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<b>Opportunity Category Explanation:</b>		<b>Current Closing Date for Applications:</b>	Mar 13, 2026
<b>Funding Instrument Type:</b>	Grant	<b>Archive Date:</b>	
<b>Category of Funding Activity:</b>	Arts	<b>Estimated Total Program Funding:</b>	\$ 1,700,000
<b>Category Explanation:</b>	Humanities	<b>Award Ceiling:</b>	\$10,000
<b>Expected Number of Awards:</b>	170	<b>Award Floor:</b>	\$6,000



**Assistance** 45.311 -- Native  
**Listings:** American and Native  
Hawaiian Library  
Services

**Cost Sharing or  
Matching  
Requirement:** No

## Eligibility

**Eligible Applicants:** Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized)

**Additional Information on Eligibility:** See the Notice of Funding Opportunity for eligibility criteria for this program.

## Additional Information

**Agency Name:** Institute of Museum and Library Services

**Description:** The Native American Basic Grants (NAB) program assists eligible Native Communities in establishing, sustaining, and improving library services and operations with their communities. As information needs change, Tribal libraries must be able to serve as knowledge and resource centers to benefit their users and the wellness of their communities. The NAB program supports Native Communities across the country to address their individual information needs and priorities.

**Link to Additional Information:** <https://www.ims.gov/find-funding/funding-opportunities/grant-programs/native-american-library-services-basic-grants>

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