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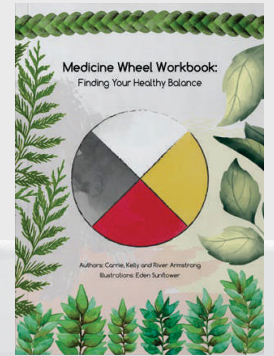
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Karen Whetung is Anishinaabe and of mixed European ancestry and currently lives and works in Victoria, B.C. as an Indigenous Mentor and Storyteller in the local school districts. She believes that through sharing stories we can heal our communities, celebrate our diversity, and create a world where we all belong.



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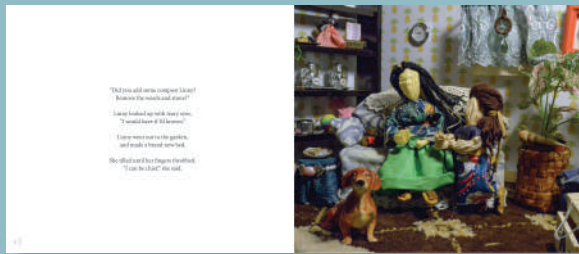
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THE CORN CHIEF

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THE CORN CHIEF LESSON PLAN

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DRUM FROM THE HEART



DRUM FROM THE HEART JOUÉ DU TAMBOUR AVEC COEUR

Author: Ren Louie

When he is gifted a handmade drum by his mother, Ren learns the teachings of the drum that are also passed down to him. He discovers that through this special drum, he is able to connect to his culture and find a confidence in his voice to joyfully share in singing the traditional songs of his Nuu-chah-nulth Nation.

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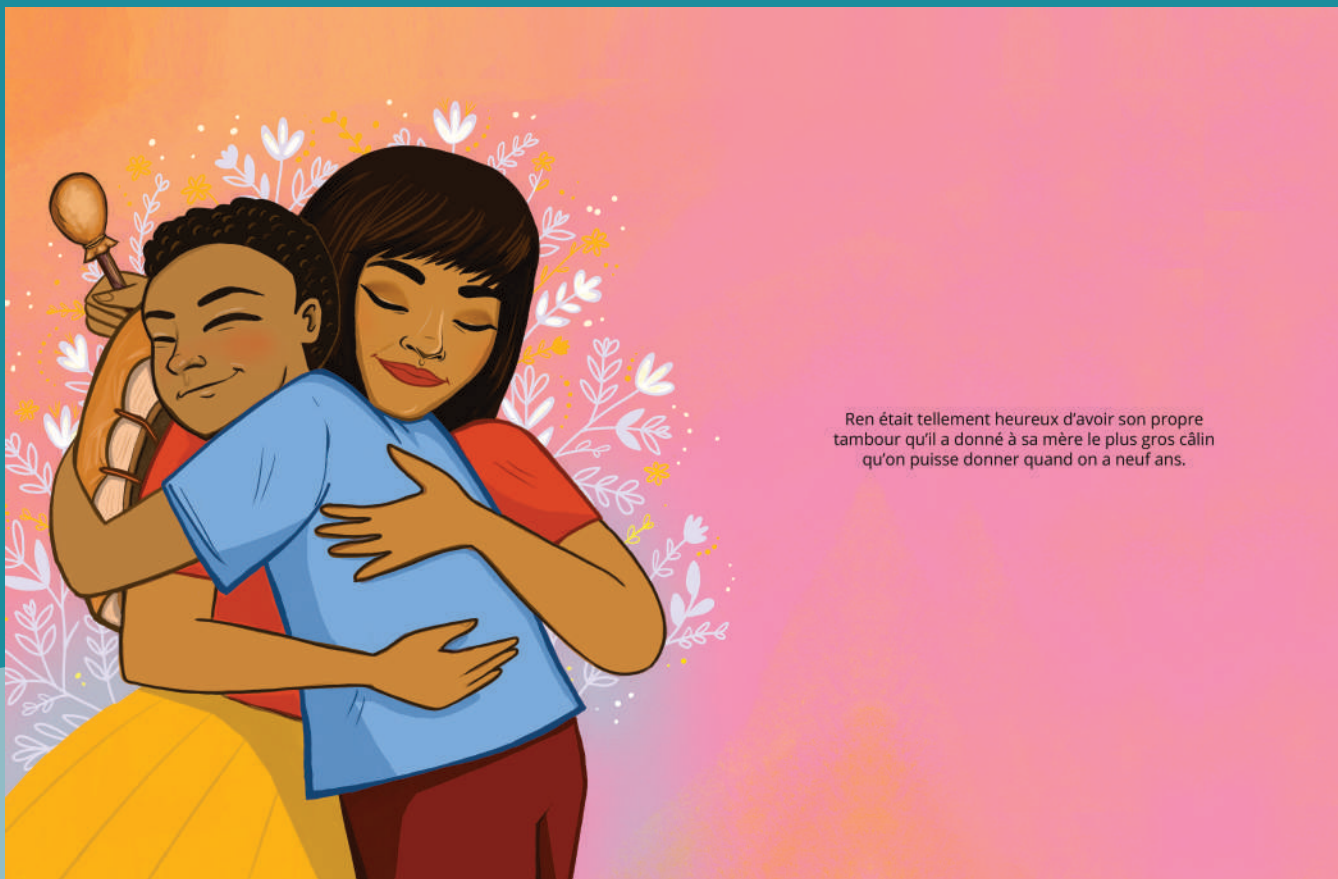
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DRUM FROM THE HEART LESSON PLAN

