



Hunting & Gathering Exercise

Self-directed and timed internet informational hunting & gathering exercise that will facilitate cultural competency while taking participants to exciting Native American websites. Remember this exercise is to increase your knowledge of American Indians' cultures, communities, relationship with America, and some of their concerns to build an understanding of the diversity of the indigenous people on Turtle Island. Good luck!

Start the Hunting & Gathering Exercise by first taking the Native IQ Test: Note your score.

<http://www.understandingprejudice.org/nativeiq/>

1. Treaties

<http://www.glifwc.org/>

<http://www.answers.com/topic/what-is-a-treaty>

<http://www.glifwc.org/publications/index.html>

<http://www.glifwc.org/TreatyRights/treatyright.html#>

<http://www.ecb.org/engage/OjibweTreatyRights.htm>

<http://www.mpm.edu/wirp/ICW-94.html>

<http://digital.library.okstate.edu/kappler/Vol2/toc.htm>

<http://www.mpm.edu/wirp/ICW-112.html>

<http://minnesota.publicradio.org/display/web/2010/04/20/fishing-protest/?refid=0>

http://www.wisconsinhistory.org/highlights/archives/2006/05/ojibwe_treaty_r.asp

<http://www.answers.com/topic/what-is-a-treaty>

<http://www.gov.bc.ca/arr/treaty/faq.html>

Question:

- A. What are treaties and treaty rights? How many treaties were signed into agreement by the Anishinabek (Chippewa/Ojibwe, Ottawa, and Pottawatomi)?
- B. What are some rights retained by the Anishinabe (Ojibwe, Ottawa, and Pottawatomi Tribes) of the Great Lakes Area? What types of conflicts are caused for the Anishinabek People when they exercise their treaty rights?
- C. Are you for or against protecting the treaty rights? Explain your position and give your reasons.



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of Anishinabe Culture & Lifeways

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MUSEUM: 989-775-4750 • WWW.SAGCHIP.ORG/ZIIBIWING
WEBSTORE: 989-775-4783 • WWW.NATIVEDIRECT.COM

2. Threats to sovereignty

<http://www.airpi.org/pubs/indinsov.html>

<http://www.sagchip.org/council/events/2000/082800-sovereignty-defined.htm>

http://www.airpi.org/research/st98cont_congress.html

http://uk.ask.com/wiki/Tribal_sovereignty_in_the_United_States

<http://www.bauuinstitute.com/Articles/NativeAmericanSovereignNations.html>

<http://www.bia.gov/FAQs/index.htm>

<http://www.ratical.org/ratville/NewTerminators.html>

<http://www.treatycouncil.org/home.htm>

<http://www.bluecorncomics.com/sovreign.htm>

<http://www.law.harvard.edu/news/spotlight/constitutional-law/tribal-sovereignty-.html>

http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/amex/weshallremain/native_now/sovereignty_educate

<http://www.sagchip.org/council/events/2009/2009-0514-BoundaryDisputeSettledInFavorOfTribe.htm>

<http://www.lsa.umich.edu/umma/nagpra/faq>

<http://www.culturalsurvival.org/news/united-states/supreme-court-decision-reinforces-native-american-rights>

Question: Define sovereignty. Do the indigenous people of the United States have sovereign rights because of the treaties between their nation and the United States? What or who threatens tribal governments' sovereign rights?

3. American Indians and the United States Constitution

<http://www.flashpointmag.com/amindus.htm>

Article 1, Section 8, Clause 3, U.S. Constitution

Question: Which branch of the U.S. Government has the exclusive right and power to regulate trade and affairs with the American Indian tribes? What was the motive to deal with the tribes as sovereign nations?

4. Manifest Destiny

<http://odur.let.rug.nl/~usa/E/manifest/manifxx.htm>

2/6 The Components of Manifest Destiny

4/6 The New Manifest Destiny

Question: What does Manifest Destiny mean? What does Manifest Destiny have to do with the expansion of the American borders in the 1800s, Hawaii, Philippines, Guam, and Puerto Rico, plus the annihilation of American Indians?

