



Become a Hub Subscriber

Local Contexts is a non-profit organization dedicated to supporting Indigenous data sovereignty and cultural authority. Our mission is to create a sustainable digital infrastructure for community governance of Indigenous data. To realize this mission, we must be able to support and sustain our operations over multiple generations.

Our Local Contexts Subscription program is a fundamental component of our sustainability program. It is based on mutual trust and respect, and acknowledges power imbalances between Indigenous communities and institutions and organizations that hold Indigenous cultural and other heritage materials, genetic resources, and knowledge.

What is a Subscriber?

We encourage any museum, library, repository, university, research group, or other organization that supports Indigenous data sovereignty to become a Local Contexts Subscriber. As a Subscriber, you agree to the protocols for using Notices and Labels and commit to supporting Indigenous data sovereignty.

What are the benefits of a subscription?

We offer free subscriptions specifically for use of Collections Care Notices.

Each paid subscription provides unlimited use of TK and BC Notices and Labels following usage guidelines. All paid subscription tiers include the ability to create an account and create Projects, unlimited use of TK and BC Notices and Labels following usage guidelines, access to API keys to integrate Local Contexts Notices and Labels into systems and workflows — including connecting to our Service Provider platforms — and the ability to issue notifications to Indigenous communities.

Subscription types

The following table shows benefits by subscription tier. Our goal is to balance staff effort while building connections that further Indigenous data sovereignty. All organizational subscribers have the option to add bundles for additional Users, API Keys, Projects, or Notifications.

Subscription Type and Fee	Users with Editor Permission	API Keys	Projects	Notices and Labels	Notifications
Individual US\$500	1	1	3/yr	Unlimited	6/yr
Small US\$1250	3	1	15/yr	Unlimited	24/yr
Medium US\$5000	5	3	30/yr	Unlimited	30/yr
Large US\$10,000	10	5	50/yr	Unlimited	50/yr
User Bundle	5 @ \$1500				
API Bundle		3 @ \$1500			
Project Bundle			10 @ \$1500		
Notification Bundle					10 @ \$1500

Where can I find more information?

- Information about Local Contexts and subscriber policies and agreements is available on our website: www.LocalContexts.org
- Contact us with questions: support@localcontexts.org
- Register for a Hub account: LocalContextsHub.org