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Ren Louie is Nuu-chah-nulth from Ahousaht and his traditional name is Wikinanish, which translates to 'eldest son'. He comes from mixed Nuu-chah-nulth, African American, and Ukranian heritage. With his background in Indigenous Studies and his work as an Aboriginal Role Model in schools, he hopes to one day teach Indigenous Studies at the post-secondary level. Ren is passionate about his language and culture and enjoys learning new songs and traditional teachings from Elders and Knowledge Keepers in the Indigenous community. Born and raised on Lekwungen and WSÁNEĆ Territory in Victoria, B.C., Ren continues to live there today.



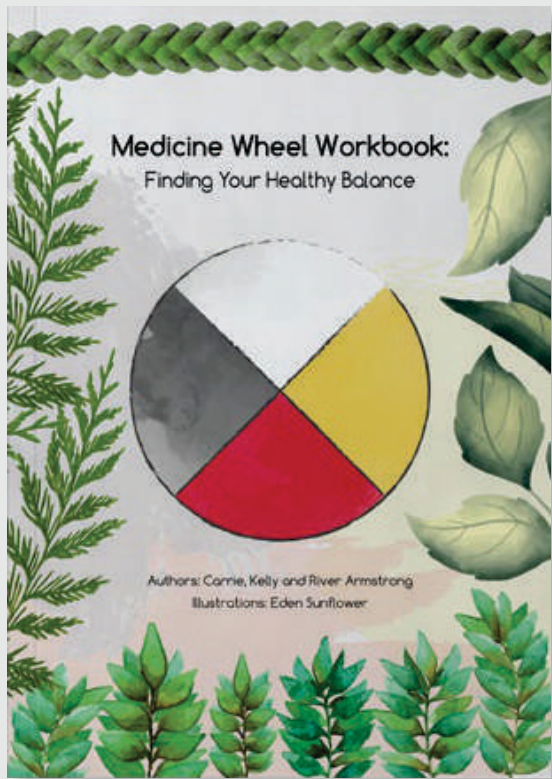
Ren était tellement heureux d'avoir son propre tambour qu'il a donné à sa mère le plus gros câlin qu'on puisse donner quand on a neuf ans.

Pendant que le groupe de joueurs de tambour pratiquait pour une parade qui aurait bientôt lieu, la grand-mère de Ren les observait attentivement. À la pratique, Ren a été surpris d'avoir la chance de chanter un solo. Au début, il a hésité, mais son cher tambour lui a donné confiance et Ren a commencé à chanter... très doucement.



Même s'il chantait doucement, la grand-mère de Ren était ravie de l'écouter. Cela lui a rappelé son grand-père et ses oncles, qui chantaient eux aussi les mêmes chants traditionnels. Entendre finalement Ren chanter ces chants à son tour lui a fait très plaisir.





