

American Indian Studies: Implementing Wisconsin Act 31

Part 1: Wednesday, March 3, 2020 - 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

Part 2: Thursday, March 4, 2020 - 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 pm

This two-session virtual workshop will provide in-depth presentation and discussion on American Indian Studies in Wisconsin (often referenced as Wisconsin Act 31). The focus of the training is to help educators understand and implement Wisconsin Act 31, which is a state law requiring all public school districts and pre-service teacher programs to provide instruction on the history, culture, and tribal sovereignty of the eleven federally-recognized American Indian nations in the state of Wisconsin.

Target Audience:

District Administrators
Principals
Curriculum Coordinators
K-12 Teachers

Registration Fee: Free

Virtual:

Pre-registration is required. A Zoom link will be emailed to all registrants 1-2 days prior to the first session

Registration:

<u>Use this link</u> or visit myQuickReg.com

Presenter:



David O'Connor
American Indian
Studies Consultant
Wisconsin Department
of Public Instruction

Content Questions & Information:

Laura Veglahn, SIS Director lveglahn@cesa4.org (608) 786-4814

Registration Questions:

Sally Weber, Program Assistant sweber@cesa4.org (608) 786-4831

The workshop is designed to provide participants with the knowledge and information they need to integrate the requirements of American Indian Studies into lesson plans, material selections, pedagogical practices, and district curriculum. Information about the Wisconsin Indian nations' histories, treaty rights, sovereignty, and cultures will be presented throughout the training workshop.

Goals: Share best practices, information, model programs, and resources with administrators and educators so that they are knowledgeable about American Indian Studies in Wisconsin and are able to meet the requirements of Wisconsin Act 31.

Licensure: Please note participation in both sessions along with the completion of two follow-up assignments are necessary to fulfill DPI licensure requirements.

