

JOM FAQs:

What is JOM?

The Johnson-O'Malley Act of 1934 was passed on April 16, 1934, to subsidize education, medical attention, and other services provided by States or Territories to Native Americans living within their borders. Today, the Johnson-O'Malley program's purpose is to financially assist those efforts designed to meet the specialized and unique educational needs of eligible Native American students, including programs supplemental to the regular school program and school operational support, where such support is necessary to maintain established State educational standards.

What is a CDIB?

Certificate of Degree of Indian Blood is an official U.S. document that certifies an individual possesses a specific degree of Native American blood of a federally recognized Indian tribe,, band, nation, pueblo, village, or community.

How do I enroll my child with JOM?

The JOM Program requires the student to possess tribal membership of a federally recognized tribe. Written documentation must be provided, such as tribal membership card/letter or CDIB, to Rhenda Gills, JOM Coordinator.

What does JOM provide?

JOM provides school supplies, backpacks, supply fee payments, Graduation cap and gown, ACT Voucher, one per year, and reimbursement for portion of athletic shoes once per year.

How do I get JOM to pay my child's fees?

JOM will pay in-house fees automatically. School supplies and backpacks will be delivered to the students home room. For reimbursement of athletic shoes, a receipt must be provided to Rhenda Gills, JOM Coordinator.

Who should I contact?

Send all emails to rgills@binger-oney.k12.ok.us or call the school at 405-656-2304 ext. 226.