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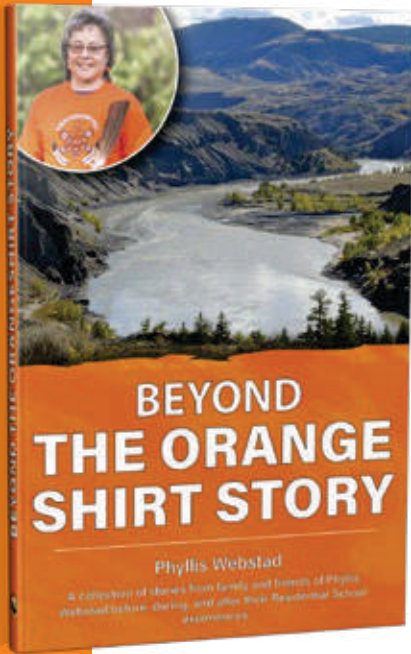


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ORANGE SHIRT STORY



BEYOND THE ORANGE SHIRT STORY

Beyond the Orange Shirt Story is a unique collection of truths that articulate the lives and experiences of some Residential School Survivors and their families. Compiled by Phyllis Webstad, Residential School Survivor and Founder of the Orange Shirt Day movement, this book will give readers an up close look at what life was like for many Survivors — before, during, and after their Residential School experiences. These personal Survivor accounts, relayed in a number of one on one interviews, are authentically shared in their own voices.

Author: Phyllis Webstad

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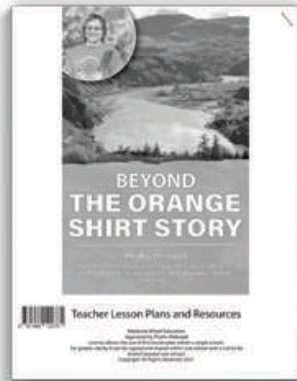
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BEYOND THE ORANGE SHIRT STORY LESSON PLAN

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Phyllis Webstad (nee Jack) is Northern Secwepemc (Shuswap) from the Stswecem'c Xgat'tem First Nation (Canoe Creek Indian Band). She comes from mixed Secwepemc and Irish/French heritage. She was born in Dog Creek and lives in Williams Lake, BC, Canada. In 2018 Phyllis Webstad launched her children's book called "The Orange Shirt Story" to share her story in her own words. The Orange shirt story tells the story of young Phyllis having her orange shirt taken away on her first day of residential school and never to see it again. A simple orange shirt has become a conversation starter for all aspects of residential school across Canada and beyond. Phyllis has inspired thousands and thousands of people to honour residential school survivors and their families and share the call on September 30th of each year that "EVERY CHILD MATTERS." Phyllis is well respected for her work, her courage and for striving to heal our communities and Nation through speaking her truth.



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The Orange Shirt Day Book package also includes Lesson Plans or Study Guides for Beyond The Orange Shirt Story, Orange Shirt Day, and The Orange Shirt Story.

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Orange Shirt Day

Orange Shirt Day was inspired by the story of a survivor named Phyllis Webstad. When Phyllis was 6 years old she went to Residential School for the first time wearing a brand new shiny orange shirt. When she arrived at the school her shirt was taken away and never to be seen again.

To Phyllis the colour orange was a symbol that she did not matter. Today she has learned to accept the colour and even have fun with it and now the orange shirt has become a symbol of hope and reconciliation. By wearing an orange shirt on Orange Shirt Day, you make a powerful statement that residential schools were wrong and commit to the concept that EVERY CHILD MATTERS.

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L'histoire Du Chandail Orange

Lorsque Phyllis Webstad (née Jack) a eu six ans, elle est allée au pensionnat pour la première fois. Pour sa première journée d'école, elle portait un chandail orange tout neuf que sa grand-mère lui avait acheté. À son arrivée à l'école, on le lui a enlevé, pour ne jamais le lui redonner. Voici la vraie histoire de Phyllis et de son chandail orange. C'est aussi l'histoire de la Journée du chandail orange, un jour de commémoration important pour tous les Canadiens.

