

.04 American Indian Education Funds

The following American Indian education funds are COUNTABLE:

- Not allocated by Title IV
- Not allocated by Title XIII
- Excluded by Public Law
- Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) allowances for normal living expenses paid to the participant for shelter costs while in school.

NA EXCEPTION

All American Indian education funds are NOT COUNTABLE.

Key BL in the TYPE field on UNIE.

Certain [PY-TANF](#) education funds are treated as follows:

- All education funds paid to an enrolled Pascua Yaqui Tribal member who resides in Pima, Maricopa, or Pinal county including, but not limited to, the following are NOT COUNTABLE:

Title IV

Title XIII

Public law

Grants

Scholarships

Loans

Allowances

[For MA after 2013](#)
[See the EPM](#)

MA EXCEPTION

All education funds paid to an enrolled PY Tribal member who resides in Maricopa, Pima, or Pinal county are COUNTABLE.

Key PY in the TYPE field on UNIE.

- Pascua Yaqui (PY) pre-employment educational stipends that do not exceed \$660 per month, provided to selected PY Tribal Native Employment Works (NEW) participants in the PY Tribal NEW Pre-employment Vocational Training Program are NOT COUNTABLE.

MA EXCEPTION

~~PY pre-employment educational stipends provided to selected PY Tribal NEW participants are COUNTABLE.~~

Key PY in the TYPE field on UNIE.

- On a monthly basis, Pascua Yaqui Tribal NEW notifies FAA of the educational stipend received by Tribal TANF participants. The portion of the Tribal NEW Pre-employment Vocational Training Program stipend that exceeds \$660 per month is COUNTABLE as unearned educational income.

NA EXCEPTION

All American Indian education funds are NOT COUNTABLE.

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