

# Native American Project Directions

For this project, you will be completing a 3-part project on a Native American Tribe of your choice. You will be required to type a 2-page paper and give a 5-8 minute oral presentation with a required supplementary activity (listed below). A tribe may not be researched by more than one student.

## **Research Report:** (Part 1)

You will conduct research on your tribe using a variety of resources (books, the internet, an encyclopedia, etc.) in order to write a 2-page paper with a minimum of 5 paragraphs.

Paper requirements:

- 2-pages in length
- Minimum of 5 paragraphs (Introduction, 3+ Body Paragraphs, Conclusion)
- 12 or 14 size font
- Double Spaced
- Cover Page with Name of Tribe, an Image, Your Name, and the Date.
- Project should cover the following topics – location, homes, culture (traditions and religion), clothing, food, and tools.
- Conclusion should include – Information on the tribes fall/decline, whether or not the tribe remains today, whether or not you would want to be a part of this tribe.
- Bibliography required at the end. Author (last name, first name), Title of book, Publishing Company, and year.

## **Oral Presentation:** (Part 2)

You will be required to give an oral presentation about your tribe. It should be about 5-8 minutes long. You may use note cards, but should not read directly from your typed report.

## **Supplement:** (Part 3)

You are required to choose one supplement from this list to include in your oral presentation. You must be able to explain the significance of what you choose. For example, if you make cornbread, be able to explain what cornbread has to do with your tribe.

- Create a video to show the class. (iMovie, Animoto, PowerPoint, Prezi, etc.)
- Create artifact models of tools used by the tribe during before the 1800s.
- Prepare a Native American food for the class to sample. (No nuts or fish!)
- Create a handout that the class will have to complete.
- Put together an art project to share with the class. This can be a project you complete and show the class, or an interactive art project that the class completes.