



Learning Opportunities - Grade 6 / 7 / 8

Cultural Activities

Topic - Weather Patterns

Weather is a very important part of our everyday life. The weather often determines our activities for the day. If we are looking forward to a hike on a specific day and the forecast is calling for a thunderstorm/showers we know that our plans will have to be changed. The weather can often have an effect on our emotions as well. On a day that the sun is shining it may boost our emotions in a positive way and make us feel happy.

There is no such thing as bad weather, only different kinds of good weather. – John Ruskin

Activity

Weather Patterns

Tan ələkiskət

Kisohswiw → Sunny Day

Alohkət → Cloudy Day

Kəmiwən → Rainy Day

Wocawsən → Windy Day

Owən → Foggy Day

Psan → Snowy Day

Petakiw → Thundering

Tkweyo → Cold Day

Task #1

- If we want to know the weather for the week or just for the day all we need to do is dig out our phones to check our weather app.
- Before the times of technology we did not always have the weather update in the palm of our hands.
- Your task this week is to create a weather log by using the W'last'kwey vocabulary given above.

Task #2

- Find a piece a paper or a small notebook to track your weather log.
- Write down Monday – Sunday on your paper.
- Each day you should have one type of weather that occurred on that specific day of the week. If there is multiple weather patterns please feel free to jot it all down. If you do not want to write feel free to draw as well!

Example:

Monday (Kisənhte)	Tuesday (Nislohkan)	Wednesday (Nihilohkan)	Thursday (Newlohkan)	Friday (Skewahtəkw)	Saturday (Kətwahsənhte)	Sunday (Sənhte)
						
Kəmiwən	Kəmiwən	Kisohswiw	Kisohswiw	Kisohswiw	Alohkət	Alohkət

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