American Indian Education Program: 2004-05

At a Glance

The American Indian Education Program (AIEP), a federally funded program, is designed to enhance and supplement core educational services for American Indian students through existing district programs.

The 2004-05 program evaluation focused on a follow-up study of the American Indian Education Program’s student graduates from 2002-2004, rather than on students enrolled in the program in 2004-2005.

FINDINGS

Budget and Expenditures

The program’s estimated budget for the 2004-2005 school year was $145,117. One thousand dollars ($1,000) of this amount was for the program’s evaluation. Personnel salaries, program related training, and instructional materials accounted for the largest portions of the budget and the expenditures.

Program Outcomes

- Nineteen (19) and twenty-five (25) AIEP students graduated in 2002-03 and 2003-04, respectively.

- The 44 AIEP graduates were from 19 schools. Five of the graduates were from the High School for Health Professions at Yvonne A. Ewell Townview Center. Four students each graduated from Bryan Adams, Thomas Jefferson, Seagoville, and W.T. White high schools. American Indian graduates from the remaining 14 high schools ranged from 1 to 3 students.

- Data extracted from the district’s graduate follow-up survey of the class of 2003 showed that 10 of the 19 American Indian graduates for that year responded to the survey. Six of the 10 graduates said they were attending college. Five of the six students indicated they were attending a four-year university, and one was enrolled in a technical business school or a vocational school.