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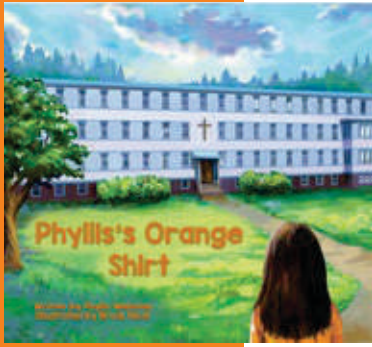
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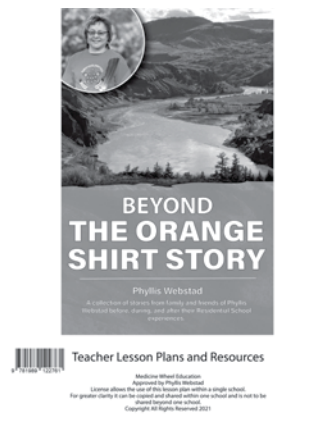
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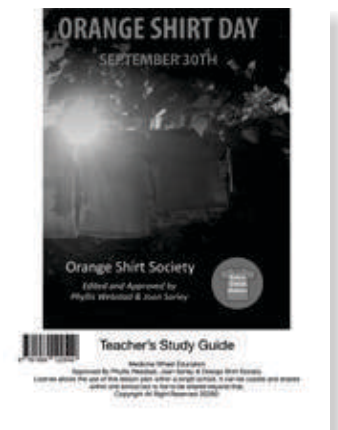
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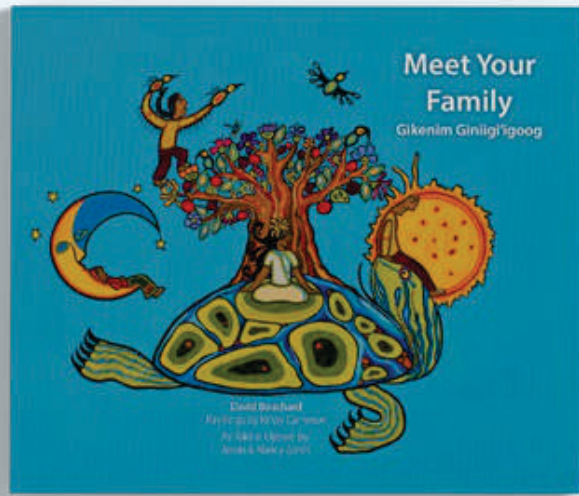
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Juliana Armstrong, a Teacher of Anishnaabemowin Language & Culture first became an artist after growing up watching her Mother and Gokmis crafting. The natural world around her as well as carrying her children during pregnancy have inspired most of her work. With great appreciation for the Ojibway Culture and Language, it is important for her to share her gifts such as art. Raised on Christian Island, she is a member of and resides in Nipissing First Nation, Ontario.



MEET YOUR FAMILY / GIKENIM GINIIGI'IGOOG

Mother Earth, we come from her, we go to her, without her we wouldn't be here, she gives all of us life and because of her, we are all one family. In almost all segments of Indigenous life, we speak of Mother Earth, Father Sky, Grandfather Sun, and Grandmother Moon. Meet Your Family is a rhythmic poem that will enlighten readers on how to view these important figures while sharing a greater concept of seeing the world as our natural family.

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La terre mère, nous venons d'elle, nous allons vers elle et sans elle, nous ne serions pas ici. Elle nous donne à tous la vie et grâce à elle, nous sommes une seule et même famille. Dans presque tous les segments de la vie autochtone, on parle de la terre mère, du père ciel, du grand-père soleil et de la grand-mère lune. L'oeuvre Rencontre ta famille est un poème rythmé de David Bouchard qui fera découvrir aux lecteurs ces personnages importants et mettra en lumière un concept plus large de la vision du monde, celui de la famille naturelle.

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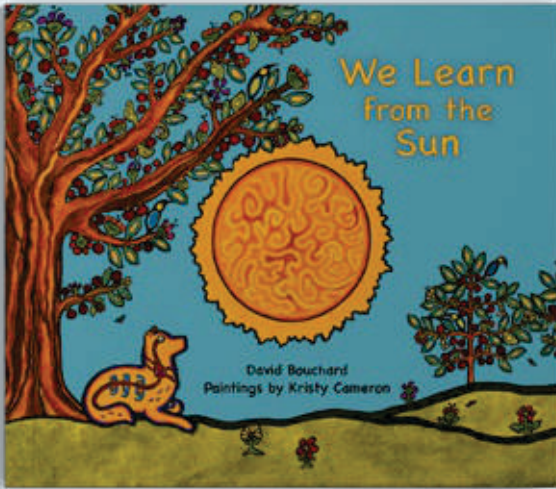
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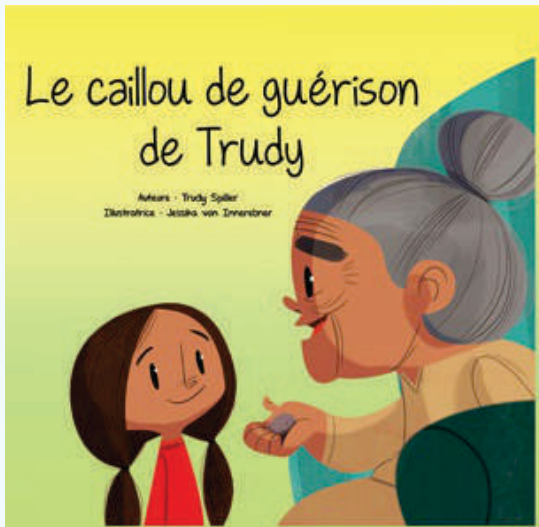


