

CTSI Childcare Assistance Program

The CTSI Childcare Assistance Program provides assistance with childcare expenses to families living within the Tribe's 11-county service area.

To qualify for assistance, parents and children must meet certain eligibility requirements. Parents must be employed or attending school or a job training program. Children must be under age 13 and be either an enrolled member of CTSI, eligible to enroll, or the dependent or descendent of an enrolled Siletz Tribal member.

Applications to apply for the CTSI Childcare Assistance Program are posted on the Tribal website and available at Tribal area offices.

To download the application online, or view the guidelines visit the website at <https://ctsi.nsn.us/childcare-assistance/>.

If you need more information or to request that an application be sent to you, please contact DeAnn Brown, Head Start director, at 541-444-2450 or deannb@ctsi.nsn.us.



2025 Summer Internship Program

Students attending college can apply for the Tribe's 2025 College Students Summer Internship Program.

To be eligible, you must be at least a half-time student attending a two-year or four-year college and in good academic standing.

Applications will be emailed to known students, but if you do not receive an application, please contact 477 Job Development Specialist, Jamie Bokuro, or the 477 staff at any CTSI area office to request an application.

The purpose of the program is to provide a funded internship for Tribal students to gain work experience in their field of study that will help them be competitive in the job market after graduation. There are 10 slots available paid at Tribal minimum wage and for up to 350 hours. Students will be responsible for securing their own placement. We are available to assist, but ultimately it is the student's responsibility to locate and develop a placement. There are a limited number of placements available with the Tribe.

Students selected for the program must complete an orientation, criminal history background check and drug screening.

Placements can begin in June and must be completed by Sept. 30, 2025.

Students should send a completed application and an unofficial copy of transcripts to:

Mail: CTSI
Attn: Summer Internship Program
P.O. Box 549
Siletz, OR 97380

Online: <https://www.ctsi.nsn.us/summer-interns/>
Email: JamieB@ctsi.nsn.us
Fax: 541-444-8334

The deadline to apply for the program is 4:30 p.m. on April 30, 2025. If you have questions about the program, please contact Jamie Bokuro at 541-444-8266.

HIGH SCHOOL THROUGH GRADUATE SCHOOL

STUDENT GRADUATION STOLE PROGRAM

2025 GRADUATES CAN SUBMIT A REQUEST FORM
JANUARY 1ST, 2025 TO MAY 31ST, 2025.

CONTACT AN EDUCATION SPECIALIST FOR AN APPLICATION

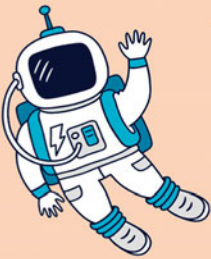
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Applicant must be an enrolled Siletz Tribal member at time of completion/graduation.

CTSI VIRTUAL CULTURE NIGHTS

Upcoming Dates:

Wed. 4/23 at 6 pm: Consent Decree



IN-PERSON LANGUAGE AND CULTURE CLASSES

April: Gathering Hazel

Spring is the time to gather hazel, an important basketry material. Exact gathering trips will depend on weather and conditions but should occur sometime between late-March and early-May at locations near Portland/Salem, Eugene, and Siletz. Contact Nick Viles (contact information below) to get on the list to receive email updates about specific trip dates.

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Questions? Contact Nick Viles at nickv@ctsi.nsn.us or 541-270-5814

ELDER'S WOODCUT 2025

May 17 | Start: 8 a.m. End: 2 p.m.

Come and participate in the elder's woodcutting event.

Snacks, drinks, and lunch will be offered to all participants.

If you have them, bring your gloves, axes, splitters, and chainsaws.

Please ensure you wear eye protection, long-sleeve shirts, and closed-toe shoes.