



# Office of Indian Education

## **FY24 Raising Indigenous Success in Education (RISE) Competitive Grant Webinar 1**

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  - April 12, 2023 @ 1 pm (MST)



# Objectives

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Participants will learn enough information to help decide whether they would like to apply for the OIE RISE Grant



# Agenda

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- **OIE RISE Grant Introduction**
- **FY24 OIE RISE Grant Application Overview**
- **Accessing OIE RISE Grant Application**
- **Major OIE RISE Grant Application Components**
- **Summary & Closing**



# OIE RISE Introduction

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- **History**

- A.R.S. 15-244. Office of Indian education; definition
- 5-million-dollar allocation from State legislature in 2022

- **Purpose**

- Support educational needs and opportunities in Arizona districts and schools that serve a significant number of Native American students and staff, consistent with the purposes of the Office of Indian Education legislation A.R.S. 15-244.
- Supplemental resources
- Authentic stakeholder and community engagement
- Strategic partnerships
- Initiatives that promote academically excellent and culturally relevant educational opportunities



# OIE RISE Grant Goals

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- 1)** Students and staff benefit from programs and opportunities that focus on academic preparation for college, career, and community leadership, for identity development, and for holistic well-being.
- 2)** Funded projects act as “bright spots” for future investment by the ADE Office of Indian Education to expand and/or replicate successful programs based on community needs and desires in Indigenous Education.



# Funded Strategies and Programs

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Funded programs will participate in a three-year process

- **Year 1:** Stakeholders and community engagement, plan development
- **Year 2:** Implementation plan
- **Year 3:** Continued plan implementation while building sustainable practices and programs



# **FY24 RISE Grant Application Overview**

- **Important Dates**
- **Eligibility Criteria**
- **Consortia Requirements**
- **Funding Allocation**



# Important Dates for the FY24 OIE RISE Grant

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**March 1, 2023**  
FY24 OIE RISE  
grant **opens**



**Prior to June 30, 2023**  
Award recipients will  
be notified



**June 30, 2024**  
FY24 OIE RISE project  
period **ends**



**May 1, 2023**  
FY24 OIE RISE  
grant **closes**



**July 1, 2023**  
FY24 OIE RISE project  
period **begins**



**Sept.30, 2024**  
FY24 OIE RISE  
completion reports **due**



# Eligibility Criteria

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- School districts in Arizona consisting of **public and/or charter schools** serving Native American students and educators.
- Consortiums consisting of **tribally-controlled** and/or **grant school** serving Native American students and educators.



# Consortia Requirements

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- A group of 2 or more eligible entities which must include at least one tribally-controlled and/or grant school
- Establish a fiscal agent to:
  - Submit a single FY24 RISE grant application on behalf of the consortium
  - Ensure compliance of the consortium members
  - Establish and upload the consortium's Memorandum of Understanding (MOU)
    - Ensure proposed budget is aligned and sites are accounted for
  - Upload signed Assurances and Certifications for each LEA consortium member



# Site Designation

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**Note:** District applicants must designate the specific school site(s) that will be OIE RISE project sites.

- To have a concentrated impact, Districts are encouraged to **limit** the number of schools participating to **one to two schools**.
- Only one application is permitted per District/Consortium.



# Funding Allocation

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For fiscal year 2024, the ADE Office of Indian Education intends to award a minimum of eight multi-year grants in amounts not to exceed **\$225,000 each**. Applicants shall propose a project period of three years.

The above amount will be funded in the following increments:

- Year 1 – 100% with a **maximum** amount of \$100,000
- Year 2 – 75% with a **maximum** amount of \$75,000 (25% grantee matching funds)
- Year 3 – 50% with a **maximum** amount of \$50,000 (50% grantee matching funds)



# Approximating Award Amounts

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Award amount depends on 3 factors:

1. LEA / Consortia Size
2. Percentage of Enrolled Students Identified as American Indian and Alaska Native
3. Proximity to Tribal Lands

**Approximate Award Range:** \$48,000 - \$100,000

**\*Will be covered in greater detail during Webinar 2**



# Accessing GME

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To access the application via GME, applicants must have an ADEconnect account --- see guidance below to access application:

## **I have an ADEConnect Account,**

Please access the application through the ADEConnect portal found on the ADE Home Page.

Applicants may log in at <https://home.azed.gov/Portal>

## **I do NOT have an ADEConnect Account,**

Please use the following link: <https://www.azed.gov/information-technology/adeconnect>

Applicants may also contact the ADEConnect Call Center at (602) 542-7378 or [adesupport@azed.gov](mailto:adesupport@azed.gov)

## **I need technical assistance,**

For support in completing the online application, please see the ADE Grants Management website at <http://www.azed.gov/grants-management/>  
Or contact Grants Management Staff at 602-542-3901 / 866-577-9636 or [adesupport@azed.gov](mailto:adesupport@azed.gov)

# FY24 OIE RISE Grant Application Major Components

- FFATA & GSA Verification
- Program Information / Instruction Page
- District Contact Information
- Assurances



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# FY24 OIE RISE Grant Application Requirements

- Participating Consortium Member Organization Details
  - Consortia *ONLY*
- Budget
  - Detail allocations per site
- Program Narrative Questions
- Related Documents

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# Shared Responsibility

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When applying for the FY24 OIE RISE grant, applicants must consult with stakeholders to ensure well-rounded analysis of need, effective programming, and to avoid supplanting.

## *Some stakeholders to consider:*

*Indian Education Coordinator*

*Budget Department*

*Title I Director*

*Administrators*

*Grants Manager*

*Tribal Education Department staff*

*Superintendents*

*Caregivers, Families, and Community*



# Summary

<b>Purpose of OIE RISE Funds</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Support educational needs and opportunities in Arizona districts and schools that serve a significant number of Native American students and staff, consistent with the purposes of the Office of Indian Education legislation A.R.S. 15-244.</li></ul>
<b>Eligible Applicants</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• LEAs, Charters, Tribally-controlled and Grant schools</li></ul>
<b>Eligibility Requirement</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Must serve Native American students and educators in K-12 contexts</li></ul>
<b>Grant Application Open Date</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• March 1, 2023</li></ul>
<b>Grant Application Close Date</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• May 1, 2023</li></ul>
<b>Project Period for FY24</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• July 1, 2023 – June 30, 2024</li></ul>
<b>Grant Cycle Availability</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• July 1, 2023 – September 30, 2027</li></ul>

# Thank you!



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