural, mental health and community services to Native Americans and their families, throughout San Diego County.

Address: 239 East Main Street El Cajon, CA 92020
Phone: 619-328-0676
Fax: 619-328-0724
E-mail: scair@hotmail.com
Website: http://www.scair.org/
**All Tribes American Indian Charter School (ATAICS)** — strives to establish a foundation that will promote higher learning standards and achievement through exploring diverse experience, opportunities, and interests while adjusting to the learning needs of our students.

All Tribes American Indian Charter School provides a unique culturally enhanced program where student are encouraged to use the skills taught to master grade level standards as determined by a variety of practical and alternative assessments.

Students will graduate with the knowledge, motivation and inspiration to be self-confident contributing members of society.

**Address:** 34320 Valley Center Road, Valley Center, CA 92082

**Phone:** (760) 749-5982

**Fax:** (760) 749-4153

**Website:** [http://www.alltribescharter.org/](http://www.alltribescharter.org/)

**Viejas Indian School, Inc.** — Provides the following services to residents of the Viejas Reservation: kindergarten readiness and after-school tutorial program; math, reading, and other basic skills counseling; educational and employment information; cultural field trips; nutrition and fitness programs; home study programs for grades K-12; senior and congregate dinners offered once a month; and drug, alcohol, and tobacco abuse education for children. Acts as a liaison between the community and reservation.

**Address:** P.O. Box 1389, Alpine CA, 91903

**Phone:** (619) 445-4938

**Fax:** (619) 445-8912

**Website:** [www.viejasbandofkumeyaay.com](http://www.viejasbandofkumeyaay.com)

**Barona Band of Mission Indians—Education Grant Program**— believes that education is the key to successful cultural relationships and the foundation for our future. Each grant awarded by the Barona Education Grant Program is $5,000. Applications for the grant may be submitted by your locally-elected state official on your behalf, or you may submit the application directly as long as it is accompanied by an endorsement letter by your State Legislator.

**Website:** [http://www.barona-nsn.gov/?q=education](http://www.barona-nsn.gov/?q=education)

**Barona Indian Charter School**— The mission is to establish a child-centered, community learning environment for kindergarten through eighth grade students that develops:
1. Leadership
2. Academic excellence in core subjects
3. Social and community awareness
4. Cultural appreciation
5. Character

Our school aims to develop in our students a dedication to community service and the motivation and skills necessary for life-long learning.

Address: 1095 Barona Rd. Lakeside, CA 92040
Phone: (619) 443-0948
Fax: (619) 443-7280
Website: http://www.baronaindiancharterschool.org/

NONPROFITS

**American Indian Recruitment Programs (AIR)**—offers supplemental educational instruction through tutoring, mentoring and various activities designed to achieve success within high school and higher education. The program provides high school students an opportunity to adjust to campus and academic life before attending the university.

Address: P.O. Box 880471, San Diego, CA 92168
Phone: (619) 920-3152
E-mail: info@airprograms.org
Website: http://www.airprograms.org/

**California Indian Education (CALIE)**—dedicated to the advancement of our people through education and the preservation of our tribal traditions, values, customs and the spiritual well-being of our families. CALIE’s initial goal is to develop an educational Web-based communications engine to serve Native American communities and non-Native Americans with a dynamic centralized cyber village network, and to set new standards for user interaction and sharing of relevant data across the Internet and around the world.

Scholarship Information: http://www.californiaindianeducation.org/financial_assistance/
E-mail: website51@calie.org
Website: http://www.californiaindianeducation.org/
Intertribal Youth & Young Native Scholars (YNS)—The Bridge— Youth are given access to the nation's best educators and mentors. We begin our foundation with culture and wellness and build upward with classes and workshops that expose students to the biomedical, earth and environmental sciences, literacy, music, arts, critical thought, research techniques and computer technologies.

Address: 874 Seacoast Drive, Imperial Beach, CA 91932

Phone: (619) 708-7858

Fax: (619) 429-6361

Website: http://www.intertribalyouth.org/