

INUIT RESOURCES

School Division #62 (Sooke)

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| ORDER NUMBER | TITLE AND DESCRIPTION | LEVEL |
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| 917.19 MAC | NUNAVUT: LAND AND PEOPLE Topics include: the climate of the Arctic, the tree line, tundra, natural resources, how animals and people adapt to a northern climate, art and traditions of the Inuit, Sir John Franklin, Auyuittuq National Park, Iqualuit, and the territory's coat of arms and flag. Also includes many maps and an emphasis on developing map skills. Blackline masters included. | Elementary 4-7 |
| DVD BES | BEST OF THE BEST: ESPECIALLY FOR KIDS Complete set of the NFB's Academy Award winning and Oscar nominated animation shorts for children. Titles include: Every Child, The Tender Tale of Cinderella Penguin, Blackfly, The Cat Came Back, The Sand Castle, The Owl Who Married a Goose, Evolution, Christmas Cracker, and Monsieur Pointu. Closed captioned. | All |
| FN 372.83 HAI | HAIDA MODIFIED UNIT This reproducible, modified unit is non-reader to grade 4 skill level. Textbook - The Haida and the Inuit People of the Seasons | Intermediate |

| FN 372.89 SCH | CANADA HISTORY: PART 1 PREHISTORIC CANADA: ANCIENT CANADA ABORIGINAL PEOPLE Covers the prehistoric period of Canadian history from the last Ice Age to the arrival of the Europeans towards the end of the 15 th century. Includes information on mammoths, the Dorset people, the Thule people, Inuit, Plains First Nations, Hurons, and Northwest Coast First Nations. Reproducible: includes 36 worksheets, 14 maps, 2 colour maps, 8 tests, student projects, word puzzles, evaluation form, answer key, and glossary. | Elementary 4-7 |
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| FN 398.2 ANI THE POLAR BEAR SON AND HOUST TALE MINISTRALE WITH THE BEAR SON AND HOUST TALE | FIRST NATIONS ANIMAL STORIES AND LEGENDS BOOKPAK A collection of 14 picture books telling animal legends from different First Nations peoples from Crow Indians, Pueblo, Cree, Okanagan Indians, Dene, Dogrib, Plains Indians, Inuit, Abenaki, Ojibway, Cherokee, Cheyenne, Snohomish, Tlingit, and Zuni. Titles: Brave Wolf and the Thunderbird, A Coyote Solstice Tale, Coyote's New Suit, Coyote and the Sky, How the Mouse Got Brown Teeth, Kou-Skelowh: We Are the People, The Legend of Caribou Boy, More Legends of the Elders, The Old Man with the Otter Medicine, The Polar Bear Son, Pushing Up the Sky: Seven Native American Plays for Children, Raccoon's Last Race, Returning the Feathers, Skysisters, and The Star People: a Lakota Story. | Elementary Middle |
| FN 398.2 INT | FIRST NATIONS INTERMEDIATE LEGENDS AND STORIES A collection of stories and legends for lower intermediate grades from the Inuit, Coast Salish, Athabascan, Ojibway, Iroquois, and many other native peoples. Titles: Adventures of Nanabush, Ancestor Tree, Boy Who Lived With the Bears, Button Blanket, Dance on a Sealskin, Dog People (native Dog Stories), Girl Who Swam With the Fish, The Great Ball Game, Hide and Sneak, How Raven Brought Light to People, How Raven Freed the Moon, Jason and the Sea Otter, Kwulasulwut – Stories From the Coast Salish, Little Bear's Vision Quest, Loon's Necklace, Raven Returns the Water, Sky Dogs, There Still Are Buffalo and Wolf Family, Mama, Do You Love Me?, My Kokum Called Today, Saved by the Orca, | Intermediate |