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LE CAILLOU DE GUÉRISON DE TRUDY

Il arrive à tout le monde d'être triste, fâché, frustré et déçu. Les émotions difficiles font partie de la vie. Dans ce livre, Le caillou de guérison de Trudy, Trudy Spiller partage avec nous une pratique spéciale qu'on peut tous utiliser pour nous aider à exprimer nos sentiments avec l'aide de la terre mère. Trudy est membre de la Nation Gitksan de la Colombie-Britannique et appartient à la maison de Gwininitxw du clan du loup. Lugaganowals, le nom traditionnel de Trudy, signifie « une grenouille qui prend toujours appui ou qui donne toujours ». Trudy aide les familles à grandir et à se nourrir en partageant ses connaissances de la médecine, de la nourriture, de l'habillement et des pratiques autochtones. Âge suggéré : de 4 à 6 ans

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LES ENSEIGNEMENTS DU DANSEUR DE CERCEAUX

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Kevin Locke est un danseur de cerceaux de renommée mondiale, un conteur traditionnel, un éducateur, un artiste, un flûtiste des plaines du Nord et un ambassadeur culturel. Kevin Locke est Lakota et Anishinabe. Son nom lakota est Thokaheya InazirJ et signifie « le premier à se lever ». Lorsque nous levons les yeux vers le ciel et que nous voyons un bel aigle qui plane, il se peut que nous nous arrêtions pour apprécier son vol gracieux, mais comme l'explique Kevin Locke, les aigles ont aussi des enseignements importants à nous offrir. Dans ce livre, Kevin nous dit que chaque plume sur l'aile d'un aigle représente une vertu dont nous pouvons tous apprendre. Âges suggérés : De 4 à 6 ans

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LE CERCLE D'AIDE ET DE PARTAGE

Quand deux renardes rousses ont une dispute qui divise leur communauté, une gentille bisonne apporte une tresse d'herbe sacrée à une sage locale et lui demande de les aider en présidant un Cercle de Partage avec tous les animaux. Âges suggérés : De 4 à 6 ans

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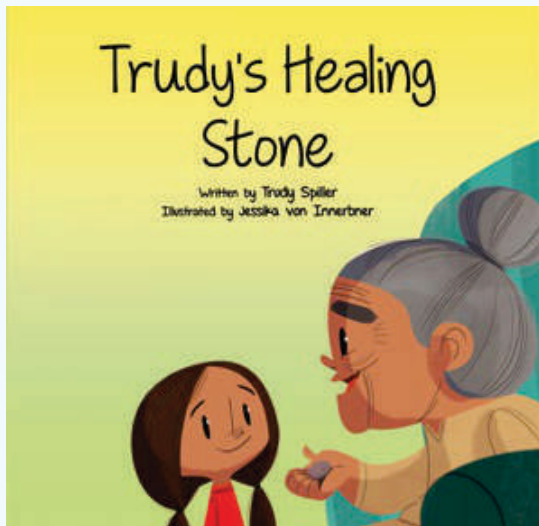
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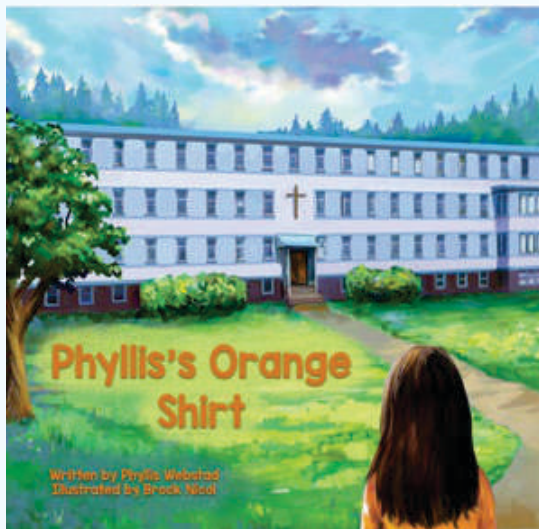
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TRUDY'S HEALING STONE

