

Water Song

ILLUSTRATION CHALLENGE

- ▶ **Theme:** World Water Day, Water Celebration, Water Resources, Water Protector, Water Walker, Indigenous, Tribal
- ▶ **Must include:** Water Song, Anishnaabemowin and phonetics (in blue box to the right.)
- ▶ **Voting held:** Friday, March 20 from 3:30-4:30 p.m.
- ▶ **Judging criteria includes:** Creativity, originality, adherence to theme, and correlations of Indigenous values or cultural teachings.
- ▶ **Recognition and prizes:** The winning illustrations will be saved and distributed at future water-focused events such as youth camps, river cleanups, wild rice harvesting, etc. Prizes will include gas cards and water educational or recreational items.

Submissions:

- ▶ **Email to:** Katie Hager at KHager@sagchip.org
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Heya Heya Heya Hey

(Hey-ya Hey-ya Hey-ya Hey)

Heya Heya Heya Ho

(Hey-ya Hey-ya Hey-ya Ho)

Nibi Waabo endayin

(Nee-bee Wah-boo en-dah-yin)

**Water liquid you are
You are water**

Aki Miskwe Niibi Waabo

(Ah-key Misk-way Nee-bee Wah-boo)

**Earth Blood Water Liquid
You are the Blood of Mother Earth**



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