## Spirit and Intentions for 2024-2025

Spirit and	Action to be taken	Ownership	Progress
Intentions			
Students	To have more Indigenous youth involved on campus	Ind. Student Advisor	
	To recruit Indigenous youth to attend UPEI	Recruitment office	
	To review Indigenous students' attendance	UPEI/IKERAS	
	To hold more Mawi'omi on campus	UPEI/IKREAS/Ind Community	
	To review the self-declaration application form with the registrar's office	VP Advisor	
	To review Elders with UPEI's student account	IKERAS	
	To develop a retention plan for Indigenous students	Student Services/IKERAS	
	To design academic support specifically for Indigenous students	Student Services/IKERAS	
	To increase smudging areas on campus	VP Advisor	
	To establish a full-time Indigenous student advisor	Student Services	
	To add Indigenous culture to New Student Orientation week	Student Union/Student Advisor.	
	To create an Indigenous student guidebook	IKERAS/VP Advisor	
Faculty and	To create and support a Senior Executive/Administrative position in	UPEI	
Staff	Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation	UPEI	
	To increase Indigenous faculty and staff	UPEI	
	To clarify the role of the Indigenous Student Advisor	Student Services/IKE	
	To build relationships with other faculties	IKERAS/VP Advisor	
	To support capacity-building events within the Mawi'omi Indigenous Student Centre	UPEI/IKERAS	
Education	To hold a conference for Indigenous scholars in the Atlantic region	IKERAS/VP Advisor	
	To hold Elders' meetings on campus	IKERAS/VP & Student Advisor	
	To hold more Mawi'omi on campus	UPEI/IKERAS/Student Advisor	
	To have Elders and Knowledge Keepers more visible on campus	IKE/St. Advisor/Ind. Community	
	To hold seminars on Indigenous identity	UPEI/IKERAS/VP Advisor	
	To host luncheon seminars with Elders and Knowledge Keepers	IKERAS/VP Advisor/Ind Comm	
	To pre-record language, traditions, land acknowledgment, and cultural	Library/IKERAS/Ind Community	
	teachings to be housed on IKERAS website		
	To create an Indigenous web portal	IKERAS/Library/Ind Community	
	To develop field and land-based pedagogy	IKERAS/Library	

	To develop a diploma in Mi'kmaq language To create in-service Indigenous teaching practices To develop summer preparatory programs for Indigenous high school students To introduce a case-management approach for monitoring students, especially in first-year programs	VP Advisor/IKERAS IKE/VP Advisor/Ind Community VP & Student Advisor/UPEI/IKE Student Services/Student Advisor
Research	To improve data collection from Indigenous students	Registrar's Office
Governance	To establish partnerships with Indigenous communities off and on reserve To establish an Indigenous Learning Fund To create Indigenous bursaries and scholarships To re-establish the Indigenous Advisory Council focused on governance and community engagement To provide support for TRC's Calls to Action and MMIWG's Calls for Justice	UPEI/IKERAS/Ind Community UPEI/IKERAS/Ind Community UPEI/IKERAS/Ind Community Risk Management (Ouma) UPEI Community
Safe Space	To be more visible and active on campus To establish an Elders' room on campus To hold Indigenous youth summer camps To hold annual Pow wows To plant an Indigenous community garden To establish a winter lodge To create a Traditionalist-in-residence position	VP Advisor/IKE/Student Advisor UPEI/VP Advisor UPEI/IKERAS/Ind Community UPEI/IKERAS/Ind Community UPEI/IKERAS/Ind Community UPEI/IKERAS/Ind Community UPEI/IKERAS/Ind Community UPEI/IKERAS/VP Advisor/Ind. Community