5. Genocide through Americanization

<http://hnn.us/articles/7302.html>

http://www.yale.edu/gsp/colonial/world_map_indigenous.html

<http://etext.virginia.edu/jefferson/quotations/jeff1300.htm>

<http://academic.udayton.edu/Race/02rights/native05.htm>

http://www.operationmorningstar.org/A_Holocaust_The_American_Brand.htm

Question: Were American Indians the victims of genocide? Read up on the subject. Take a stand and state two reasons based upon facts that defend your stand.

6. American Indian Boarding School

<http://www.npr.org/templates/story/story.php?storyId=16516865>

<http://www.whitebison.org/boarding-school-apology/forgiveness-journey-video.htm>

<http://www.whitebison.org/wellbriety-journey/>

<http://www.sagchip.org/council/events/2009/2009-0617-JourneyForForgiveness/061709-JourneytoForgiveness.htm>

http://clarke.cmich.edu/resource_tab/native_americans_in_michigan/treaty_rights/federal_education_policy/federal_education_policy_index.html

<http://www.npr.org/player/v2/mediaPlayer.html?action=1&t=1&islist=false&id=16516865&m=90366243>

<http://www.npr.org/templates/story/story.php?storyId=17645287>

<http://www.npr.org/templates/story/story.php?storyId=16516865&ps=rs>

<http://www.twofrog.com/rezsch.html>

http://www.english.illinois.edu/maps/poets/a_f/erdrich/boarding/gallery.htm

<http://content.lib.washington.edu/aipnw/marr.html>

<http://www.racebridgesforschools.com/wp/?p=208>

<http://diverseeducation.com/article/10281/>

<http://www.whitebison.org/>

http://gbgm-umc.org/global_news/full_article.cfm?articleid=3379

<http://www.boardingschoolhealingproject.org/index.html>

<http://www.whitebison.org/wellbriety-journey/News090617-Mt-Pleasant-Indian-Industrial-School.htm>

<http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~asylums/mtpleasanttraining/>

<https://scholarsbank.uoregon.edu/xmlui/handle/1794/4325>

<http://www.hiddenfromhistory.org/>

http://findarticles.com/p/articles/mi_6793/is_2_46/ai_n31414727/?tag=content;coll

<http://www.loc.gov/pictures/resource/pan.6a06568/>

http://indiancountrynews.net/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=4377

http://www.sagchip.org/ziibiwing/aboutus/articles/Man_recalls_time_at_Indian_School_1920.htm

<http://www.indiancountrytoday.com/national/47534227.html>

<http://www.archives.gov/great-lakes/finding-aids/mt-pleasant-student-case-files.html>

http://www.familysearch.org/eng/library/fhlcatalog/supermainframeset.asp?display=titledetails&titleno=1246319&disp=Pupil+registers+for+Mt%2E+Pleasant+India%20%20&columns=*,0,0

http://www.nativetimes.com/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=3651:apology-to-tribes-us-apologizes-to-american-indians-formistreatment&catid=54&Itemid=30

Question:

- A. What year did American Indian Boarding Schools begin? Why were they developed? What are some of the complaints by former students of these Indian Boarding Schools?
- B. Tell five facts about the Mt. Pleasant Industrial Indian Boarding School.
- C. What is intergenerational historical trauma? How does intergenerational historical trauma impact Indian Country today? What is the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe of Michigan doing to help heal their community?

7. U. S. Laws

http://www.ncai.org/fileadmin/initiatives/NCAI_Indian_Nations_In_The_US.pdf

<http://www.america.gov/st/washfile-english/2006/November/20061106163901bpuh0.5341455.html>

<http://www.nps.gov/history/nagpra/>

<http://www.answers.com/topic/american-indian-religious-freedom-act>

<http://www.nps.gov/history/local-law/nhpa1966.htm>

<http://www.answers.com/1992+Amendments+to+the+National+Historic+Preservation+Act>

<http://www.answers.com/Native+American+Language+Act>

<http://www.answers.com/Executive+Order+%2313007+on+Native+American+Sacred+Sites>

<http://www.answers.com/Executive+Order+%2313175+on+Consultation+and+Coordination+with+Tribal+Governments>.