| | Encounter, I Am the Eagle Free, Raven: A Trickster Tale from the Pacific Northwest, The Elders are Watching, Txamsem, Txamsem- <u>Teacher's Guide</u> , and A Man Called Raven. | |
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| FN 398.2 PRI | FIRST NATIONS PRIMARY LEGENDS AND STORIES A collection of legends and stories by a variety of native authors. Titles: ABC's of Our Spiritual Connection, Alaskan Eskimos and Aleuts, Bentwood Box – An Activity Book, Boy Who Snared the Sun, Building an Igloo, Coyote, Fire Race, A Fish Tale, Girl Who Swam With the Fish, Great Ball Game, Hide and Sneak, I Am the Eagle Free, Just a Walk, Last Leaf First Snowflake to Fall, Loon's Necklace, Mama, Do You Love Me? Mayuk the Grizzly Bear, My Kokum Called Today, My Mom is so Unusual, Nanabosho Dances, No Dear, Not Here, Pueblo Indians of the Southwest, Syea's Song, Spider Woman, This Land is My Land, and Chuck in the City. | Primary |
| FN 704 ELE | ART FIRST NATIONS: TRADITION AND INNOVATION 1 KIT | Elementary K-7 |
| | This kit is intended for elementary classroom teachers and specialists who wish to integrate First Nations art and customs into various subject areas. Artistic innovation is the focus. Includes modules for teaching about art from the Southwestern United States Indians, the Inuit of the Arctic, the Eastern Woodlands Indians, the Plains Indians, and the Northwest Coast Indians. Includes bibliography and glossary. | |
| FN 810.8 ANT Native Literature Start Base Wass & Tray Quite | AN ANTHOLOGY OF CANADIAN NATIVE LITERATURE IN ENGLISH A good introduction to the historical range and wide variety of Native writing. This anthology provides an opportunity to better understand Indian, Métis, and Inuit creative though and expression. | Secondary |

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| FN 970.004 CAN | CANADA'S FIRST PEOPLES BOOKPAK A selection of books on Canada's First Nations peoples. Titles: Canada's First Peoples, Discovering First Peoples and First Contacts plus teacher's guide, The Kids Book of Aboriginal Peoples in Canada, Houses of Bark, Houses of Hide and Earth, Houses of Snow, Skin and Bones, Life in an Anishinabe Camp, Nations of the Northwest Coast, and Nations of the Plains. | Elementary Middle |
| FN 970.004 KAL | NATIVE NATIONS OF NORTH AMERICA BOOK PAC This book pack includes seven books about the Indians of North America. Titles: Life in a Anishinabe Camp, Life in a Longhouse Village, Life in the Far North, Nations of the Northwest Coast, Nations of the Plains, Nations of the Western Great Lakes, and Native Homes. | Elementary Middle |
| FN 970.004 NON House of store, alsn and bares | Books cover such topics as housing, food, art, and Aboriginal heroes. Titles: Building an Igloo, Courageous Spirits, Courageous Spirits (+ TG), Houses of Adobe, Houses of Bark (2 copies), Houses of Snow, Skin and Bones, Houses of Wood, Just Talking About Ourselves, Keepers of Life, Mounds of Earth and Shell, Native American Feast, North American Indian, Of Inuit, Arctic and Wildlife, People of the Trail, Powwow, This Land is My Land, Bentwood Box – an activity book, Cedar Plank Mask – an activity book, Why Seals Blow Their Noses, ABC's of Our Spiritual Connection and Totem Poles to Color & Cut Out, Jason's New Dugout Canoe, and Cheryl's Potlatch. | Intermediate |

| FN 971.004 LIV | NATIVE PEOPLES Life when only the original native peoples inhabited Canada. Who were these peoples? Where did they live? What were their legends and myths, famous heroes and supernatural gods? Learn to build an Iroquois longhouse, play an Inuit game, and more. Helpful for integration support students who need visuals. Includes index. | Intermediate |
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| FN 971.9 AMY | THE RESOURCEFULNESS OF THE INUIT 11 critical thinking challenges celebrate the uniqueness and resourcefulness of the Inuit, past and present. Students infer from drawings how the Inuit traditionally met their basic needs and the challenges they faced. They then examine modern day life and what we can learn from the Inuit. | *Grade 4 |
| FN 971.9 INU | INUIT BOOKPAK A selection of books with information on and stories about the Inuit of Northern Canada. Titles: Through Mala's Eyes: Life in an Inuit Community, Life in the Far North, Houses of Snow, Skin and Bones, The Polar Bear Son: an Inuit Tale, The Inuksuk Book, Make Your Own Inuksuk, Discovering First Peoples and First Contacts, The Kids Book of Aboriginal People, Alego, I is for Inuksuk, Inuksuk Journey: An Artist at the Top of the World, Northern Lights, The Soccer Trails, and The Inuit Thought of It: Amazing Arctic Innovations. | Elementary Middle |
| FN 971.9 MAT | LET'S GO TO THE ARCTIC This is the story of Qajaq, a young Inuit boy, and his family surviving in the harsh world of northern Canada around 1900. It includes activities and information about Arctic people and animals. Includes bibliography and glossary. | Elementary K-7 |

