



**Aboriginal Resources**  
**Please visit these websites:**

**Campbell River School District:**

<http://www.sd72.bc.ca/Programs/aboriginaleducation/Pages/default.aspx>

**Cedar Readers, Leveled Reading Books:** <http://cedarmooncreations.com>

email: [pam.holloway@shaw.ca](mailto:pam.holloway@shaw.ca)

Contact: Pam Holloway, Cedar Moon Creations Limited

**Curriculum Plus:** [www.curriculumplus.ca/scripts/default.asp](http://www.curriculumplus.ca/scripts/default.asp)

K to Grade 8 Learning Resources

**David Bouchard, “Seven Sacred Teachings”:** [www.DavidBouchard.com](http://www.DavidBouchard.com)

Seven Sacred Teachings’ is my most important work to date. I share an important message of traditional values and hope for the future. Humility, Honesty, Respect, Courage, Wisdom, Truth and Love: The Teachings are universal to First Nation peoples. The Teachings are seen in school communities from coast to coast. These Teachings are the strongest link between First Nation, Inuit and Métis communities.

**Eaglecrest Books:** [www.eaglecrestbooks.com/home.htm](http://www.eaglecrestbooks.com/home.htm)

Eaglecrest Books are a set of Primary leveled books that represent First Nations children. Stories reflect experiences of First Nations children involved in cultural activities and in everyday life at home and school. Eaglecrest Books are leveled to assist teachers in choosing texts that are appropriate for children at various stages of reading. All the books have been carefully leveled according to specific factors including: number of words per book, number of lines per page, size of print, relationship between print and picture, introduction of high-frequency words, number of repetitions of phrases and new words, and sentence structure. The original 50 titles are included on the North American Reading Recovery (R) book list.

**Gabriel Dumont Institute:** <https://gdins.org/shop-gdi/>

Gabriel Dumont Institute promotes the renewal and the development of Métis culture through research, materials development, collections and the distribution of those materials and the development and delivery of Métis-specific educational programs and services.



**Garfinkel Publications:** [www.nativenorthwest.com/](http://www.nativenorthwest.com/)

Aboriginal Themed Board books for elementary grades: Learn the Alphabet, Learn the Colours, Learn to Count, Learn and Play. Colouring Books: Explore the Animals, Discover the Animals.

**Goodminds.com:** <http://www.goodminds.com/>

Educational Resources for Native American Studies, First Nations Studies, Indigenous Studies, and Aboriginal Studies.

**Indian Affairs and Northern Development Canada:**

<https://www.aadnc-aandc.gc.ca/eng/1100100010002/1100100010021#>

National Aboriginal Day promotional products available for ordering include a pamphlet, bookmark, poster, learning and activity guide, and more.

**Longhouse Publishing:** [www.longhousepublishing.com/](http://www.longhousepublishing.com/)

Longhouse Publishing publishes quality books on Aboriginal and cultural themes. Longhouse Publishing also produces other culturally-related print materials such as: signage, corporate reports, booklets and brochures. Working with First Nations, we're especially sensitive to the cultural and spiritual protocols of the Aboriginal people and we have a deep understanding of the social and political realities that all First Nations face today.

**Nelson Education :**

<http://www.nelson.com/aboriginal/booksite/documents/CircleofLifeFlyer2013.pdf>

**Ningwakwe Learning Press:** [www.ningwakwe.on.ca/](http://www.ningwakwe.on.ca/)

Ningwakwe Learning Press (NLP) is an Aboriginal company which has successfully produced quality printed materials and publications of books since 1999.

**Orca Book Publishers:** [www.orcabook.com](http://www.orcabook.com)

**Oui or Kids:** [www.ouiforkids.com](http://www.ouiforkids.com)

Oui for Kids is a Victoria based company that has Aboriginal themed books in French. Their phone number is (250) 381-0546.

**Pemmican Publications:** <http://www.pemmicanpublications.ca/>

Pemmican Publications Inc. was founded as a non-profit organization in Winnipeg, Manitoba in 1980 by the Manitoba Métis Federation, which provided the publisher's first inventory through the combined titles of The Métis Press and Editions Bois-Brûlés. Since then, it has published more than 100 titles, including history, biography, cultural and linguistic studies, adult fiction, poetry and stories for young and early readers. It is the only dedicated Métis publishing house in Canada.

**Raven Tales DVDs:** [www.raventales.com/](http://www.raventales.com/)

Raven Tales is the multiple award-winning series of computer-generated imaging animated television/film programs, targeted at school-age children and their families. Raven Tales features Native American folklore developed to appeal to a broad international audience in a contemporary, humorous and entertaining way. Raven Tales concentrates on the wild and funny adventures of Raven, the most powerful, and one might add, trickiest troublemaker of Native American folklore.

**School House Teaching Supplies :** <https://schoolhouseteaching.com/>

**Sierra Club :** <http://www.sierraclub.bc.ca/>

**Smart Start Learning Resources:** [www.smartstartlearning.com/](http://www.smartstartlearning.com/)

Aboriginal resources that are unique and culturally sensitive learning tools created by an Educator. The resources focus on Aboriginal cultures and customs. Aboriginal Smart Start Learning Resources meet curriculum standards, and are often purchased as “class sets” by elementary Schools.

**Strong Nations:** [www.strongnations.com/](http://www.strongnations.com/)

Strong Nations (formerly Core Learning Resources) brings books of First Nations/Aboriginal children to *all* children. Browse the Categories to find just the books you’re looking for. Check out New Books for exciting new additions.

**Surrey School District:** [www.sd36.bc.ca/aboriginaleducation/](http://www.sd36.bc.ca/aboriginaleducation/)

**Theytus Books - Publishing Indigenous Voices:** [www.theytusbooks.ca](http://www.theytusbooks.ca)

**Turtle Island Voices:** [www.pearsoncanada.ca/turtleislandvoices](http://www.pearsoncanada.ca/turtleislandvoices)

The stories within Turtle Island Voices are told in many parts of Canada. “Turtle Island” refers to the continent of North America, based on the creation stories of many Aboriginal peoples. Though the stories vary, many tell of the continent being created on the back of a great turtle. Integrating Turtle Island Voices into the classroom not only helps to foster a sense of identity among Aboriginal students, but is also enriches all students.

**Wapos Bay DVDs:** <http://films.nfb.ca/wapos-bay/serie.php>

Wapos Bay is a light-hearted, stop-motion animation series about the adventures of three Cree children living in remote northern Saskatchewan. Guided by elders, extended family and their own curiosity, T-Bear, Talon and Raven learn how to balance traditional ways with newer ones. Available in series.

[www.oyate.org](http://www.oyate.org)

[www.kstrom.net](http://www.kstrom.net)

[www.kidsbooks.ca](http://www.kidsbooks.ca)

