Greetings NACA Families!!

We hope you and your families are doing well and staying active during this time.

Thankfully, due to a partnership with the NACA Inspired Schools Network (NISN), we have an
exciting announcement for our families and community. Effective immediately, we are opening
an application to the #StrongerTogether Relief Fund for families who are experiencing
hardship to receive an emergency response stipend of $500. The deadline for this first round of
applications is May 13th at 4pm. Please acknowledge that funds are limited, and all applications
must be completely filled out to be considered. We recognize that this is a quick turnaround so a
second round of stipends will be announced pending available funding. Families will receive
notification of awards on May 15th. The application is available on this link AND can be found
on our website: www.nacaschool.org.

This initiative lives in our core values of Community and Service as well as Relationship
Wellness. NACA was founded on the belief/value that our communities know what we need to
heal and grow. We know that children are counting on their families and communities to get
through this time. Yes, Indigenous Education at NACA is about delivering high-quality learning
opportunities. It is also about leaning into our traditional ways and stepping up to help maintain
the holistic wellness of our communities. Our communities and families have needs including
access to quality food, water, basic needs (cleaning supplies, toiletries, etc), and assistance
with bills. It’s important as a school that we be good relatives. To our families, we see you, we
see your family’s strengths and we will step up to support you. You matter. This moment is
about recognizing our collective power and knowing we can take care of each other. We are
#StrongerTogether!

If you have questions or need assistance with the application, please reach out to the respective
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- Middle School, Azella Humetewa (humetewa_a@nacaschool.org)
- High School, Mikki Carroll (carroll@nacaschool.org)

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Respectfully,
NACA Staff and Teachers

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