

# Current State Of Native Education

## The Native Population Is Young

### POPULATION UNDER 18 YEARS OLD



32% of AI/AN population is under the age of 18.

24% of total U.S. population is under the age of 18.

### POPULATION UNDER 25 YEARS OLD

# 42%

42% of AI/AN population is under the age of 25.

34% of total U.S. population is under the age of 25.

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## Natives On The Reservation Are Young

### MEDIAN AGE

Natives on Reservations

# 26 YEARS OLD



Natives Nationally

# 37 YEARS OLD

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## Native Students Attend Public Schools

There are approximately 644,000 AI/AN students in the K-12 system, representing 1.2% of public school students nationally.



**93%** Attend regular, public schools.

**7%** Attend BIE schools.

## Native Students Are Labeled With A Disability Designation At High Rates

### STUDENTS RECEIVING SERVICES UNDER THE IDEA:

AI/AN POPULATION **14%**

GENERAL POPULATION **8%**



## Native Students Are Held Back More Frequently Than Their Peers

**2X** Native kindergarten students are held back at a rate two times higher than their white peers.