



# SECTION FOUR

## Location and Facilities

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### **Location**

Blackfeet Community College is located on the Blackfeet Indian Reservation on Highway 2 & 89 in Browning, Montana. The campus headquarters' physical address is 504 Southeast Boundary Street, located in the administration area of the Beaver Painted Lodge.

Browning serves as the center of trade and cultural activities for those living within the boundaries of the reservation. The town hosts services provided by the Blackfeet Tribal Offices, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Indian Health Services, School District #9, and local businesses.

# Campus Facilities

Blackfeet Community College is a public institution and, except for restricted and high-security areas, is accessible to the public during normal building hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (time, place, and manner restrictions apply). Except for essential personnel and services, and others as designated, buildings are locked and access is permitted only with proper authorization from the college president after hours. Individuals must provide identification and/or facility use agreement after normal building hours for after-hours activities.

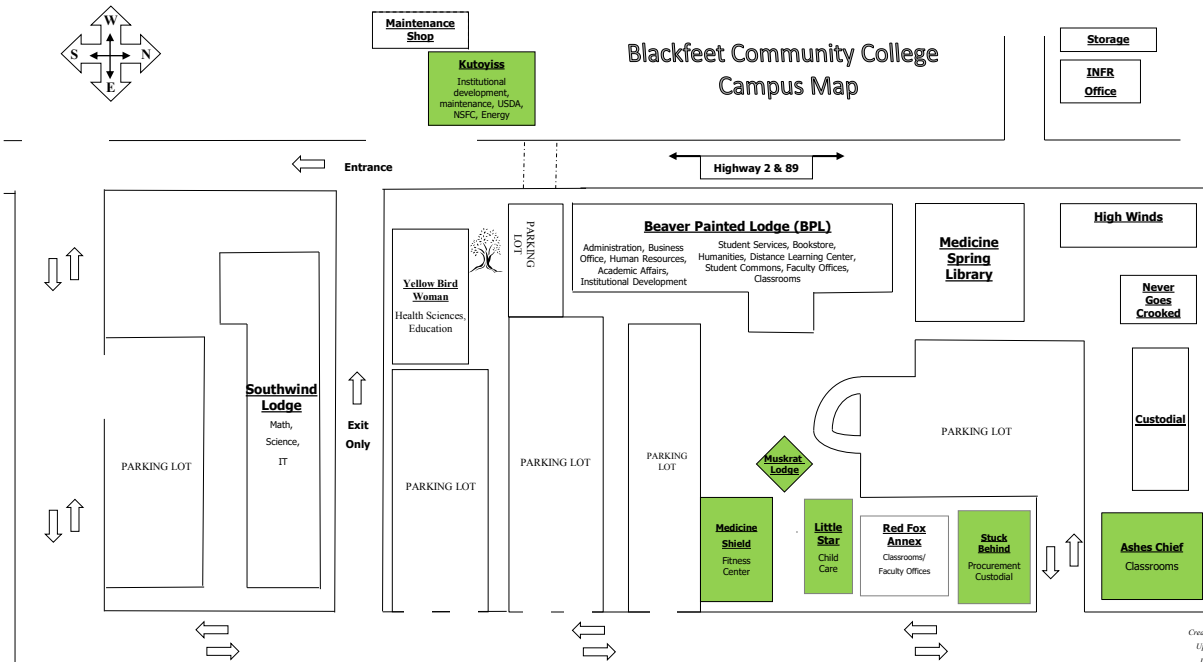
Clery Act geography includes buildings and property that are part of the institution's campus and public sidewalks, street crossings, and parking lots adjacent to and

accessible from the campus.

## 1. Administration Addition

## 2. Ksík stakii kokan / Beaver Painted Lodge (BPL)

Beaver Painted Lodge serves as the campus headquarters. Administrative offices (President's Office, Administrative Assistants for President and Academic Affairs, Human Resources Office, Business Office, Office of Research, Grants, and Contracts, and Security Office) are located at the south entrance. The Office of Student Success (including Provost, Student Success Center, Registrar's Office, Financial Aid Office, Admissions, and Behavioral Health Division offices) is conveniently located at the mid-



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dle entrance of the Beaver Painted Lodge. The north entrance of BPL opens up to the Student Commons area, with accommodation to the Career Center, Learning Center, Bookstore, and Snack Shop. The middle entrance provides access to the Liberal Arts Division offices, Piikani Studies Division offices, classrooms and computer labs.

The Blackfeet Community College Bookstore provides textbooks, school supplies, office supplies, a full array of Blackfeet and Native American books and Blackfeet language resources. Jackets, t-shirts, book bags, and various clothing items are available. The BCC Bookstore hours are 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (open through noon) on Monday through Friday.

You may contact the Bookstore for more information on refunds for textbooks/return policy/book buyback. Updated Student IDs are required for all purchases and returns of all books and supplies. Receipts are required for any exchange or refund. The date of purchase and condition of the book will determine if the book is returnable. A refund will be granted (based on condition) if returned by the last day to charge.