Everyone gets sad, angry, frustrated, and disappointed. Difficult emotions are a natural part of life. In this book, Trudy's Healing Stone, Trudy Spiller shares with us a special practice that anyone can use to help them process their feelings with the help of Mother Earth. Trudy is part of the Gitksan Nation in British Columbia and belongs to the House of Gwininitxw of the Wolf Clan. Trudy's traditional name, Lugaganowals, means "a frog that is always leaning or giving". Trudy helps families grow and flourish by sharing her knowledge of First Nation medicine, food, dress, and practices. Suggested for ages 4-6.

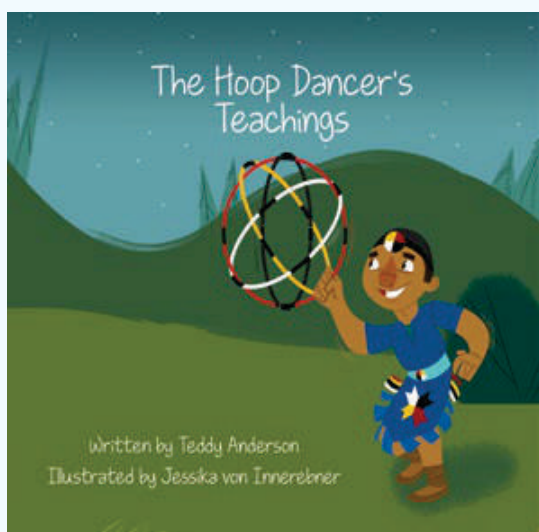
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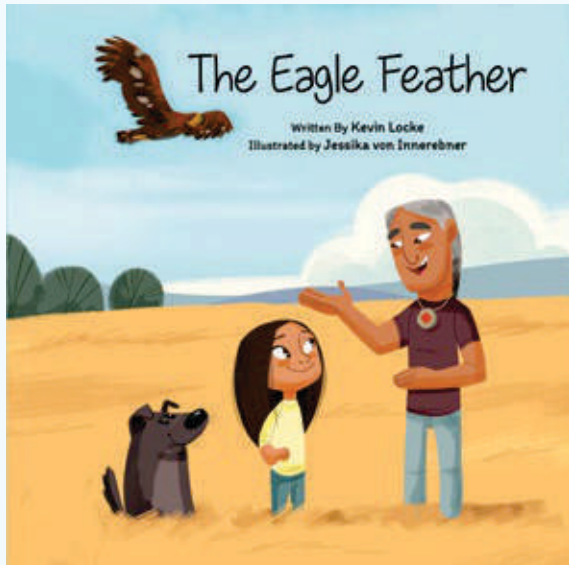
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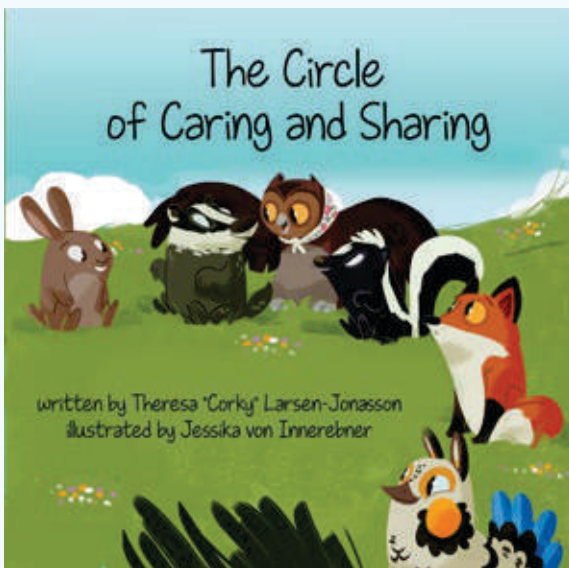


