

BUSD'S RETHINKING THANKSGIVING TK-12 TEACHING GUIDE

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Photo still from the video, "The Wampanoag Way"

DEEPEN KNOWLEDGE

- [VIDEO](#) on how to pronounce Wampanoag and The Wôpanâak Language Revitalization Project
- [SHORT ARTICLE](#) on "How to Teach Thanksgiving in a Socially Responsible Way"
- [VIDEO](#) on why some Native peoples observe a National Day of Mourning every Thanksgiving
- [ARTICLE](#) on the Bay Area 1969 Indians of All Tribes occupation of Alcatraz and the significance of the annual Indigenous Peoples Thanksgiving Sunrise Ceremony
- [PODCAST](#) by All My Relations, episode: "ThanksTaking or ThanksGiving?"
- [VIDEO](#) of Indigenous teens talk about the real Thanksgiving
- [ARTICLE](#) about the First Thanksgiving myth VS fact
- [YOUTUBE CHANNEL](#) for the National Museum of the American Indian



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TK- 12 TEACHING RESOURCES

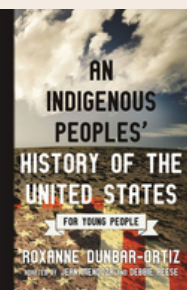
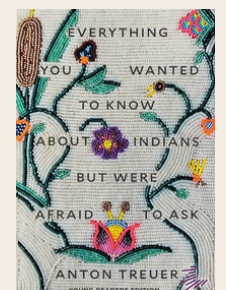
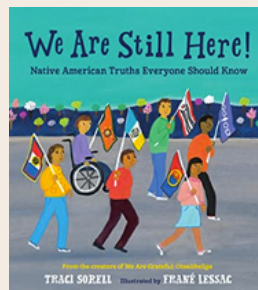
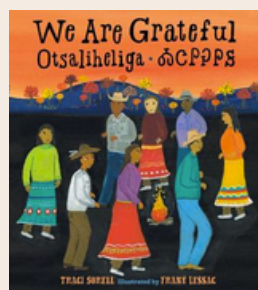
- (All grades) [LESSONS](#) "Five Ideas to Change Teaching about Thanksgiving, in Classrooms and at Home" written by an Indigenous parent and educator
- (All grades) [RESOURCE](#) Harvest Ceremony, Beyond the Thanksgiving Myth
- (TK-2nd) [LESSON](#) on Harvest Festivals
- (TK-5th) [VIDEO](#) on The Wampanoag Way
- (Middle & High School) [LESSON](#) about Thanksgiving as a day of mourning
- (Middle & High School) [ARTICLE](#) about the myth of Thanksgiving
- (Middle & High School) [ARTICLE](#) The Thanksgiving Tale We Tell Is a Harmful Lie
- (Middle & High School) [WEBSITE](#) Native American Voting Rights Project



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