

## SAUK LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT PHILOSOPHY

Indians are born speaking our languages. For some of us, they lie dormant within our bodies. They are looking for a way out. God gave us these beautiful languages. All of us hold them in a sacred manner within. There is no such thing as an Indian person who cannot speak Indian.

Our language programs find these languages within our bodies. They bring them out through our mouths and deliver them to their rightful resting places within our hearts.



**Talk Sauk.**  
**SAUK LANGUAGE  
DEPARTMENT**

### SAC AND FOX NATION EDUCATION DEPARTMENT NOTICE TRIBAL MEMBERS

The Sac and Fox Nation Education Department has placed the guidelines and forms for the following programs on the Nation's website at [www.sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov](http://www.sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov) for your convenience:

**Johnson O'Malley  
Higher Education  
Adult Vocational Training  
School Clothing/Supplies Grants  
Education Incentives**

Please contact the Education Department at 918-968-0509 if you have any questions about the programs we offer. We are here to assist you with your education needs.

## AIGC Seeking Outstanding Native American And Alaska Native Student

The American Indian Graduate Center (AIGC) is seeking applicants for its annual recognition of outstanding American Indian and Alaska Native high school students from across the nation.

The All Native American High School Academic Team (ANAHSAT) is comprised of American Indian and Alaska Native high school Juniors and Seniors who exhibit leadership, community spirit, academic achievement and collegiate promise. Applicants must be members of a US federally recognized tribe or verify  $\pi$  or more descent. Applicants must possess a 3.3 GPA and be enrolling as a full-time degree seeking freshman in the fall of 2012.

ANAHSAT members will receive a cash stipend and enjoy photo and resume recognition in Indian Country Today, The American Indian Graduate magazine, local newspapers of choice, and are posted on the AIGC website.

The AIGC Online Application System is available via [www.aigcs.org](http://www.aigcs.org). Please follow these steps to make an application for the ANAHSAT:

1. Download full directions and informa-

tion for all scholarships and applications.

2. Return to AIGCS.ORG to click on the Apply Now button anywhere on the website.

3. At the landing page for the AIGC Online Application System, click on "Sign in" or "Sign up" at the top or bottom of the page.

4. Return to the email address that you provide to confirm your account then return to the online application system.

5. Within the AIGC Online Application System, click on the General Application tab to provide all relevant information.

6. Once you complete the General Application - visit the Opportunities tab to complete specific ANAHSAT questions and upload supporting documents.

Should you have questions regarding this opportunity, please contact Marveline Vallo Gabbard at 800-628-1920 or email [fellowships@aigcs.org](mailto:fellowships@aigcs.org).

\*\*AIGC is a national 501(c)3, non-profit organization providing scholarship and fellowships to American Indian and Alaska Native undergraduate and graduate students through the United States\*\*

### MAY 2012 WORDSCRAMBLE LOOKING AT COLORS (USE LIST OF SAUK WORDS FROM WORDSEARCH)

hymiât wkaêa	_____
ntâêi iw	_____
t aânê hnâêâhtik?ci	_____
ysphâkwewiâ	_____
pâwwiyâ	_____
pwîwâwewi	_____
whwaiâtâ	_____
weâiphaikyks	_____
hitkêihpwââ	_____
kwmewâhsi	_____
âtkêmiosweph	_____
mhaihtkoêiwpwââ	_____
eêhtêwmâhcîith	_____
pâtwwêiâ	_____
êâinwatwa	_____

### Native American Quotes May 2012

*"Among Native Americans, tribal family names are a big part of your identity. And the language is also important -- it's the glue that holds our culture together."*

Signaak, Chippewa

*"As a child, I was punished for speaking my own language on the reservation. I make baskets now because I want people to know that we're still here."*

Elaine Timentwa Emerson, Colville

*"We can't change what has happened, but we can change the future for ourselves, for our children and for those yet to come. And we can hold onto those values that were handed down from generation to generation."*

Tony Incashola, Flathead

### Looking at Colors

Match the Sauk word with the English phrase.

mahkatâyâwi	It is Green
inâtêwi	It is Brown
tâna châhi ênâtêki?	It is Dark (in color)
wâpeshkyâwi	It is Pink
wâpyâwi	It is Purple
wîpek wâwi	It is that color
athâwâwi	It is Light (in color)
eshkipakyâwi	It is Red
kâhpîhâtêwi	It is Peach (color)
meshkwâwi	It is Grey
meshkopâtêwi	It is White.
pohkamâwihâtêwi	It is Black
mîthechêhâtêwi	What color is it?
wâpâtêwi	It is Yellow/Orange
anawâtêwi	It is Blue

## SAUK LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT HAPPENINGS AND NEWS

May 2012  
**Âpâminehkêha  
Moving-Camp Month**

Join Us Online!

Come join us online at [www.talksauk.com](http://www.talksauk.com) to see what all we have to offer: games, Pictionary, videos, etc. Visit our Facebook page where you can post your comments, and see what the latest classes and activities are ongoing:

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**Baby Onesies Now Available for Sale!**

Let your little ones show their Sauk Pride. We have onesies available for sale in sizes 6, 12, 18 and 24mos for \$5 each. Come by the Sauk Language Office to get yours today.

**Do You have a New Baby Less Than 6 Mos. Old?**

We are helping the newest tribal members show their Sauk Pride.

Call or come by the Sauk Language Department for information on how your new bundle of joy can receive a free Sauk baby bib.

918-968-0070 or 800-256-7552

**We are happy to announce that we now have the  
1989 Sac and Fox Pow-wow Promotional Videos.**

Not actual pow-wow videos, but lots of good assorted videos used to promote the 1989 Pow-wow.

Call or come by for your copy.

We always welcome suggestions and/or comments from tribal members on programs you have attended, or would like to see scheduled. Call 918-968-0070 or 800-256-7552, or email [language@sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov](mailto:language@sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov)

