

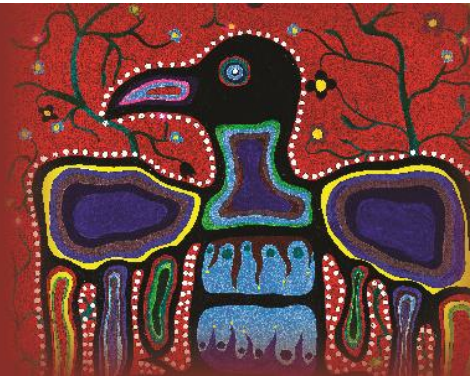


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Picipipoon Language Symposium 2021

Nov 3 & 4, 2021 | Online

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SPEAK TO ME IN MY LANGUAGE



CALL FOR PRESENTERS

Language connects us. More than mere words, it is the thread that binds our communities and our cultures to traditional ways of knowing, to our ancestors, and to our identity.

Nishnawbe Aski Nation (NAN) Picipipoon Language Symposium 2021 is a unique cultural and educational forum. (Picipipoon means "Winter is Coming"). The theme is ***Speak to Me in My Language***, and was planned to connect educators, policy makers, and youth to promote learning and teaching Anishiniimowin / Mashkiikomowin / Anishinaabemowin (Language) in communities across the north.

Nishnawbe Aski Nation (NAN) is seeking a range of presentations to inspire educators and education ambassadors who are working in the First Nations or with First Nations within the provincial education system. Presentation proposals that are relevant to language promotion in early childhood education, elementary and secondary schools, post-secondary education, and cultural programs, as well as research on First Nations education, are welcome.

This year, NAN is particularly interested in presentations that incorporate Anishiniimowin / Mashkiikomowin / Anishinaabemowin (Language).

Presentations should demonstrate best practices in First Nations language education and be 45 minutes in length including a Q&A period to follow. Topics related to the theme could include:

- First Nations language and culture
- Language revitalization and advocacy
- Role of technology in language learning and promotion
- Language teaching methodology
- Teaching and/or learning virtually
- Mental health and wellness
- Education governance
- Policy development
- Literacy and numeracy
- Community engagement
- Student support

NAN invites all interested practitioners, policy makers, school administrators, and teachers to submit a presentation proposal for the NAN Picipipoon Language Symposium 2021: Speak to Me in My Language

Date of Conference: November 3 & 4, 2021 | Submissions Deadline: October 15, 2021

Please complete the attached Presenter Application Form and send by email to maria@tagcreativestrategy.com

PLEASE NOTE: If your presentation is chosen, NAN will compensate the presenter.
Invoices will be required for reimbursement.

If you have any further questions, please contact:

Maria D'Angelo | maria@tagcreativestrategy.com | (807) 627-9701



Presenter Application Form

Please include a copy of your presentation along with this presenter submission, if available; otherwise, a copy of the presentation will need to be submitted 1 week prior to the event. Please note that you will be notified if your presentation is chosen for the Symposium. If your presentation is chosen, you may be requested to give the same presentation twice over the length of the symposium.

Presenter Information

Name: _____ Position or Title: _____

Organization or School: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Presentation Description

Presentation Length: Each presentation will be **45 minutes** including Q&A Session.

Presentation Title (limit to ten words):

Presentation Outline (include area of best practices and target audience, limit 30 words):

Presentation Overview: (limit to under 100 words):

Topics covered (limit to under 50 words):



Area of Best Practice:

Target Audience (limit 75 words):

Presenter Biography (limit to under 75 words):

Please attach a high-resolution portrait-style photo with this application.

Should your submission be chosen, the presentation will be recorded and made available on-demand on the Event platform & NAN website.

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