



WESTERN WASHINGTON  
NATIVE AMERICAN  
EDUCATION CONSORTIUM

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## Healing and Leading the Way with Indigenous Knowledge Educators Conference

**April 27 & 28, 2022**

**8:00 AM – 4:00 PM**

**Emerald Queen Casino/Resort Ballroom & Conference Center**

5580 Pacific Hwy S., Fife, WA 98424

WWNAEC would like to invite you to this important conference on Native Education. With support of local Native American Educational Organizations, we hope to foster relationships that provide direct contact with decision makers from all areas of education. Our goal is to strengthen the web of opportunity, both educationally and culturally, for ALL STUDENTS currently being served in Washington schools.

### Conference Keynotes

#### Jerad Koeppe

(Wukchumni)

- Native Student Program Specialist for
- North Thurston Public Schools
- 2022 Washington State Teacher of the Year
- WWNAEC Board Secretary

#### Mary Wilber

(Osoyoos Indian Band, First Nations Canada)

- Native Education Director for Lake Washington SD, North Shore SD, & Bellevue SD
- WWNAEC Board Historian
- WA State CASA/GAL Vice-Chair
- Traditional Language/Dual Exploration in Public schools

Online registration opens March 2022 @ [www.wwnaec.org](http://www.wwnaec.org); \$200 registration fee

- ◆ Culturally Responsive Teaching
- ◆ Building Partnerships
- ◆ Community for Learning

- ◆ Building Awareness and Knowledge
- ◆ Boarding School Trauma
- ◆ Intergenerational Trauma

**We strongly encourage both Native and non-Native educators come, learn, and participate:**

- ◆ Tribal Council members
- ◆ Superintendents
- ◆ Program Directors
- ◆ Tribal Education Directors
- ◆ Principals
- ◆ Teachers

- ◆ Title III Educators
- ◆ Title VI Parent Committee Members
- ◆ Title VI Student Representatives
- ◆ Colleges
- ◆ Tribal Colleges
- ◆ Guidance Counselors

➤ **Free Clock Hours Available from OSPI**

➤ **Professional Development Approved; Districts can use Title III funding**

➤ **Silent Auction on-site with proceeds supporting WWNAEC Merit Scholarships**

➤ **Native vendors on-site selling arts & crafts**

For More Information, Contact Martha Sherman at 253-517-1000 Ext. 29168

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