| FN 971.9 WEA | WE ARE INUIT An Inuit educational package developed to provide Canadian schools with basic information on the Inuit of Canada from an Inuit perspective. Topics include history, culture, resources, politics, land claims, Aboriginal rights, international activities, and the future. Includes bibliography and chronology. | All |
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| FN DVD CAN | CANADA: TIMOON AND THE NARWHAL How did the narwhal get its tusk? A young blind boy's aunt is melancholy and restless. She wanders about each day, trying to find what it is that she longs for. The young boy loves and protects her, often accompanying her on her walks. Find out how the boy's aunt finds happiness in the form of a narwhal and how she rewards Timoon for his love and devotion in this tale based on an Inuit legend. | Elementary |
| FN EDM | YUIT Liak adopts a very intelligent orphaned seal pup and calls her Yuit. She doesn't know that this simple act of kindness will change her life completely. | Elementary Middle 6 copies |
| FN LER | SMILER'S BONES In 1897, famed explorer Robert Peary took six Eskimos from their homes to the American Museum of Natural History in New York City. Among the six were father and son, Qisuk (Smiler) and Minik. Soon, four of the original Eskimos were dead including Smiler, whose burial was not all it appeared to be. One of the survivors returned to Greenland, leaving Minik as the only living Polar Eskimo in New York for twelve years. This is Minik's story. Includes bibliographical references. | Middle, Secondary 6–12 6 copies |

| FNV 305.2 DIA | DIARY OF AN INNU CHILD Features 7 years in the life of an Innu boy with his grandfather from ages 4 to 11. He learns the skills of hunting, snow shoeing, trapping, going to school, and ice fishing. The grandparents' supportive role helps Messenak deal with loneliness of missing his mother and the grief caused by a cousin's suicide. Messenak's growing maturity is evident. Closed captioned. | Elementary 4-7 |
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| FNV 305.897 FIR | FIRST NATIONS: THE CIRCLE UNBROKEN A series of 13 programs on 4 video tapes about current issues, cultural identity, and relations between First Nations and Canada. The teacher's guide provides non-Native educators with comprehensive information and a safe, comfortable avenue to address these crucial issues. | Middle Secondary |
| FNV 398.2 GHO | GHOST HUNTERS An Inuit legend about a hunter who contacts the spirits that are haunting him. He leaves his village to live among the spirits but breaks their laws by hunting the forbidden animals. He is punished and returns to his original village to find it deserted. He then realizes he cannot live in the spirit world either, and uses a magic pelt to become a bird. | Elementary 4-7 |
| FNV 769.92 ESK | ESKIMO ARTIST: KENOJUAK A film featuring the work of Inuit artist, Kenojuak. It includes glimpses of the artist's family life, her work at the co-op, elements of Inuit mythology and the process whereby her drawings are transferred to stone and printed for sale. | All |

