This 8-week university program is located in the Black Hills of South Dakota. Students experience a full residential program while earning 12 college credits through the University of South Dakota, including a paid work experience at the Crazy Horse Memorial®. At the completion of their first semester of college through the 7TH GEN.® Summer Program, graduates are prepared to continue college, navigate career pathways, and experience community building with other high achieving students committed to higher education success.
PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Academic
All students enroll in A&S 100 (College Success Strategies) and NATV 194 (Work Life Experience) and select two additional courses from the following options:
- ARTH 251 (American Indian Art History)
- CSC 105 (Introduction to Computers)
- ENGL 101 (Composition I)
- PSYC 101 (General Psychology)
- SPCM 101 (Fundamentals of Speech)
These credits will transfer to their selected university after the completion of the program.

Residential
All students live in the 7TH GEN.® Summer Program’s residential suites.

Work Experience
All students participate in a 22 hour a week paid work experience at the Crazy Horse Memorial. Options include:
- The Welcome Center
- Ticket Office
- Restaurant & Snack Shop
- Gift Shop
- Tour Guide
Students are given the opportunity to select their preferences for positions through the application process.

Tuition, Fees, Room and Board
Total Cost to Student: $800 for Food/Lodging + $50 Room Deposit = $850
Crazy Horse Memorial Foundation® fully funds student tuition, books, and the majority of student food and lodging expenses. Students have the option to deduct their share of the food/lodging costs ($800) from their bi-weekly paychecks and they will also have the opportunity to earn back 50% of their food/lodging expense ($400) at the end of their summer through a specialized incentive program.
ELIGIBILITY
• Must be 17-21 years of age at the start of the program
• Have a high school diploma or GED
• Received a 2.6 GPA or higher (Provisional acceptance for those with lower than a 2.6)
• Composite ACT 21 or Composite SAT 990 (Provisional acceptance for those with lower than 21 or 990)
• Possess maturity to participate in a university program with an intense academic and residential experience

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS
• Completed application and questionnaire form
• High school transcript
• Official ACT or SAT scores
• One letter of recommendation from a high school counselor or core area teacher
• Proof of membership in federally recognized tribe (Preference is extended to enrolled members of federally recognized tribes, however, the university is open to all qualified students)
• Telephone interview scheduled by the 7TH GEN.® Summer Program (Contingent on receipt of all required materials)

IMPORTANT DEADLINES
February 1st – Priority Deadline (Applicants will be accepted on a rolling basis until class is filled. Enrollment is limited to 32 students.)
March 1st - Regular Deadline
Application materials can be sent via email to indianuniversity@crazyhorse.org or via mail to:

Crazy Horse Memorial
Attn: The 7TH GEN.® Summer Program
12151 Avenue of the Chiefs
Crazy Horse, SD 57730-8900

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