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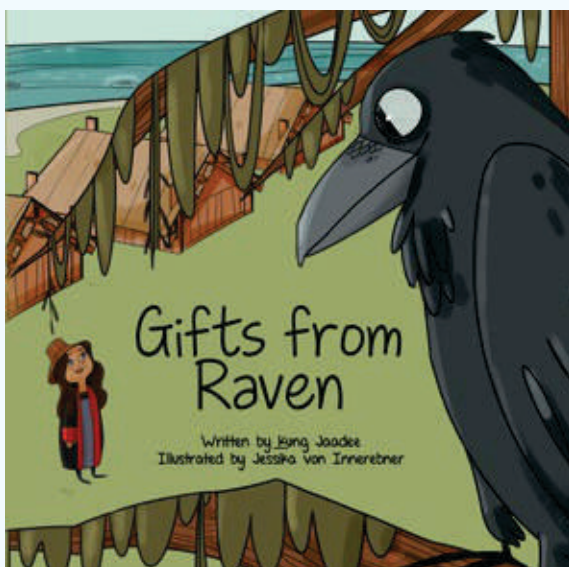


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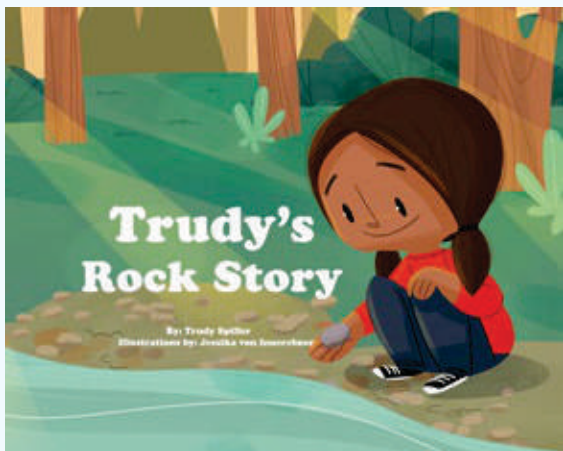
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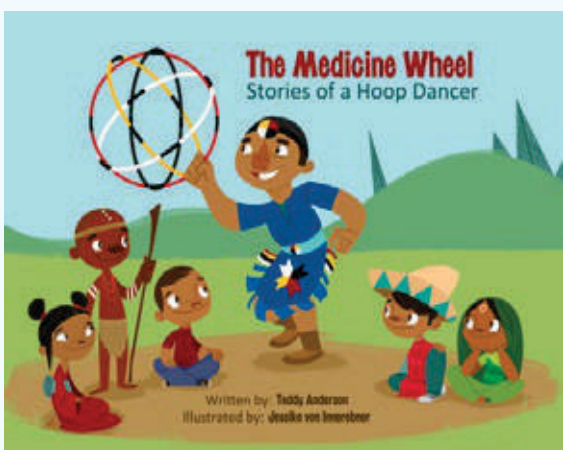


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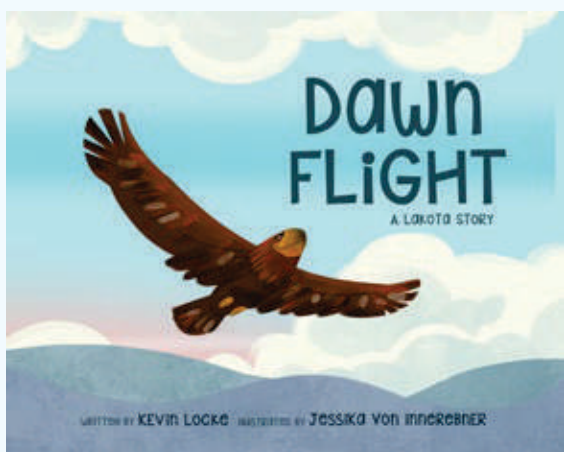
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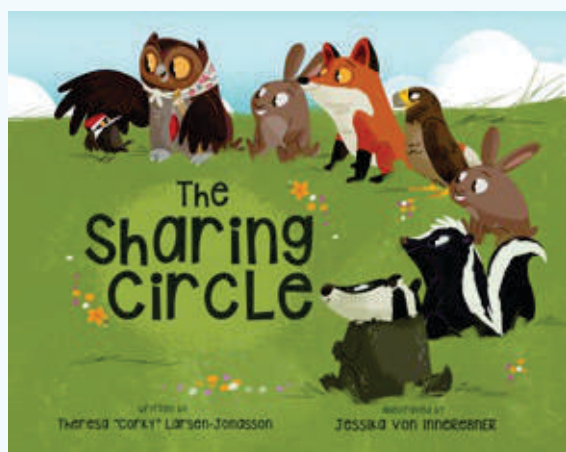


