

## South Dakota - FY2021 AmeriCorps State and National Grant Awards

As a result of the FY2021 AmeriCorps State and National Grant Competition, South Dakota will receive a total of **\$653,857** in funding from AmeriCorps, the federal agency that administers AmeriCorps and other national service programs.

Through this competition, **two** successful grantees operating in South Dakota will receive **\$318,537** in competitive funding from AmeriCorps to support approximately **65** AmeriCorps members. After successfully completing their service, these AmeriCorps members are expected to earn **\$355,320** in <u>Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards</u>.

The following table displays the FY2021 AmeriCorps funding breakdown for South Dakota, including the full list of successful AmeriCorps grantees.

| Grant Type*              | Program<br>Type** | Grantee                       | Program   | District | City       | Grant<br>Funding | Ed Award<br>Funding | AmeriCorps<br>Members |
|--------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|---|----------|------------|------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Continuation             | National          | Teach For America             | Teach For America South<br>Dakota                 | 00       | Mission    | \$0              | \$209,385           | 33                    |
| Continuation             | National          | Red Cloud Indian School, Inc. | Red Cloud Indian School Teca<br>Oyate Waonspekiya | 00       | Pine Ridge | \$318,537        | \$145,935           | 32                    |
|                          |                   |                               |   |          |            |                  |                     |                       |
| Totals                   |                   |                               |   |          |            | \$318,537        | \$355,320           | 65                    |
| Total AmeriCorps Funding |                   |                               |   |          |            | \$653,857        |                     |                       |

\*Grant Type: New = New grantee; Continuation = Ongoing grantee awarded funding for the 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>nd</sup> year of a 3-year grant cycle; Recompete = Previous grantee awarded funding for an additional grant cycle. \*\*Program Type: State = Grantee operates in only your state; National = Grantee operates in multiple states.



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## **Executive Summaries**

Teach For America: Teach For America --- South Dakota

Teach For America - South Dakota will have 44 AmeriCorps members who teach for two years in low-income and under resourced schools in three sovereign nations within the borders of the state of South Dakota: the Pine Ridge, Rosebud, and Standing Rock Reservations. At the end of the first program year, the AmeriCorps members will be responsible for increasing the academic achievement of the over 2,000 students they teach. In addition, the AmeriCorps members will leverage 160 volunteers who will be engaged in supporting students in classrooms and schools.

## Red Cloud Indian School, Inc.: Red Cloud Indian School Teca Oyate Waonspekiya

The Red Cloud Indian School will have 14 full-time and 18 half-time AmeriCorps (AC) members who will enhance students' math, literacy, and STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) skills; facilitate and support after school programs; and serve as teachers aides, librarian aides, coaches, and bus drivers on a rotational basis on limited local routes at Red Cloud Elementary School (K-8) and Red Cloud High School (9-12) in the village of Pine Ridge, and at Our Lady of Lourdes Elementary School (K-8) in the town of Porcupine. At the end of the first program year, the AC members will be responsible for improving students' achievement in literacy and math and increasing the number of Red Cloud Indian School students who are college-ready. In addition, the AC members will leverage an additional 5 volunteers that will be engaged in classroom instruction and after school support.