Why We’re Here

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What are some things you are nervous about with applying to college?
Natives in College

First Generation College Students

College Resources

Leaving home

“The Unknown”
Creation of NEF

Started at NC State in 2015

Created in partnership with Colorado State University

At the time, it was the only program of its type in NC.
Importance of the Program

Create college access in Native American communities

Introduce NC State University to prospective students

Building community
What you’ll gain this week

Peer Guidance

Cultural Activities

Experience College Life

Learning about the college process

Finding your home away from home

Cultural Identity
What we ask of you this week

Keep an open mind- and be respectful of others

Be willing to ask questions, and willing to share your thoughts