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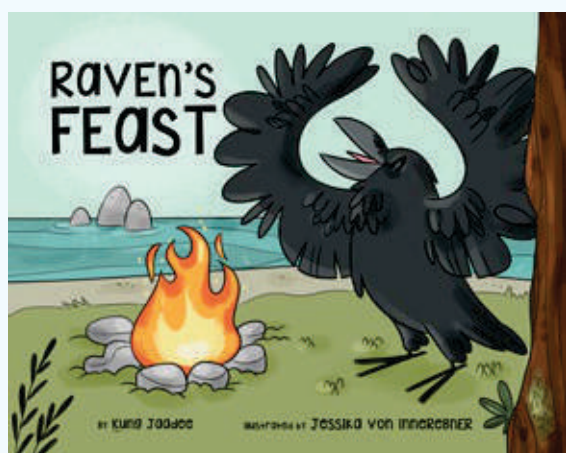


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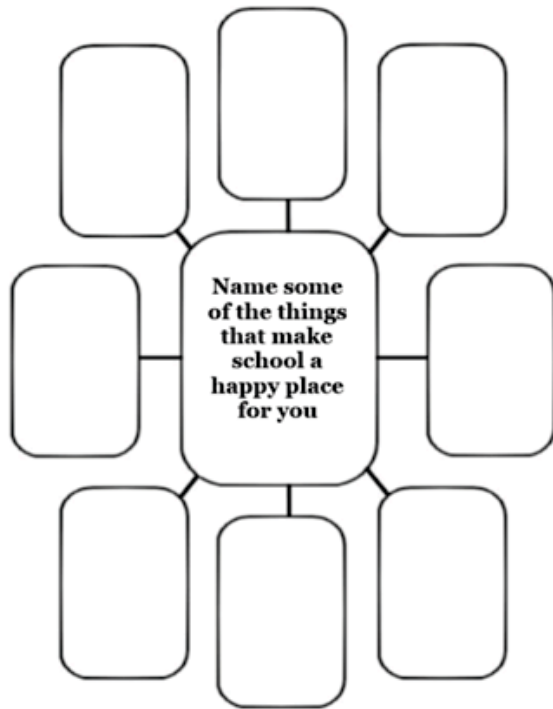
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Lesson B: Letter Writing

- 1) **Think, pair, share:** What would you want to say to someone you meet who used to go to residential school?
- 2) **Discuss answers as a class.** On chart paper, record ideas on questions students would want to ask someone that used to go to a residential school, and on their feelings about this topic.
- 3) **Letter Writing:** Write a letter on a t-shirt cut out to a residential survivor. In the letter, tell them about yourself and your family heritage. Tell them what you are learning at school about residential schools. Tell them your feelings about this. Include a picture of you and your family on the other side.

For the teacher:

If you want to send these letters to residential survivors, contact your local band or friendship center.

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The Orange Shirt Story Comprehension Questions

1. Who did Phyllis live with?

2. When Phyllis turned 6 year old where did she get to go?

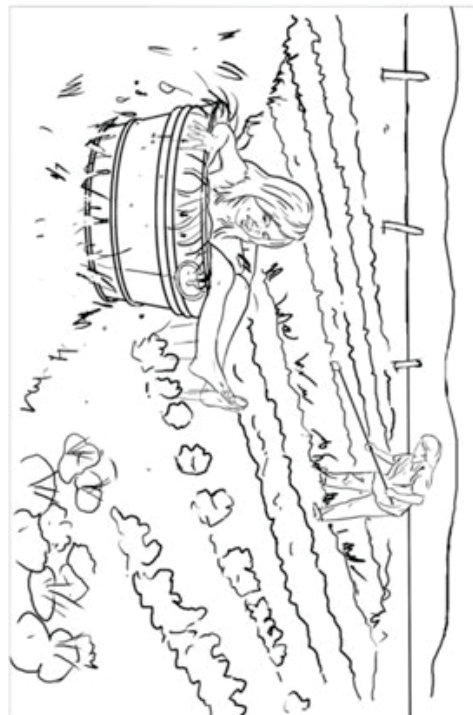
3. What did Granny take her to town to buy?

4. How long did Phyllis have to stay at residential school for?

5. List 3 things that happened at residential school that made Phyllis sad at school:

6. Who did Phyllis save a seat for on the bus ride after school?

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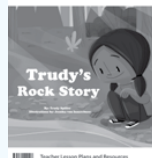
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