

Tribal Information

Mescalero Apache Tribe

Consultation & Collaboration:
A Starting Point for Museums
and Indigenous Tribes

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PREFERRED NAME(S):

The Mescalero Apache Tribe
(federally recognized name)

Ndé Bizaa'
(name in Apache)

TRADITIONAL LANGUAGE(S):

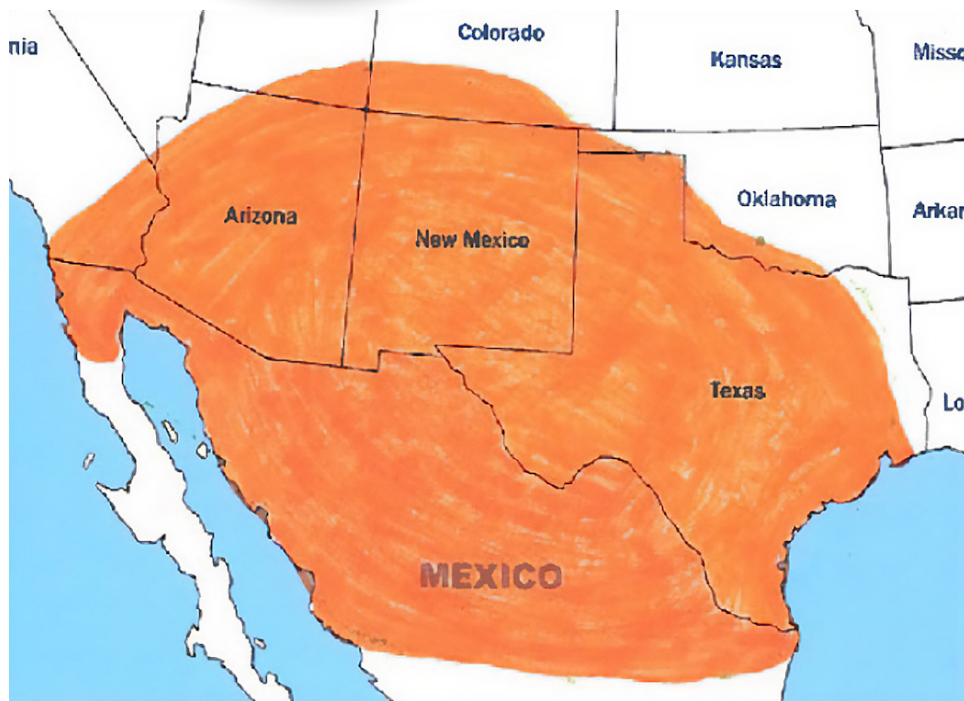
**Mescalero Apache, Chiricahua
and Lipan Apache also spoken on
reservation**

WEBSITE:

www.mescaleroapachetribe.com/

GENERAL CONTACT FOR TRIBAL
ADMINISTRATION OFFICES:

(575) 464-4494



TxDOT Tribal History:

[ftp.txdot.gov/pub/txdot-info/
env/toolkit/415-07-rpt.pdf](http://ftp.txdot.gov/pub/txdot-info/env/toolkit/415-07-rpt.pdf)

THC Tribal Contacts list:

[www.thc.texas.gov/project-
review/tribal-consultation-
guidelines/tribal-contacts](http://www.thc.texas.gov/project-review/tribal-consultation-guidelines/tribal-contacts)

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Tribal Government:

Divided into 3 branches -
Executive, Legislative, &
Judicial

Executive branch - elected
President & Vice President,
appointed Secretary &
Treasurer

Legislative branch - elected
8-member Tribal Council

Ancestral lands

Map provided by Mescalero Apache Tribal Historic Preservation Office.

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REAL PLACES TELLING REAL STORIES

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THE ROAD
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MUSEUM