

Summer Indigenous Institute

The Summer Indigenous Institute is dedicated to making university transition academically grounded and culturally relevant. Through the program, Indigenous learners new to university will be exposed to learning skills critical to academic success from a holistic framework that respects Indigenous ways of learning.

Programming at the institute includes a focused, four week schedule which will earn students two courses for credit. We welcome students who have been accepted at one of Ontario's four northern universities: Algoma University, Lakehead University, Laurentian University, or Nipissing University.

As students develop a skill set emphasizing critical thinking, reading, and writing, they will also take part in an on-the-land / from-the-land approach to learning. There will be experiential opportunities, and course work will include Indigenous learning.



Summer Indigenous Institute Program and Application Information

Thank you for your interest in attending the Summer Indigenous Institute. The transition program offers two accredited courses that respects cultural teachings. The program is for Indigenous students who have been accepted to Algoma University, Lakehead University, Laurentian University, and Nipissing University. The program is for Indigenous learners who want to attend university and practice and/or learn more about Indigenous culture. There will be smudging in this program, sharing circles, and other cultural activities.

Program Dates: July 8, 2019 - August 2, 2019

Application Deadline: Friday May 31, 2019

All completed applications (including supplemental requirements) must be sent The Office of Indigenous Initiatives via email to indigenousprograms@nipissingu.ca or by fax at (705) 472-8601 (Attn: Rick Fehr)

Questions?

If you need assistance with the application, please contact us for help!

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