

## SAUK LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT PHILOSOPHY

Indians are born speaking our languages. For some of us, they lie dormant within our bodies. They are looking for a way out. God gave us these beautiful languages. All of us hold them in a sacred manner within. There is no such thing as an Indian person who cannot speak Indian.

Our language programs find these languages within our bodies. They bring them out through our mouths and deliver them to their rightful resting places within our hearts.



**Talk Sauk.**  
**SAUK LANGUAGE  
DEPARTMENT**

### Sauk Language Classes Mondays and Thursdays

- Starting Feb. 16, 2015 Sauk Tutoring session will be available at the Learning Center 7pm-9pm
- Starting Feb. 19, 2015 Community Classes at the Learning Center 7pm-9pm

\* classes will be taught by Mosiah Bluecloud

#### Native American Quotes

**"Education is really the long-term solution to other social issues."**  
-Dan King, Ojibwe

**"Toss a stone into the water and the ripples are felt far away. In the same way, the decisions before us today will be felt in tribal life for seven generations, and beyond."**

-Jefferson Keel, President,  
National Congress of American Indians

**"There are not enough words to give to tell you how important language is to our sacred traditions."**

-Phil Cash, Umatilla

**"...Get an education, graduate and go to college. Then bring what you learned back to us and share it with your community."**

-Teresa Harvey

**"You have the values that come with the language. Never trade off for something that is foreign. Your legacy should be good enough."**

Rhonda Hopkins, Chippewa

**"Optimistic, hopeful people view barriers and obstacles as problems to be solved and not as the reason to give up or turn back. Positive people never, ever give up."**

-Wilma Mankiller, Cherokee

#### Word Scramble

tôhnpîô	_____
ênakôinkah	_____
akwaknêehs	_____
htaêhâti	_____
nhaaihti	_____
kkihhtiao	_____
ihâwimsawkhi	_____
awpaôthknaaâ	_____
kâhkaâesww	_____
aaeshhmtmkew	_____
înhânpâahewmke	_____
hôkiiakhanêcnt	_____

#### March 2015 word match

pôthinô!	ahkwâwishimi!
nakahikênô!	nakithachikênô!
(s)he braked	nakithahi!
turn off the ignition	hit the brakes!
stop (the car)!	nakeshkêwa
make a u-turn	kohkithahi
fill her up!	âhtêthahi
look out!	ahkwawâpatanô!
(s)he swerved	wâkâshkêwa
(s)he collided with it	mehteshkamwa
shall I pass?	get in!
Stop!	nîhpemehkânâwa?

### Sauk Language Happenings and News



March

Pâpôhkwiha-Half & Half Moon



### Daylight Savings Time: Move ahead 1 hour

GO TIGERS!

SAUK HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

Spring Break 3/16-20/15

Stroud Public Schools -No School 2/13/15

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**Make sure you got your Sauk Language App!!!**

The new **Sauk Language App** for all mobile devices is now available for downloading. Go to **GooglePlay** or **iTunes** and download your **FREE Sauk Language App** today.

And...

The 2014 Sac and Fox National Pow-wow Traditional DVDs are ready. Due to budget cuts, we have a limited number on hand at the Department, but will take requests for one copy per person when those are gone. Call or come by the Language Department to get your copy today. Sorry, we can only give out one per person.

Join us!

\*Sauk Tutoring on Monday Nights 5pm-9pm

\*Sauk Community Classes on Thursday nights 7pm-9pm

Both classes are at the Sac & Fox Learning Center in Stroud, OK

#### March 2015 Word List

Ahkwâpatanô!	Look out!
Ahkwâwishimi!	Fill her up!
Âhtêthahi	Turn off the ignition
Kohkithahi	Make a U-turn
Mehteshkamwa	(S)he collided with it
Nakahikênô!	Hit the brakes!
Nakeshkêwa	(S)he braked
Nakithachikênô!	Stop!
Nakithahi!	Stop (the car)!
Nîhpemehkânâwa?	Shall I pass?
Pôthinô!	Get In!
Wâkâshkêwa	(S)he swerved