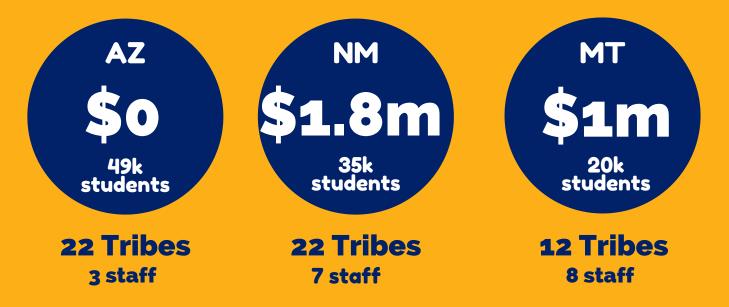
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# INDIAN EDUCATION FACT SHEET 2021

#### STATE FUNDING COMPARISON Indian Education Offices



### **OFFICE OF INDIAN EDUCATION (OIE)**

- Established in 2006
- A.R.S. 15-244
- No state funding
- Only 3 staff paid for with federal dollars

State funding is vital for OIE to properly serve AZ's Native American public school students & teachers.

#### WHO DOES OIE SERVE?



- 22 federally recognized Indian tribes
- Total enrollment: 49,024 students
- Low Density & High Density Schools

### HOW ARE AZ NATIVE AMERICAN STUDENTS DOING?

**14%** chronic absenteeism **&** dropouts

## **68%** students graduating high school

Across the board, Native American students have the lowest proficiency rates for English Language Arts & Math.