
Strength in Numbers: Tribal Membership in Oregon

1. Use the "Number of tribal members" column to find the total number of enrolled tribal members in Oregon.

2. Below is a list of some Oregon cities and their populations. Circle the two cities that have populations closest to the number you found in the first problem.

Grants Pass: 37,088	Redmond: 28,654	Oregon City: 35,831
McMinnville: 33,892	West Linn: 26,593	Woodburn: 25,173
Tualatin: 27,154	Forest Grove: 23,897	Newberg: 22,780

3. In math, an **average** is a central number that represents a list of numbers. To find an average, you add the total of all numbers in the list. Next, you divide that total by the number of items in a list. Using the formula below, find the average number of members in an Oregon tribe.

$$\underline{\hspace{2cm}} \div \underline{\hspace{2cm}} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

Total number of enrolled tribal members in Oregon (you found this number in the first problem) *Number of federally recognized tribes in Oregon* *Average number of members in an Oregon tribe*

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4. Most tribal nations on your list have a “Number of tribal members” and a “Number of people employed by the tribe.” Calculate how many tribal members each tribe has per staff person. To find this number, follow the formula below. Write your answers on the next page.

$$\frac{\text{Number of tribal members}}{\text{Number of people employed by the tribe}} = \text{Number of tribal members per staff person}$$

Name of federally recognized tribe	Number of tribal members per staff person
Burns Paiute of Harney County	
Confederated Tribes of Coos, Lower Umpqua and Siuslaw Indians	
Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde	
Confederated Tribes of Siletz	
Confederated Tribes of Umatilla Reservation	<i>(Not enough information to find the answer)</i>
Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs	
Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Indians	
Coquille Indian Tribe	
Klamath Tribes	