



# Yuut Elitnaurviat

P E O P L E ' S L E A R N I N G C E N T E R

## REPORT TO THE PEOPLE—FISCAL YEAR 2020

814 Individual Students Served

1,980 Services given in Fiscal Year 2020

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### Qanruyuuteput linruugut (Our Teachings are Medicine)

As our region works to understand and cope with issues of uncertainty, the Board of Directors of Yuut Elitnaurviat continues to lead safely but proactively in training our people to improve their quality of life.

Our first group of Aviation Maintenance students will be graduating in December. We like to say we build off of our successes, and we will be. We now have 50 people interested in the next class to begin in February 2021.

Although we can only have a maximum of 15 students, we are pleased with the interest and look forward to filling the need of aviation organizations in our region.

Our construction classes continue to build six-star energy rated teacher homes in partnership with AVCP and LKSD. We are hoping that before the first snowfall we will have our new state-of-the-art shop built on campus so that our students and instructors will not have to build outdoors in the cold.

We still have a number of different classes continuing throughout the year, like DHAT (Dental Health), CDL (Commercial Driving), CNA (Certified Nursing), AE (Adult Education), and Welding. We look forward to getting our LPN (Licensed Practical Nursing) Program up and running in the future.

Again, Qu yana Cakneq to our State Legislature and Congressional Delegation for all of their hard work to ensure that our region continues to grow in vocational training and economic development. Many thanks to all of our partner organizations who have helped fill the needs and requests of our region.



## Here at Yuut Elitnaurviat in FY20...

**92%**

**OF OUR SERVICES  
WERE TO ALASKA  
NATIVE/AMERICAN  
INDIAN STUDENTS**



**Our student  
population self  
reported as:**



**OUT OF THE STUDENTS WE  
SERVED WHO REPORTED THEIR  
ANNUAL INCOME...**



72% made  
between \$0 and  
\$4,999

22% made  
between \$5,000  
and \$34,999

6% made over  
\$35,000 in a  
year





## LEGISLATIVE BREAKDOWN OF OUR FY20 STUDENT POPULATION:

**77% of our students were from  
House District 38 and Senate  
District S**

**22% of our students were from  
House District 39 and Senate  
District T**



## PERCENTAGE OF OUR FY20 STUDENTS BY NATIONAL CAREER CLUSTER:



**63% - Transportation**



**18% Construction**



**10% Public Safety**



**6% Healthcare**



**3% Aviation Maintenance**

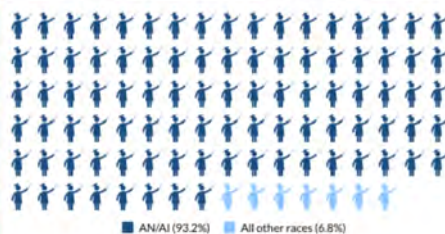




# Alaska Adult Education Program



1648 Services given in FY20  
93% of our Adult Education students were Alaska Native or American Indian



The Bethel Regional AAE Program at Yuut Elitnaurviat offers free tutoring and testing for the GED exam and houses the only PearsonVue testing center in the YK Delta. This year, 12 students earned their GED!





# Construction Trades Program



■ AN/AI (100%)

142 Services given in FY20  
100% of our Construction  
Trades Students were Alaska  
Native or American Indian

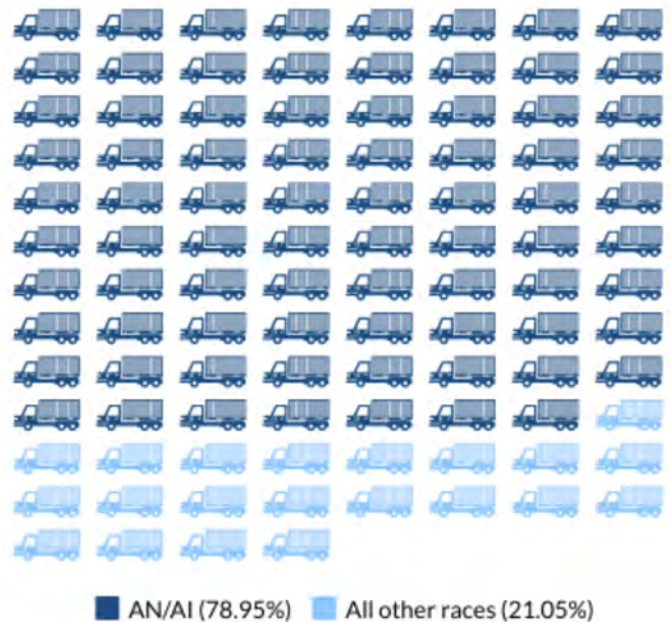
In partnership with AVCP, Yuut held a 35-day Construction Laborer Certificate Program and 95-day Residential Construction and Maintenance Certificate Program with 25 students. Though COVID interrupted the Residential Construction program, the students finished strong completing more than half the training in 45 days while under quarantine.



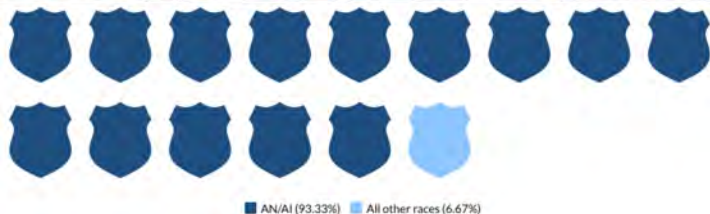


# Driver Education Program

Yuut's Driver Education program served 152 participants in FY20, of which 78% were Alaska Native or American Indian. Program participants use our driving van, so anyone with or without a vehicle can take their road test locally.



# Public Safety Program



15 Services given in FY20  
93% of our Public Safety students were  
Alaska Native or American Indian

Yuut Elitnaurviat's Public Safety program is successful due to our partnerships with AVCP and the State of Alaska Department of Public Safety. Due to the COVID pandemic, Yuut was only able to host one Academy in FY20.





# Healthcare Training Program



8 Services given in FY20

100% of our Certified Nurse Aide students were Alaska Native or American Indian



■ AN/AI (100%)

Yuut Elitnaurviat's Healthcare Training program is successful due to our partnerships with YKHC and the State of Alaska Board of Nursing. Due to the COVID pandemic, Yuut was only able to host one Healthcare Training in FY20.

# Aviation Maintenance Program



4 Services given in FY20

100% of our Aviation Maintenance Technician students were Alaska Native or Native American



Yuut Elitnaurviat's Aviation Maintenance Technician training is expected to graduate its first cohort in December 2020. The next cohort is scheduled to start in February 2021 with up to 15 students. Good luck to Cohort #1!

■ AN/AI (100%)



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## *Preparing Local Workers for Local High-Wage Jobs*

### How do I get involved in all this training?



Yuut Elitnaurviat offers training programs in response to employment demand from the nine partner organizations which make up our Board of Directors. Openings are posted on our website: [www.yuut.org](http://www.yuut.org) and on our Facebook page: [www.facebook.com/YuutElitnaurviat](https://www.facebook.com/YuutElitnaurviat). You can also contact us by phone at (907) 543-0999 for more information.