

Dear Parents,

Strong Family Health Center vision for the youth program is that “all students will be empowered to succeed academically and will possess the skills they need to realize their potential and achieve their hopes and dreams.”

Strong Family Health Center (SFHC) holds the contract with Modoc Joint Unified School District to administer the Title VI Indian Student Education Program. Per our contract; SFHC will provide the following services:

1. An adult to provide tutoring services for qualified Native American students at MJUSD school sites for the _____ school year.
2. Emphasize individual student needs for grades K-12 in the basic academic areas (Math and Reading/Language Arts). Teach students in grades 6-12 organizational and time management skills, including how to study for exams and assist in the preparation and completion of long-term assignments.

The tutors are unable to help students reach these goals if students come unprepared to learn. The Title VI program is a volunteer program, attendance is not mandatory. So please consider whether this program is a good fit for your child and family, we hope that it is. That being said, last school year we had on-going issues with students coming unprepared, being disruptive to other students and having destructive behavior. Here are some important reminders regarding rules the SFHC tutoring program.

1. It is required that students bring their homework/missing work to the after school tutoring program. If a student is unprepared to work, tutors will not pick the child up from the school.
2. Parents, please do not drop off your child without their homework/ missing work. An adult will need to check the student in with youth staff if a student is being dropped off.
3. Students will come to SFHC ready to participate and not disrupt the other or our tutor’s limited time. If a child is disruptive, parents will be called and must come and pick them up within 30 minutes. If you do not pick up your child when it is requested, your child will not be eligible to participate for the next scheduled activity.
4. **It is vital that we have a current working phone number to contact you and**

Dear Parents,

The tutoring program for this year is a similar schedule as last year. On days that our schedule allows, we will be able to be in class with your child. The schedule will have to accommodate all native students at that site. We will make every effort to spend as much time with your child as possible.

After school tutoring will be available after school until 5:00 p.m. for students on select days, then we will begin transporting student's home. We will pick up elementary and middle school children at their designated site. Elementary students need to meet us at the big tree by the office. Middle school student will need to look for the bus as parking is limited. We will then transport your child to SFHC for homework assistance and we will provide a snack. Your child will be home anywhere between 5:00-5:45 p.m. depending on the amount of students that need a transport and the diverse location of all the students. Parents are always welcome to pick their children up at the center. If you know you will NOT be home between 5-6 p.m. Please arrange to pick your child up from the Center or call us with the alternate drop off location by 4:30 p.m.

REMINDER: We are not able to drop students off before 5 pm at non-SFHC related activities (sports, RISE, parent meetings, etc).

After school tutoring is as follows:

Alturas Elementary (AES) Monday's

Modoc Middle School & Modoc High School/Warner/ High Desert- Tuesday's & Thursdays

Wednesday will be Youth Group activities for all grades

Strong Families is closed on Friday's

If you have any questions about this schedule or the tutoring program, please feel free to contact Rosa George or Melissa Channell at: (530) 233-4591.

Sincerely,

Melissa Channell
Tutor/Youth Services

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