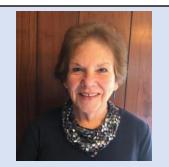


# Native American Grant(s)-in Aid



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### Native American Grant(s)-in-Aid Committee

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## About the Native American Grant(s)-in-Aid

The *Native American Grant(s)-in-Aid* is awarded to a Native American woman, attending a two- or four-year college who is planning to work in the field of education or other service-related field. She must have at least one Native American parent and be listed on a tribal role.

Originally started as a temporary project in 1967 to assist Native American girls who were hoping to enter the teaching profession, it has been a NYSO DKG Standing Committee since 1975.

Recipients apply for additional grants as they continue their progression in studying teaching or a service-related field.

#### **Goals of the Committee**

- 1. To encourage New York State Native American women to apply for the NYSO DKG Native American Grant(s)-in-Aid
- 2. To select nominees for the Grant(s) and inform nominees of their selection
- 3. To encourage recipients to reapply if they continue to meet grant requirements
- 4. To publicize grant(s) award recipient(s) in *Pi Lights* and on the State website
- 5. To raise awareness among educators about the grant(s)-in-aid program

#### Application may be found on State Website, <u>www.dkgnystate.org</u>.

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