

## CLOSE UP - UNITED SOUTH & EASTERN TRIBES YOUTH SUMMIT

## SATURDAY

Arrive in Washington, DC

**Hotel Check-In:** Meet with your Close Up Concierge & explore DC with your school if time allows

6:30 pm **Teacher and Staff Dinner**

6:45 pm **Student Welcome Dinner**

7:30 pm **Orientation:** Meet students from across the country and get to know your Close Up Program Instructor

8:00 pm **Introduction Workshop\*:** Form a workshop community with other students, establish guidelines, identify goals, introduction to USET

9:30 pm Student Lounge

10:30 pm Room Check

## SUNDAY

8:00 am	Breakfast
9:00 am	<b>Citizen Action Workshop</b>
10:10 am	Bus Transfer to <b>White House &amp; Black Lives Matter Plaza Citizen Action</b>
11:45 pm	Bus Transfer to <b>Lunch</b>
1:15 pm	<b>Smithsonian National Museum of the American Indian Study Visit</b>
3:30 pm	Bus Transfer to <b>Hotel</b>
4:15 pm	<b>Tribal Government Workshop</b>
5:00 pm	<b>Tribal Government Presentations</b>
6:00 pm	<b>Dinner at Hotel</b>
7:30 pm	Bus Transfer to <b>Night Monuments</b>
9:00 pm	Bus Transfer to Hotel
9:30 pm	Student Lounge
10:30 pm	Room Check

## MONDAY

8:00 am	Breakfast
9:00 am	<b>Tribal Action Initiatives Large Group Activity</b>
9:30 am	<b>Tribal Action Initiatives Work Session 1:</b> Work with peers from your tribe to create solutions to issues that affect your community
11:00 am	<b>Action Expert Speakers</b>
12:15 pm	<b>Lunch</b>
1:30 pm	Bus Transfer to <b>Franklin D. Roosevelt Memorial Study Visit:</b> Discuss Allotment, Reorganization, and government involvement in Native affairs
	<b>Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial Study Visit:</b> How can techniques used by past socio-political movements apply to current Indian Country?
4:00 pm	Bus Transfer to Hotel
4:30 pm	<b>Tribal Action Initiatives Work Session 2</b>
5:30 pm	<b>Flag Ceremony Rehearsal &amp; Dinner</b>
6:00 pm	Bus Transfer to <b>DC Neighborhood &amp; Dinner</b>
8:30 pm	Bus Transfer to Hotel
9:00 pm	Student Lounge
10:00 pm	Room Check

## TUESDAY

7:00 am	Breakfast
8:00 am	Walking Transfer to USET Hotel
8:15am	<b>USET Flag Ceremony &amp; Opening Ceremony</b>
9:15 am	Bus Transfer to Capitol Hill for Group Photo
10:00 am	<b>Group Photo</b>
11:30 am	<b>Lunch</b>
1:15 pm	<b>World War II Memorial Study Visit</b>
2:15 pm	Bus Transfer to <b>Hotel</b>
2:45 pm	<b>Tribal Action Initiatives Workshop</b>
4:45 pm	Walking Transfer to USET Hotel
5:00 pm	<b>Tribal Action Initiatives Presentations</b>
6:15 pm	Bus Transfer to <b>Dinner</b>
7:15 pm	Bus Transfer to <b>Theatre</b>
9:30 pm	Bus Transfer to Hotel Student Lounge
10:30 pm	Room Check

## WEDNESDAY

8:00 am	Breakfast
9:00 am	<b>Sovereignty Statement Workshop:</b> Collaborate with your peers to create a statement about Tribal Sovereignty and its importance
10:00 am	Bus Transfer to Panel
10:30 am	<b>Indian Issues Today Panel:</b> Gain insights from experts in Indian law and policy as you prepare to further develop ideas for your Tribal Action Initiative
11:30 am	<b>Neighborhood Study Visit and Lunch:</b> Explore DC off the beaten path, e.g. U Street, Chinatown
2:15 pm	<b>War Memorials Study Visit:</b> What do the Vietnam and Korean War Memorials say about those who have served and sacrificed?
4:45 pm	Bus Transfer to <b>Dinner</b>
6:15 pm	Bus Transfer to Hotel
6:30 pm	<b>USET Presentation</b>
7:30 pm	<b>Sovereignty Statement Workshop Session 2</b>
9:00 pm	Student Lounge
10:00 pm	Room Check

## THURSDAY

7:30 am	Bus Transfer to USET Hotel
8:00 am	<b>Tribal Leadership Breakfast</b>
9:00 am	<b>Sovereignty Statement Council Session</b>
9:30 am	<b>Free Time and Lunch with Chaperone</b>
5:00 pm	<b>USET Mental Health Panel</b>
6:15 pm	<b>Closing Workshop:</b> How will you stay engaged on issues that matter to you?
7:45 pm	<b>Dinner and Closing Remarks</b>
9:00 pm	<b>Student Dance</b> Student Lounge
11:00 pm	Room Check

**FRIDAY**

Depart for Home

\* Workshops are small learning communities comprised of students from various states. Each workshop community is led by the same Close Up Program Instructor for the duration of the trip.

\* Study Visits led by highly-trained instructors provide unique opportunities to learn using historic sites and institutions as living classrooms.

**Sample schedule subject to change.**

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