| FNV 921 TOO | TEAM SPIRIT: THE JORDIN AND TERENCE TOOTOO STORY Two Inuit brothers from Rankin Inlet, Nunavut, are the focus of this outstanding documentary. Terence becomes the first Inuit to play professional hockey. His younger brother, Jordin, tries out for Canada's 2002 national junior team and ultimately the NHL. When tragedy strikes, Jordin is determined to keep working toward his goal despite personal grief and mounting media pressure. This program will inspire every student and teacher who watches to work hard toward their dreams. Suitable for Planning 10 and First Nations Studies 12. 48 min. | Middle Secondary *Planning 10 *FN 12 |
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| FNV 970.004 TOO | TOONIK TIME: AN INUIT SPRING FESTIVAL How long does it take to build an igloo? Skin a seal? Find out all this and more during Toonik Time fun and games Inuit style. Closed Captioned. | Primary |
| FNV 971.9 CLE | TUKTU AND THE CLEVER HANDS A general look at some of the things made by the Inuit and a commentary on the clever use that they make of the few materials that are available in their harsh environment. We come to the conclusion that they are highly skilled, overcoming problems that seem almost insurmountable. | Elementary K-7 |
| FNV 971.9 ESK | TUKTU AND HIS ESKIMO DOG How dogs are often used by the Inuit, both in winter and summer. In this program we see puppies, sled dogs, and dogs being used as pack animals. Inuit dogs are also used for hunting purposes, and we see how they can sniff out the seal blowholes when deep snow covers the winter sea ice. | Elementary K-7 |

| FNV 971.9 IND | TUKTU AND THE INDOOR GAMES This program is a happy, joyous look at the Inuit and the games they play in the big igloo. Outside the wind and blizzard howl but Tuktu's family and friends ignore the weather. They juggle stones, skip, and play with a delightful Inuit child. Finally, Tuktu falls asleep and dreams about the good time he has had. | Intermediate |
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| FNV 971.9 JOU | JOURNEY TO NUNAVUT: THE KREELAK STORY Story of a caribou Inuit family who were Canada's last nomads. Documents early hunting methods, clashes between Inuit and government agencies over schools, housing, and land development. Excellent to view before "Welcome to Nunavut". Closed Captioned, 48 min., 1999 | Secondary |
| FNV 971.9 MAG | TUKTU AND THE MAGIC SPEAR Tuktu fishes through the ice during the cold winter. He also sees his father catch fish with a spear and longs to grow up and spear fish, too. | Intermediate |
| FNV 971.9 ONE | PEOPLE OF THE SEAL: ESKIMO SUMMER - PART 1 Compiled from some of the most vivid actuality footage ever filmed of the life of the Netsilik Eskimos in the Pelly Bay region of the Canadian Arctic. It provides insight and understanding of a primitive culture now almost vanished. NETSILIK ESKIMO SERIES. | All |
| FNV 971.9 TRI | TUKTU AND THE TRIALS OF STRENGTH Strong and hardy Inuit hunters demonstrate and test their strength in boxing, tug-of-war and other strenuous activities. We see and hear drum dance, a demonstration of Inuit poetry and rhythm. | Intermediate |

| FNV 971.9 TWO | PEOPLE OF THE SEAL: ESKIMO WINTER - PART 2 Shows how families gather in communities on the sea ice, to harpoon seals as they come up through breathing holes in the ice. Mid-winter is seen, too, as a time of intense socializing in the communal igloo, with games, contests, and ceremonial activities. NETSILIK ESKIMO SERIES. | All |
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| FNV 971.9 WEL | WELCOME TO NUNAVUT Intimate visit with northern characters during 4 frenzied days at the birth of Nunavut. Frank and funny; a portrait of key people working furiously towards a day that will go down in history. Closed Captioned, 44 min., 1999 | Secondary |
| N0052 | VERY LAST FIRST TIME This is a beautifully illustrated and simply told story of an Inuit girl collecting mussels from the sea bottom. The story tells of her fears and how she conquers them. | Intermediate *Gr. 4 30 copies |
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| V0171 | OWL AND THE LEMMING: AN ESKIMO LEGEND In this tale the lemming tricks the owl into releasing him, by appealing to the owl's vanity. Seal-skin puppets made by Inuit artists are used in the animation. The music and voices in this program are in Inuit, with English translation. | All |
| V0172 | OWL AND THE RAVEN: AN ESKIMO LEGEND This film, narrated partly in the Inuit language and partly in English, is an Inuit legend that tells the story of the why the raven is jet-black. | Elementary K-7 |

