

PROJECT PUQIGTUT Q&A

Who is eligible to participate?

Alaska Native and/or American Indian high school students within the Anchorage School District.

How do I start?

Fill out the Project Puqigtut application, get the required signatures and turn it in at your school or our office. You will be notified once you are accepted.

I've been accepted, now what?

Once you are accepted into Project Puqigtut you will be notified and will need to attend an orientation with your parents/guardians.

Why do I have to attend an orientation?

Orientation is a chance to fully understand Project Puqigtut, meet your teacher, check-out equipment and log-in to your online course.

Please feel free to contact us with any questions or concerns you may have!

For additional information please contact us:



Project Puqigtut, "Smart People" Anchorage School District Title VII Indian Education

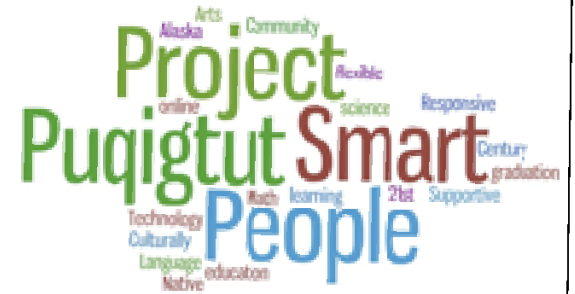
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A High School Success Program
for 21st Century Alaska Native
Students

WHAT IS PROJECT PUQIGTUT?

Puqigtut (pronounced boo-he-toot) is the Cup'ik work for smart people. We provide high school students with flexibility and options for earning required high school credits for graduation. If a student has failed a course in the past, is looking to get ahead, or is unable to fit into the traditional high school schedule we can help!

Typically students take one course with Project Puqigtut in addition to their regular schedule at their high school. Students work on their course on their own time - we offer flexibility of time, space and pace.

Computer equipment and internet connectivity for course use can be provided to eligible students at no cost while they are enrolled within Project Puqigtut.



WHAT WE OFFER

Project Puqigtut Online Courses:

English	Social Studies	Mathematics
English 9	World History	Algebra A
English 10	U.S. History	Algebra B
	Alaska Studies	Algebra I

**First and second semesters of all courses are offered.*

All courses are taught by hand-picked Anchorage School District teachers. There are regularly scheduled opportunities to receive face-to-face assistance and instruction from teachers and staff during after-school hours and in the evenings.

Throughout their coursework with Project Puqigtut, students will receive social service support and assistance from our dedicated project staff.

Fun and engaging field trips occur every year to project partner sites such as the University of Alaska Anchorage, Alaska Native Science & Engineering Program, King Career Center, the Alaska Native Heritage Center and more!

We offer courses year round - during the Fall, Spring and Summer semesters.



“I started with Project Puqigtut to re-take a class I had failed my freshman year. The program worked so well for me I am now taking classes with them to get ahead. Now I will be graduating on-time or even earlier. Everyone is just there to help and that’s what makes the difference.”

- Project Puqigtut Student