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Native American Education Board Update

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Successes

- "I Am Native" film
- Ongoing high school and summer credit retrieval program, and two week Summer School K-5 Literacy and Culture class
- Native American Youth Leadership Academy (NAYLA) Native students meet with other school districts and Tribal Schools quarterly, for leadership breakout sessions

Challenges

- Collecting 506 forms
- Identifying Native students
    - "Decolonizing the Data"
    - Making the "Invisible, Visible"
- There is not enough Title VI staff to meet the academic needs of all of our Native American/Alaskan Native students whom need academic assistance and advocacy
- Transportation for after school programs and cultural events

Since Time Immemorial: Senate Bill 5433

- To date, 460 teachers and librarians have been trained in the Since Time Immemorial curriculum
- Shana Brown and Gail Morris have facilitated these trainings across the district
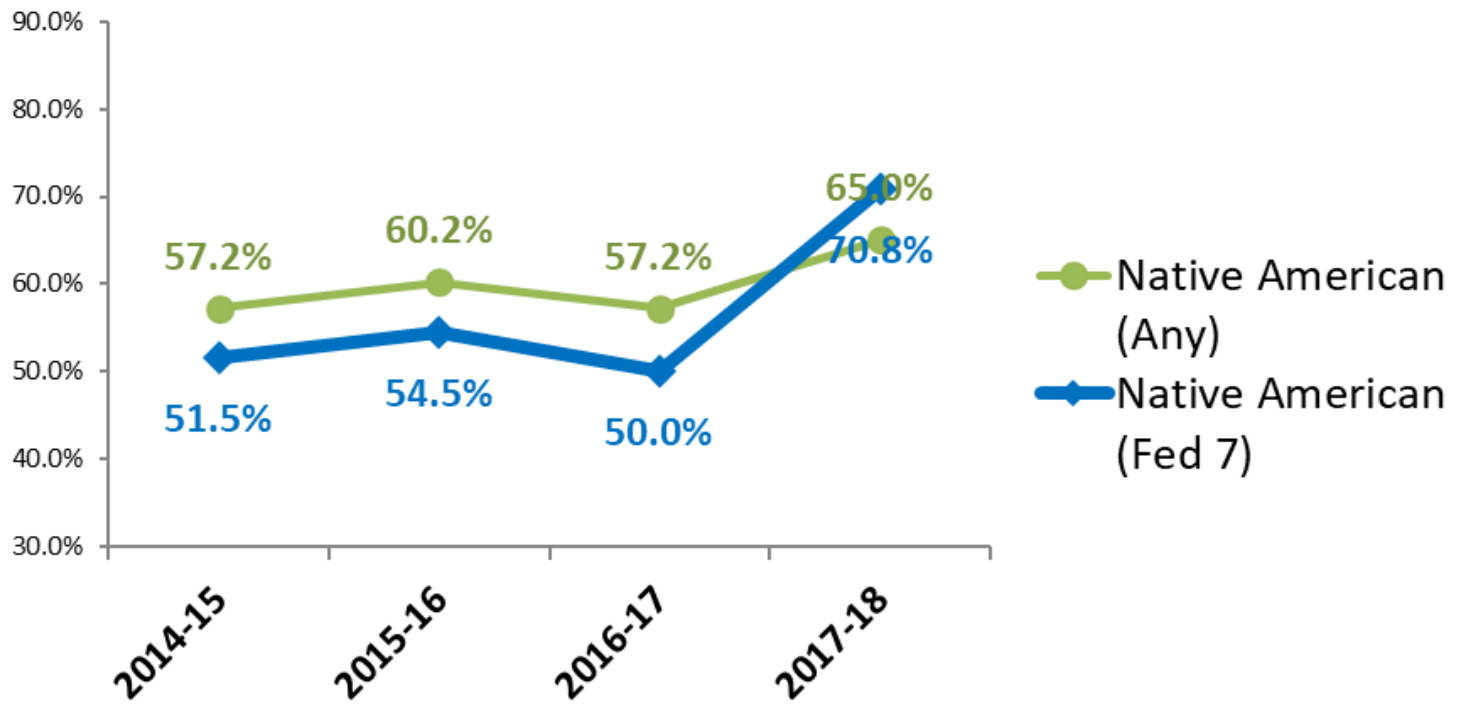- Three trainings will occur during the 18/19 school year for high school teachers

Native American Student Support

- After School Programs
    - Highland Park Elementary
    - Sandpoint Elementary
- Native American Library at Meany Middle School, its online for Seattle Public School teachers
- šəqačib classrooms
    - Chief Sealth High International High School/Denny International Middle School
    - Nathan Hale High School/Jane Adams Middle School

Native American Family Meetings

- Superintendent Listening Sessions
  - United Indians of All Tribes Foundation November 15, 2018
  - Graham Hill Elementary, January 28, 2019

- Parent Advisory Committee (PAC)
  - This is the Parent group for Native students in Seattle Public Schools, they meet the second Thursday of every month

High School Students Graduating in Four Years

Students Suspended or Expelled
(Grades 6th to 12th combined)