

HRT3M Unit 2 Review for Aboriginal Spirituality**Test Date:** Friday October 5th, 2018

The test will be a combination of multiple choice, fill in the blank, matching, and short answer questions.

Part A: Terms

- Can you remember the following terms? In the space provided, write a brief description for each term.

Term:	Description:
Myth	
Elder	
Indigenous	
Symbolism (eg: circles, drums...)	
Assimilate	
Polytheistic	
Indian Act	
Animism	
Virtues	
Great Spirit	
Trickster	
Shaman	
Smudging	

Sacred Pipe Ceremony	
Sweat Lodge	
Vision Quest	
Harvest Feast	
Powwow	
Sun Dance	
Hair	

Part B: Fill-in-the-blank

Review the Aboriginal beliefs and moral and spiritual teachings we learned about in class. Test your knowledge by filling in the missing words in each statement below.

- What does the term "Aboriginal Peoples" refer to?
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- Archaeologists believe there are two theories that can explain how Aboriginals arrived in the Americas:
 - They "came out of this _____," meaning they were here before any _____
 - They _____ from Asia to North and South America by crossing a land bridge over the _____ _____ 35, 000 years ago.
- There is _____ single founder of Aboriginal Spirituality.
- Indigenous peoples live on _____ continent.
- In terms of death/afterlife, Native religions have no _____ beliefs.
- Totems help _____ Aboriginal peoples to their ancestors.
- Most Aboriginal peoples believe in a _____ Creator.
- Traditional Aboriginal Storytellers had to _____ the right to be a storyteller.
- Myths and legends are traditionally told _____ by Aboriginal peoples.
- Myths and legends offer a response to questions of _____.
- The Seven Grandfather Teachings are cherished _____ within many Aboriginal communities.
- The _____ Elder is the human who the 7 Grandfathers chose to pass on their teachings to humankind.
- _____ taught humans how to live close to the earth.
- The _____ is understood to have sacred value and humans must _____ for the earth.

Part C: The Seven Grandfather Teachings

- Identify the Seven Grandfather Teachings below and the animal that represents them:
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - 2.
 - 4.
 - 5.
 - 6.
 - 7.
- What teaching do you think is needed most in our world today? Why? Explain:

Part D: Aboriginal Rituals

- Review the Aboriginal rituals we examined in class.
- Be prepared to discuss one ritual that you would like to participate in (other than the smudging ceremony) if given the opportunity. Make some notes below, explaining why you would like to participate in the ritual you selected:
 - Out of all the Aboriginal rituals, the Sun Dance has come under fire the most.
 - Why were aspects of the Sun Dance once outlawed by the Government of Canada:
 - Under what circumstances do you think it might be justified for a government to restrict a religious practice?

Part E: Residential Schools

- What Churches were involved in the operation of residential schools for Native children from the 1840s to 1969?
- Who funded the residential schools?
- What were the tragic effects of the residential schools?
- What aspects of your culture would you find hardest to give up if you were a Native child attending a residential school?