| V0173 | OWL WHO MARRIED A GOOSE: AN ESKIMO LEGEND In this animation, the plight of an owl trying to act like a goose is told with wry, Inuit humour. | Elementary K-7 |
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| V1479 | TUKIKI AND HIS SEARCH FOR A MERRY CHRISTMAS This colourfully animated story relates the delightful adventures of Tukiki, a small Eskimo boy who searches for the meaning of a merry Christmas. He seeks advice from the North Wind and he decides to visit different lands with varying cultures and customs. At each place, he learns something different about Christmas. | Elementary K-7 |
| V2419 | FIRST NATIONS This program examines the variety of cultures that arose in the Americas between 9000 and 1000 B.C., highlighting the distinct Indian and Inuit ways of life, and presenting evidence of the striking diversity of cultures and the development of more than a thousand different native languages. ORIGINS: A HISTORY OF CANADA SERIES. | Middle, Secondary |
| V2975 LARRADOR NAD. QUEBEC | MOMENTS OF HISTORY: CANADA VIGNETTES A collection of 1- to 2-minute short clips from the Canada Vignettes series. Topics include: the Bluenose schooner, Captain Cook, Fort Prince of Wales, Lady Frances Simpson, the land bridge from Asia to North America, the Log Driver's Waltz, Cape Breton coal mining, the Viking exploration of Newfoundland, Port Royal, early farm life on the prairies, the Canadian Pacific Railway, the thirties, Toronto, the Hudson's Bay Company during the fur trade, the Nisga'a Unity Pole, the Inuit of Labrador, and the Voyageurs. | All |

| V3041 | MAMA DO YOU LOVE ME? | Primary |
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| Mama- Do You Love Me | An Inuit girl, Nyla, disobeys her mother and journeys from village to ice floe in search of her wayward puppy. Nyla discovers no matter what mischief a child gets into, a mother's love is unconditional and enduring. Based on the book by Barbara M. Joose. | |
| V3060 | BEST OF THE BEST: ESPECIALLY FOR KIDS | All |
| | A complete set of the NFB's Academy Award winning and Oscar-nominated animation shorts for children. Titles include: Every Child, The Tender Tale of Cinderella Penguin, Blackfly, The Cat Came Back, The Sand Castle, Evolution, Christmas Cracker, Monsieur Pointu, and the Owl Who Married a Goose. Closed Captioned. | |
| V3666 | ISLET: ILOT | All |
| | Animator Nicolas Brault combines images reminiscent of Inuit art to depict a world where whales fall out of the sky and fish turn into balloons. This is an ode to the Arctic, which each year is disappearing a little farther into the ocean. A film without words. | |
| V3667 | PEOPLE OF THE ICE | Secondary |
| Henrie de | For over 4000 years, the Inuit have lived in the Arctic environment, but global warming threatens their habitat and culture. This episode of the series 'Arctic Mission' looks at global warming through their eyes. | |

| V3892 | SPRING BREAK: Iqualuit, Nunavut, Canada Buster the Bunny shows the culture, landscape and customs of Nunavut's capital city, Iqualuit, when he takes a trip there during spring break. Buster narrates and interviews local children and adults in various activities including throat singing, igloo building, face pulling, and leg wrestling. The animation compliments the captivating views of the landscape and the varied scenes of children and families in cultural activities. Teachers should be aware that further facts are given following the public television commercial toward the end of the program. Note: Contains a reference to passing gas. 26 min. | Primary Elementary |
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| V3902 | INUIT GAMES The visit of a young Montreal athlete to the Inuit Games in Kangiqsualuijjuaq is presented through discussion, journaling and demonstration. While he trains for events unfamiliar to him, like knuckle-jumping and high-kicking, he learns about Inuit culture and friendship. An underlying theme explores the concept of self-awareness and diversity. A brief guide included. Suitable for Physical Education 4/5/6/7. Closed Captioned. 24 min. | Elementary |
| VFR0121 | MOI, JE FAIS DE L'ART COMME ANDREW QAPPIK Strongly motivating, technically captivating, the film depicts artist Andrew Qappik demonstrating soapstone printmaking to a class of intermediate students. They learn about traditional Inuit art and are able to produce their own artwork in the same style. Children come to understand the symbolism of Inuit art and the emotion that goes into its creation. They see the real life application of Qappik's art and are also able to connect with him on a personal level. For similar titles, see the series listing: Moi, je fais de l'art. Teacher guide included. Closed Captioned. 11 min. | Elementary |