<http://www.michbar.org/journal/pdf/pdf4article716.pdf>

<http://www.narf.org/nill/bulletins/dct/2004dct.htm>

Question: What laws serve to protect American Indian cultures and serves to correct some of the damages from the past? Pick one of these laws and tell me how it helps American Indians.

8. Federally Recognized Tribes of Michigan

http://www.aaanativearts.com/tribes-by-states/michigan_tribes.htm

<http://www.ncsl.org/default.aspx?tabid=13278>

http://www.michigan.gov/dhs/0,1607,7-124-5452_7124_7209-216627--,00.html

<http://www.kstrom.net/isk/maps/tribesnonrec.html#michigan>

<http://law.onecle.com/michigan/435-sundays-and-holidays/mcl-435-161.html>

http://www.michigan.gov/documents/MID05_125020_7.pdf

http://www.michigan.gov/documents/indiancountry_31994_7.pdf

Question:

- A. How many tribes in Michigan have federal recognition today? Pick one and give five facts about the tribe after visiting the tribe's webpage.
- B. What American Indian Reservations are located in Michigan? How many Michigan tribes do not have federal recognition?
- C. When is Michigan Indian Day? Why is there a Michigan Indian Day?

9. MI Public Act 174 of 1976 then amended Act 505 of 1978

<http://www.ask.com/web?q=What+is+the+MI+Indian+Tuition+Wavier&search=&qsrc=0&o=0&l=dir>

<http://www.sagchip.org/education/higher-ed/2010-0723-MITW-RestrictionsGoInPlace.htm>

http://www.michigan.gov/documents/mdcr/faqsmitw_329746_7.pdf

<http://ipr.interlochen.org/ipr-news-features/episode/9217>

<http://www.airpi.org/pubs/indinsov.html>

<http://www.ecb.org/engage/OjibweTreatyRights.htm>

<http://www.sagchip.org/tribalobserver/archive/2010-swf/100110-v21i10.htm> page 20

Question:

- A. What is the Michigan Indian Tuition Waiver (MITW) and who administers it?
- B. Who is eligible for the waiver as of this year (2010)?
- C. What changes were made to the MI TW that limits eligibility? Does the Michigan Civil Rights Commission have the right to make these changes?

10. Columbus Day

<http://www.reconsidercolumbusday.org/Home.html>

<http://www.hartford-hwp.com/Taino/docs/columbus.html>

<http://www.examiner.com/progressive-in-washington-dc/reconsider-columbus-day>

<http://nativeunity.blogspot.com/2005/10/why-celebrate-columbus-day.html>

<http://srwolf.com/dialectic/Chapter6.htm>

<http://www.russellmeansfreedom.com/2010/columbus-day/>

Question: Why do some American Indians and Americans protest the celebration of Columbus Day?

11. Thanksgiving

<http://hnn.us/articles/406.html>

<http://brokenmystic.wordpress.com/2008/11/27/the-truth-about-thanksgiving-brainwashing-of-the-american-history-textbook/>

http://www.google.com/#q=The+truth+about+thanksgiving&hl=en&rlz=1R2ADRA_enUS382&prmd=iv&tbs=tl:1&tbo=u&ei=yz3GTJKtLsOfngfNg9GPAQ&sa=X&oi=timeline_result&ct=title&resnum=13&ved=0CEwQ5wIwDA&fp=956ab502b015b9a1

<http://links.org.au/node/753>

<http://www.ewetribe.com/NACulture/articles/thanksgiving.html>

Question: Does your family celebrate Thanksgiving? Why do some American Indians choose not to celebrate Thanksgiving? Did you learn about the real Thanksgiving in school? What does Thanksgiving mean to you and your family?

12. Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe of Michigan & The Ziibiwing Center

<http://www.sagchip.org/>

<http://www.sagchip.org/ziibiwing/index.htm>

<http://www.cmich.edu/x223.xml>

<http://www.migiziedc.com/>

http://www.sagchip.org/ziibiwing/aboutus/articles/Native_Bones_Found_In_Flint.htm

<http://www.sagchip.org/tribalobserver/archive/2010-swf/100110-v21i10.htm> Page 1

<http://turtletalk.wordpress.com/2010/09/09/saginaw-chippewa-repatriation-news/>

<http://www.themorningsun.com/articles/2010/10/21/news/srv0000009727760.txt>

<http://ziibiwing.wordpress.com/>

<http://www.lsa.umich.edu/umma/nagpra/faq>

Question: Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe of Michigan:

- A. What bands make up the tribe? The tribal government is comprised of how many council members? Who is the current chief?
- B. What services does the Saginaw Chippewa Government provide for its people? What types of businesses do they own? What is their language? What educational services do they offer?
- C. How does the Saginaw Chippewa Tribe support and care for Mid Michigan's residences and programs? Who is the largest employer in Isabella County?

Ziibiwing Center:

- A. What services does the Ziibiwing Center offer? What's the name of our permanent exhibit and its meaning?
- B. What can you find in the Media Room? What is Manoomin and how is it used?
- C. What is NAGPRA? What repatriation efforts is the Ziibiwing Center involved with on behalf of the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe of Michigan.

D. How can you support the mission of the Ziibiwing Center?

13. Warriors

http://findarticles.com/p/articles/mi_m1272/is_2712_133/ai_n6198803/

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/American_Indian_civil_rights

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/American_Indian_Movement

<http://www.aimovement.org/iitc/index.html>

http://www.finalcall.com/artman/publish/article_5011.shtml

http://www.longestwalk.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=882&Itemid=121

<http://www.motherearthwaterwalk.com/>

<http://northfieldnews.com/news.php?viewStory=54937>

<http://headwatersnews.net/feature/taking-a-stand-sacred-site-celebrated-despite-citizen-arrest/>

<http://treaty.indigenousnative.org/mtnet.html>

<http://www.orionmagazine.org/index.php/articles/article/305/>

http://nativeharvest.com/winona_laduke

<http://hubpages.com/hub/History-of-Native-American-Activism-on-Alcatraz-Island>

Question: Who are some of the warriors/advocates of the indigenous people of America? What rights are they fighting to protect? What are some of the American Indian Organizations that battle for justice and protection for American Indians?

14. National Congress of American Indians

<http://www.ncai.org/>

http://www.ncai.org/fileadmin/initiatives/NCAI_Indian_Nations_In_The_US.pdf

<http://www.bia.gov/FAQs/index.htm>

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Federally_recognized_tribes

Question: What services/role does the National Congress of American Indians provide? How many federally recognized tribes are there in America? Is the Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe of Michigan a member of the National Congress of American Indians organization?

15. Stereotypes

http://www.ask.com/wiki/Stereotypes_of_Native_Americans

http://www.unr.edu/nnap/nt/i-8_9.htm

<http://www.sagchip.org/ziibiwing/aboutus/pdf/7Grandfathers.pdf>

<http://www.powhatan.org/pocc.html>

https://circle.ubc.ca/bitstream/handle/2429/7322/ubc_2009_spring_grant_brianne.pdf;jsessionid=D5FCB0FECF1FB5A0B3747E1CEE545ED?sequence=1

<http://www.hanksville.org/storytellers/pewe/writing/Rename.html>

<http://www.hanksville.org/sand/stereotypes/>

<http://www.nativeculturelinks.com/ailabib.htm>

<http://www.centerwest.org/events/identity/index.php>

<http://www.culturalsurvival.org/ourpublications/csqa/article/telling-their-own-stories-native-american-stereotypes-art>

<http://www.nativelegalupdate.com/2010/07/articles/eclipse-fails-to-block-out-native-stereotypes/>

<http://www.fightmediastereotypes.bravehost.com/>

<http://stereotype.drumhop.com/Reality.html>

<http://www.faqs.org/periodicals/201001/1952859401.html>

<http://www.wrpc.net/articles/72/>

Question: Does racism affect Native Americans today? What are some stereotypes used to hurt and oppress Native Americans? What was your score on the Native IQ Test? What can you do to stop racism and misconception?

Retake the Native IQ Test: Note your score, and compare it to your first score.

<http://www.understandingprejudice.org/nativeiq/>