### **3. Natoi-ksis-kom / Medicine Spring Library**

Medicine Spring Library provides a full range of information services to students, faculty, staff, and the community at large. Resources include 20,000 books; 125,000

e-books; 132 magazine, journal, and newspaper titles; videos; DVDs; and 7 database collections. 14 public computers are available as well as 10 laptops for student check-out. All computers have access to the Internet, and Wi-Fi services are available both in the building and in the parking lot.

Patrons can borrow items not available in the library through Interlibrary Loan services.

As the designated Tribal Library and Archives, Medicine Spring Library continues to develop and maintain special collections of resources relating to Blackfeet culture and history. A digitized video collection is available online.

The library is both the academic library for Blackfeet Community College and the community library for the Blackfeet Reservation. The library engages its patrons through a variety of activities to facilitate a love of learning from the youngest to the oldest members of our community. Activities include story time, and an active play area for children, community lectures, book club, family activities, open mic night, an annual art show, and teen/pre-teen activities.

During the academic year, the library is open 48 hours per week, Monday through Thursday 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m., and Friday 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Extended hours are offered before and during both midterms

and finals. During the summer, the library is open 40 hours per week, from 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Please contact Medicine Spring Library for alternate schedules at (406) 338-5441, extension 2701.

#### **4. Highwinds Building**

The Highwinds Building, previously known as the Technology Building, is a multipurpose facility located on the main campus just off-highway. The facility accommodates classroom space and has been revitalized in response to COVID-19 social distancing protocols.

#### **5. Never Goes Crooked Building**

The Never Goes Crooked Building is located on the north campus. It is an original two-story log building providing as-needed office space.

#### **6. Custodial Storage**

The custodial building is the headquarters for custodial storage and supplies.

#### **7. Ashes Chief Building**

The Ashes Chief Building is an experiential learning classroom and is also used for ceremony requests. Solar upgrades were made in spring 2021.

#### **8. Stuck Behind Building**

Custodial and Procurement headquarters

operate out of this central building. Solar upgrades in spring 2021.

#### **9. Red Fox Building**

The Red Fox Building is located on the northeast side of campus and provides office space for Business Division faculty with classrooms suitable to accommodate larger class sizes. Solar upgrades in spring 2021.

#### **10. Little Star BCC Child Care**

BCC Daycare provides community child-care services (0-3 years of age) for students, staff, and faculty on campus. Solar upgrades in spring 2021.

#### **11. Muskrat Lodge**

The Multimedia Communications Office is located on the south side of the building. On the north side of the building, the Liberal Arts department has a sponsored student art room for campus art projects. Solar upgrades in spring 2021.

#### **12. Medicine Shield Fitness Center**

The Fitness Center is located on the east side of the main campus just below Beaver Painted Lodge. The Fitness Center provides a weightlifting room, floor exercise room, showers, and bathrooms to accommodate students, staff, and faculty and a facility to exercise and maintain physical fitness. Hours of operation are 7:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 7:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Fridays (Closed on Saturday and Sunday). Solar upgrade spring 2021.

### **13. Ohtokwii Piiksakii / Yellow Bird Woman Lodge**

The Yellow Bird Woman is a newly constructed facility on campus. The building opened fall semester of 2018 to accommodate the Nursing Division, Elementary Education, and Early Childhood Education Divisions Offices, classrooms, and skills lab with exam rooms. A multi-purpose classroom is available to accommodate large lectures and community presentations. A model classroom has computer lab capabilities for testing.

### **14. South Wind Lodge**

The South Wind Lodge is located at the main entrance of the campus. Constructed in 2010, it is a LEED Platinum-certified building that features green energy technology. South Wind Lodge is the first of its kind to be constructed in Montana and on tribal college campuses across the nation. The building consists of Math and Science Division offices and state-of-the-art science labs and classrooms. It also houses the Information Technology Department and server room.

### **15. Kutoyis Building**

The Kutoyis Building is located on the west side of campus across U.S. Highway 2 & 89. The building includes office space for Institutional Development staff, including the USDA Extension Office and Native Science Field Center. There are two small classrooms and a shop area.

### **16. Maintenance Shop**

The Maintenance Shop is used to store maintenance equipment and is accessible by the facility staff.

### **17. Storage**

Cold storage facilities are located across highway 2/89 adjacent to campus by the crosswalk. Access to the facility is limited upon request by campus departments and divisions through maintenance.

### **18. Greenhouse Facility**

The Blackfeet Community College Greenhouse is located on the east campus and managed by the USDA Extension Office. The area is designated for future development for land grant-related programming. Community gardens and raised beds combine the traditional wisdom of past generations with solar power and new technologies. The facilities provide space for an off-grid facility that operates from solar energy and a climate-controlled facility to grow plants in the winter.