



IAIA

SUMMER BRIDGE PROGRAM

Summer 2016

June 26 to July 16, 2016

The Institute of American Indian Arts (IAIA) Summer Bridge Program is a 3-week on-campus program available to current high school juniors and graduating seniors. During this program, participants will gain skills for college readiness, leadership and creativity while earning 2-5 college credits in the following:

- Indigenous Leadership through Higher Education (1 credit), AND
- A choice from ONE of the following courses:
 - Acting I (3 credit)- intro to acting
 - Word! (1 credit)- intro to creative writing
 - Traditional Arts & Ecology (3 credits)

In addition to the courses, participants will also have an opportunity to attend fun activities such as a rafting, Pueblo cultural events, hiking and more!!



Application Deadline— May 13, 2016

Application Requirements:

- IAIA Application
- \$25 Non-Refundable Application Fee
- 2.5 Cumulative GPA
- High School Transcripts
- 1 Letter of Recommendation
- Statement of Interest

Competitive application Process
\$150 Program Fee if selected
Scholarships available

**For More Information
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High school students who are interested in art can come to the IAIA campus for a three week on-campus summer program to earn college credit, explore art-related fields, and become familiar with college readiness.

Students will be eligible to earn two to four college credits in the following:

- 1 credit Indigenous leadership through higher education course, a Native-based college readiness class that includes skill-building
- 1-3 credits of the following: Art & Exhibition Preparation, Acting I, or Traditional Art and Ecology

The program also provides additional activities that include:

- Attendance at Cochiti Pueblo's annual Feast Day July 14
- Field trips to the Museum of Contemporary Native Arts, the Indian Pueblo Cultural Center, and other important Native American cultural resources, led by IAIA's Museum Studies faculty
- Rafting trip down the Rio Grande Rift Valley
- Taos Pueblo Powwow July 12
- Film Nights, including films at IAIA's **Digital Dome**

Please note that students are expected to reside on-campus during the entire three weeks. Weekend checkouts are discouraged.

Eligibility

The IAIA Summer Bridge Program is intended for students that are interested in earning college credits and who have a high interest in exploring the arts.

- Must be a current high school junior or graduating senior
- Minimum cumulative unweighted GPA of 2.5

A selection committee reviews all complete applications. Participants are selected on the basis of academic achievement, letter of recommendation and personal statement. Highly competitive process and only complete applications will be considered.

Application Requirement

Applications are due April 30, 2016.

- Complete Application
- Non-Refundable \$25 application fee
- Copy of High School transcripts 2.5 minimum GPA (see your high school Registrar to obtain.)
- One letter of recommendation, written by a teacher, supervisor or community leader who can make a recommendation based on merit
- Statement of Interest, one page, answer the following: How will this Summer Bridge program impact your college plans?

Program Costs

If a student is selected, there will be a \$150 participation fee. The Summer Program will cover the majority of expenses during the program. These include: housing, daily meals, course materials and transportation during program activities. Scholarships are available.

Note: Participants are responsible for the cost of transportation to and from IAIA. Students who travel to IAIA by plane, train or bus will be picked up at the airport, bus or train station by IAIA program staff.

If a student is selected, more paperwork will be sent in the acceptance packet.

All documents should be sent to

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Summer 2016 Application Form

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Student Information

First Name	Middle	Last Name
Mailing Address		City State, Zip
Home Phone	Cell Phone	Email
Social Security	Birthdate (mm/dd/yy)	Age
		<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female

Demographic Information

Ethnicity ☐ Native American Tribe: _____
Tribe Status ☐ State Recognized ☐ Federally Recognized ☐ Canadian Enrolled First Nation
☐ Hispanic of Any Race ☐ Caucasian/White ☐ Black or African American ☐ Asian ☐ Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander

Marital Status ☐ Single w/o Children ☐ Single w/Children ☐ Married w/o Children ☐ Married w/Children

Do you have a disability that requires accommodations? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If yes, please explain: _____

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If yes, please explain: _____

How did you hear about the Summer Bridge Program? _____

High School Information

High School Name _____ City/State _____
Cum GPA _____ Anticipated Graduation Date (Mo/Yr): _____
Current Class Standing ☐ Current Junior ☐ Current Senior
Have you applied to IAIA for Fall 2016? ☐ Yes ☐ No

NM Student ONLY: STARS # _____ **** Ask your guidance counselor for this number**

Parent/Guardian Contact Information

First Name	Last Name	Relationship
Mailing Address		City State, Zip
Home Phone	Cell Phone	Email

Course Information

Students will earn to
2-4 college credits

- 1 credit Indigenous leadership through higher education course, a Native-based college readiness class that includes skill-building
- One of the following courses:

Please rank which
course you would like to
take:

- _____ Acting I (3 credit) introduction to acting
- _____ Word! (1credit) introduction to creative writing
- _____ Traditional Arts & Ecology (3 credits)

Program Agreement

STUDENT- All of the information on my application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that it is my responsibly to submit a complete application to the IAIA Summer Bridge Program and follow all the deadlines. **Incomplete, late or inaccurate applications may result ineligibility.** I have read all the application information and understand and accept all conditions of the IAIA Summer Bridge Program.

Student Signature

Date

Print Name

PARENT/GUARDIAN- I have read this application and the IAIA Summer Bridge Program information; the information provided on the application is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. **I understand that incomplete, late or inaccurate applications may result ineligibility.** I consent to allow Institute of American Indian Arts to verify student information contained in this application. I understand and accept the conditions of the IAIA Summer Bridge Program.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Print Name

Deadline and Mailing Address:

All applications forms must be postmarked by **May 13, 2016**

Please send all application materials to:

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Application Checklist

- ☐ Complete Application
- ☐ \$25 Non-Refundable Application Fee- Cash, Check or Money Order made out to IAIA
- ☐ Official High School Transcripts
- ☐ One Letter of Recommendation
- ☐ Statement of Interest
- ☐ Copy of Tribal Enrollment (*not required- optional*)

Only COMPLETE applications will be considered